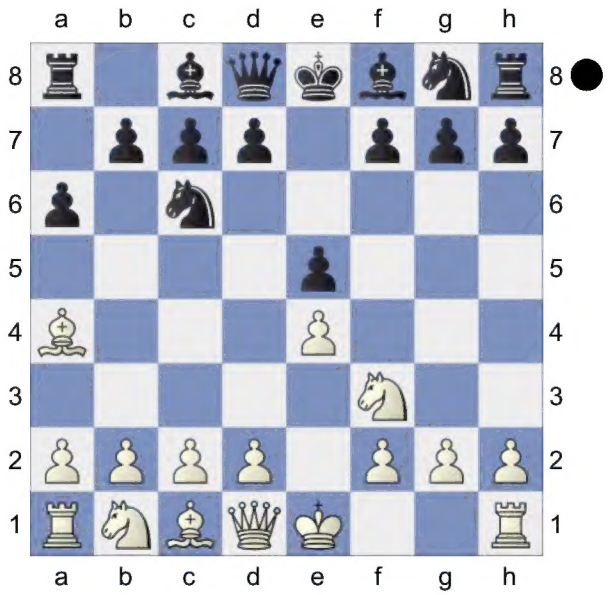
Ruy Lopez
With 3...a6 and 4...Bc5
Chess Tables 2600+ Players

Chess Notes 2025



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1.e4 e5 2.Nf3 Nc6 3.Bb5 a6 4.Ba4

	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
1	. . .	Bxc6[2]	d3[3]	Be3[5]	Nbd2[6]	Nh4[7]	Qh5+	Qf3
	Bc5[1]	dxc6	f6[4]	Bd6	Ne7	Be6	g6	Rf8[8]
2	. . .	Nc3	a3[10]	Bb3	d3	Be3	Bxd4	Ne2
	. . .	Nge7[9]	Ba7	h6	d6	Nd4	exd4	c5[11]
3	. . .	d3	Be3[13]	Bxa7	0-0[15]	d4	Nxd4	c3
	. . .	Nge7[12]	Ba7[14]	Rxa7	0-0	exd4	Ng6	Qf6[16]
4	. . .	0-0	Nxe5[18]	d4	Bb3	Qxd4	f4[21]	Qd1[22]
	. . .	Nge7[17]	Nxe5	b5[19]	Bxd4[20]	d6	c5	c4[23]
5	. . .	. . .	d3	Nc3[25]	Re1[27]	Be3	h3	Qxf3
	. . .	. . .	0-0[24]	d6[26]	Kh8	Bg4	Bxf3	Nd4[28]
6	. . .	. . .	Nc3	Bb3[30]	d3[31]	Bg5	axb3	Be3
	. . .	. . .	0-0[29]	d6	Na5	Nxb3	f6	Bg4[32]
7	. . .	. . .	c3[33]	h3[35]	d4[37]	dxc5	cxd6	Qxa4
	. . .	d6	Bg4[34]	Bh5[36]	b5[38]	bxa4	cxd6	Nge7[39]
8	. . .	. . .	Bb3	d3[41]	Bg5[42]	Nc3	Nd5	Nxf6+
	. . .	b5	Nf6[40]	d6	Bb7[43]	0-0	Nd4	gxf6[44]

	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
9	. . .	c3	d3[46]	0-0[48]	Bc2	d4	h3	Re1
	. . .	Nge7[45]	Ng6[47]	b5[49]	d6	Bb6	0-0	Rb8[50]
10	. . .	. . .	0-0	d4[52]	cxd4[54]	exd5[56]	Re1+[57]	Nc3
	. . .	. . .	Ba7[51]	exd4[53]	d5[55]	Nxd5	Kf8[58]	Nce7[59]
11	. . .	. . .	. . .	d4[60]	Re1[61]	h3[62]	Be3[64]	Nbd2[66]
	. . .	. . .	Ng6	Ba7	0-0	d6[63]	h6[65]	Kh8[67]
12	. . .	. . .	. . .	. . .	Bxc6	Nxe5[68]	dxe5	Qf3[70]
	. . .	. . .	. . .	. . .	dxc6	Nxe5	Qh4[69]	Rg8[71]
13	. . .	. . .	. . .	. . .	h3	Bg5	Be3	Nbd2[73]
	. . .	. . .	. . .	. . .	d6[72]	f6	0-0	Bd7[74]
14	. . .	. . .	. . .	. . .	d5	Be3[76]	Nbd2[78]	Bxa7[79]
	. . .	. . .	. . .	. . .	Nce7[75]	0-0[77]	d6	Rxa7[80]
15	. . .	. . .	. . .	. . .	Bg5	Be3	Nbd2[82]	Re1[84]
	. . .	. . .	. . .	. . .	f6	0-0[81]	d6[83]	Kh8[85]
16	. . .	. . .	. . .	. . .	Be3	Re1[87]	Nbd2	h3
	. . .	. . .	. . .	. . .	0-0[86]	h6[88]	Re8[89]	d6[90]
17	. . .	. . .	d4	cxd4[92]	Nc3[94]	exd5[95]	bxc3	0-0
	. . .	. . .	exd4[91]	Bb4+[93]	d5	Bxc3+[96]	Qxd5	Bg4[97]
18	. . .	. . .	. . .	. . .	Bd2	Qxd2[99]	exd5[100]	Nc3[102]
	. . .	. . .	. . .	. . .	Bxd2+[98]	d5	Qxd5[101]	Qe6+[103]
19	. . .	. . .	d4[104]	0-0[106]	Bg5[108]	Bh4[110]	Bxc6	Qc1
	. . .	Nf6	Ba7[105]	0-0[107]	h6[109]	Re8[111]	dxc6	exd4[112]
20	. . .	. . .	. . .	Nxe5	dxe5	Qg4	Ke2[114]	Qxg7
	. . .	. . .	. . .	Nxe5[113]	Nxe4	Bxf2+	Qh4	Rf8[115]
21	. . .	. . .	Bb3[116]	d4[118]	cxd4	h3[119]	0-0	Nc3
	. . .	b5	d6[117]	exd4	Bb6	Nge7	h6	0-0[120]

[1] However the game position may ensue after **4...Nf6** 5.0-0

[2] **5.Nxe5** Nxe5
[5...Bxf2+ 6.Kxf2 Nxe5 7.d4 Ng6

8.Rf1 Nf6 9.e5 Ne4+ 10.Kg1 0-0 11.Nd2 d5 12.Nxe4 dxe4 13.Be3 f5 14.exf6 Rxf6 15.Bb3+ Be6 16.Qh5 Bxb3 17.axb3 Rxf1+ 18.Rxf1 Qd7 19.c4 Rf8 20.Rxf8+ Nxf8 21.h3 Ng6 22.Kf2 b5 23.Qc5 c6 24.Ke2 h6 25.Kd2 Kh7 26.Kc3 Qe6 27.d5 cxd5 28.cxd5 Qf6+ 29.Bd4 Qf1 30.d6 Qc1+ 31.Kb4 Qe1+ 32.Bc3 Qd1 33.Qd4 Qxd4+ 34.Bxd4 Nf8 35.Ka5 Kg6 36.Kxa6 Kf5 37.Kxb5 Ke6 38.Kc6 g5 39.b4 Nd7 40.b5 Nb8+ 41.Kc7 Nd7 42.b6 1-0 (42) Cyberforce (2715)-elpensionado (2632) Blitz 2022]

[5...Qe7 6.Nxc6 Qxe4+ 7.Qe2 Qxe2+ 8.Kxe2 dxc6 9.c3 *(9.d3 Bg4+ 10.f3 Bh5 11.Be3 Bd6 12.Nc3 0-0-0 13.Rad1 Ne7 14.Ne4 Rhe8 15.Kf2 Nd5 16.Rhe1 Nxe3 17.Nxd6+ cxd6 18.Rxe3 Rxe3 19.Kxe3 Re8+ 20.Kf2 Kd7 21.d4 Bg6 22.c3 Kc7 23.Re1 Re6 24.Rxe6 fxe6 25.Ke3 Kd7 26.f4 Ke7 27.h4 Bf5 28.Bd1 Bb1 29.a3 h6 30.g4 Kf6 31.Bf3 Ke7 32.Be4 Ba2 33.g5 Bc4 34.Kf3 Bb3 35.Kg4 Bd1+ 36.Bf3 Bc2 37.Kh5 hxg5 38.fxg5 Bf5 39.c4 Kf7 40.b4 Kg8 41.g6 Kf8 42.Kg5 Bd3 43.c5 Ke7 44.h5 e5 45.dxe5 dxe5 46.Bg4 Bc4 47.Bc8 e4 48.Kf4 Be2 49.Bxb7 Bxh5 50.Kxe4 Bxg6+ 51.Ke5 Be8 52.Bxa6 Kd8 53.a4 Kc7 54.Bd3 g5 55.Kf5 Bf7 56.Kxg5 Bb3 57.a5 Ba4 58.Kf6 Kb7 59.Ke5 Ka7 60.Kd6 Kb8 61.Be4 Ka7 62.Bxc6 Bb3 63.b5 Bg8 64.Kc7 Bd5 65.b6+ Ka6 66.Bxd5 Kxa5 67.b7 Ka6 68.b8Q* Normal 1-0 (68) MigueMosquera (2604)-Hard-Training (2623) Blitz 2024 *)* 9...Bd6 10.d4 Be6 11.Bb3 Kd7 12.Bxe6+ Kxe6 13.Nd2 Ne7 14.Ne4 f6 15.Kd3 Nd5 16.Re1 Kd7 17.Bd2 Rhe8 18.c4 Nb4+ 19.Bxb4 Bxb4 20.Re3 Bf8 21.Rae1 b6 22.h3 Re7 23.g4 Rae8 24.Ng3 Rxe3+ 25.Rxe3 Rxe3+ 26.Kxe3 Bd6 27.Nf5 g6 28.Nxd6 cxd6 29.Ke4 Ke6 30.d5+ cxd5+ 31.cxd5+ Kf7 32.f4 ½-½ (32) oyoy23 (2691)-Sushila1 (2773) Blitz 2024]

[5...Qg5

A) 6.Ng4 Qg6 7.0-0 b5 8.Bb3 d5 9.Ne3 dxe4 10.Nc3 *(10.Bd5 Nge7 11.Nc3 Nxd5 12.Nexd5 Bd6 13.Nxe4 0-0 14.Nxd6 Qxd6 15.Ne3 Be6 16.b3 Rad8 17.d3 f5 18.f4 Rfe8 19.Kh1 Bc8 20.Qf3 Nd4 21.Qf2 Bb7 22.Bb2 Qg6 23.Rae1 Ne6 24.Qg3 Kf7 25.Kg1 Nd4 26.Bxd4 Rxd4 27.Qxg6+ hxg6 28.g3 Rdd8 29.h4 c5 30.Kf2 Bc6 31.Ng2 a5 32.Rxe8 Rxe8 33.Re1 Rd8 34.Re5 c4 35.bxc4 bxc4 36.Ne1 Bd5 37.Ke3 a4 38.a3 c3 39.Nf3 Kf6 40.Ng5 Ba2 41.Rc5 Re8+ 42.Kd4 Re2 43.Kxc3 Rg2 44.Kb2 Bg8 45.Rc8 Bd5 46.Kc1 Rxg3 47.c4 Bg2 48.Rc7 Rxg5 49.hxg5+ Ke6 50.Rxg7 Bf3 51.Rxg6+ Ke7 52.Rf6 Be2 53.Kd2 Bxd3 54.Kxd3 Ke8 55.Rxf5 Kd7 56.Ra5 Kc7 57.Rxa4 Kc6 58.Rb4 Kc5 59.Rb3 Kc6 60.a4 Kd6 61.a5 Ke6 62.a6 Kf5 63.a7 Kg6 64.a8Q Kh5 65.Qf8 Kg4 66.Ke4 Kh5 67.Qh6+ Kg4* ½-½ (67) alexandar71 (2607)-Calzonesdesuperman (2644) Blitz 2023*)* 10...Nge7 11.Ncd5 Bd6 12.f4 exf3 13.Qxf3 0-0 14.Nxe7+ Bxe7 15.d4 Bd7 16.c3 Rae8 17.Bd2 Bd6 18.Rae1 Nd8 19.Nf5 Rxe1 20.Bxe1 Bxf5 21.Qxf5 Qxf5 22.Rxf5 Re8 23.Kf1

g6 24.Rf3 Kg7 25.h3 c5 26.dxc5 Bxc5 27.Rd3 Nc6 28.Rd5 Bf8 29.Bg3 Be7 30.Rd7 Rd8 31.Rc7 Rd3 32.Bh2 Bd6 33.Rxf7+ Kh6 34.Bxd6 Rxd6 35.Rf2 Ne5 36.Re2 Nc4 37.Bxc4 bxc4 38.Ke1 Rc6 39.Re4 Kg5 40.Ke2 Kf5 41.Rd4 Rb6 42.Rd2 Ke4 43.Kd1 Ke3 44.Kc2 Rf6 45.b3 Rc6 46.b4 g5 47.a4 h5 48.Rd5 Rf6 49.Rxg5 Rf2+ 50.Kb1 Kd3 51.Rg3+ Kd2 52.b5 axb5 53.axb5 Rf5 54.Ka2 Rxb5 55.Rf3 Kc2 56.Rf2+ Kxc3 57.g4 Ra5+ 58.Kb1 Re5 59.Ka2 Kb4 60.Kb2 Re3 61.Kc2 Rb3 62.Rf4 Rxh3 63.Rxc4+ Kxc4 64.Kd2 Rg3 65.gxh5 Rh3 66.Ke2 Rxh5 67.Kf3 Rd5 68.Kg4 Rd4+ 69.Kf5 Rd3 70.Ke5 Rd4 71.Ke6 Kc3 72.Ke7 Rd3 73.Ke6 Re3+ 74.Kf5 Kd3 0-1 (74) Alex_Muezersky (2633)-Calzonesdesuperman (2601) Blitz 2023;

B) 6.Nf3 Qxg2 7.Rf1 d6 8.d3 Bg4 9.Bxc6+ bxc6 10.Nbd2 Nf6 11.c3 Bb6 12.b3 0-0 13.Bb2 Rfe8 14.Qe2 a5 15.0-0-0 Nh5 16.Rg1 Qh3 17.d4 f5 18.Qc4+ d5 19.exd5 Bxf3 20.d6+ Kh8 21.d7 Red8 22.Qd3 Bg4 23.f3 Rxd7 24.Kc2 Nf4 25.Qe3 Nd5 26.Qf2 Bh5 27.Rg3 Qh4 28.Nc4 Re8 29.Rdg1 Bg6 30.Qd2 f4+ 31.Rxg6 hxg6 32.Ne5 Rxe5 0-1 (32) apollothedog (2687)-Calzonesdesuperman (2617) Blitz 2023]

[5...Qh4 6.0-0 Nxe5 7.d4 Ng4 *(7...Qxe4 8.Re1 Qxd4 9.Qxd4 Bxd4 10.c3 Bxf2+ 11.Kxf2 f6 12.Bf4 b5 13.Bxe5 fxe5 14.Rxe5+ Ne7 15.Bb3 d6 16.Re2 Bf5 17.Bd5 0-0-0 18.Rxe7 Rhf8 19.Kg1 Rd7 20.Rxd7 Kxd7 21.Nd2 c6 22.Bf3 a5 23.Nb3 Be6 24.Nd4 c5 25.Nxb5 a4 26.Rd1 Rb8 27.Nxd6 Ke7 28.Ne4 Rxb2 29.Nxc5 Bxa2 30.Nxa4 Rc2 31.Re1+ Kf6 32.Be4 Rd2 33.Nc5 g6 34.h3 Kg7 35.Kh2 Bc4 36.Bf3 Rc2 37.Re7+ Kf6 38.Rxh7 Be6 39.Nxe6 Kxe6 40.Rg7 Rxc3 41.Rxg6+ Kf7 42.Rg4 Kf6 43.h4 Rc5 44.Kg3 Ra5 45.Rg5 Ra4 46.Rg4 Ra5 47.Rf4+ Kg6 48.h5+ Kg5 49.Rg4+ Kh6 50.Rg6+ Kh7 51.Kh4 Ra3 52.Bg4 Ra5 53.g3 Rb5 54.Ra6 Rc5 55.Rd6 Rb5 56.Rd7+ Kh6 57.Rd6+ Kh7 58.Bf3 Rb3 59.Rf6 Kg7 60.Rf4 Rb5 61.g4 Kh6 62.Rf6+ Kg7 63.g5 Rb4+ 64.Bg4 Ra4 65.h6+ Kh7 66.Kh5 Ra1 67.Bf5+ Kg8 68.h7+ Kg7 69.Rg6+ Kf7 70.Rf6+ Kg7 71.h8Q+ Kxh8 72.Kg6 Ra8 73.Re6 Rg8+ 74.Kh6 Rf8 75.Rc6 Kg8 76.Rc7 Rxf5 77.Rg7+ Kf8 78.Rg6 Rf7 79.Rf6 Rxf6+ 80.gxf6 Kf7 ½-½ (80) legend2611 (2604)-Agressive_Style (2803) Blitz 2022)* 8.h3 b5 *(8...Be7 9.Qxg4 Qxg4 10.hxg4 h5 11.g5 b5 12.Bb3 Bb7 13.Re1 c5 14.dxc5 Bxc5 15.Nc3 Ne7 16.Be3 Bb4 17.Bd4 0-0 18.a3 Nc6 19.Bxg7 Kxg7 20.axb4 Nxb4 21.Rad1 Bc6 22.Nd5 Bxd5 23.exd5 a5 24.c3 Na6 25.d6 Nc5 26.Bd5 Ra6 27.Ba2 Ne6 28.Re5 Rb8 29.g3 Rbb6 30.Bxe6 fxe6 31.Rxe6 dxe6 32.d7 Rd6 33.d8Q Rxd8 34.Rxd8 b4 35.cxb4 axb4 36.Rb8 Kg6 37.Rxb4 Kxg5 38.Kg2 Rd6 39.Kf3 Kf5 40.Rb5+ e5 41.Rb8 Rd3+ 42.Ke2 Rd6 43.b4 Kg5 44.b5 Rd4 45.b6 Rb4 46.b7 Kg6 47.Rg8+* 1-0 (47) JohnWarosa (2638)-mocaspoke (2614) Blitz 2021*)*

9.Bb3 N8f6 10.dxc5 0-0 11.hxg4 Nxg4 12.Bf4 Bb7 13.Bg3 Qh5 14.Nc3 Rae8 15.Qxd7 Kh8 16.c6 Bc8 17.Qxc7 f5 18.exf5 Bxf5 19.Rae1 Rc8 20.Qd6 Rf6 21.Qf4 Rh6 22.Qxh6 Qxh6 23.Bd5 Qh5 24.c7 h6 25.Bb7 b4 26.Bxc8 Bxc8 27.Ne4 Bd7 28.Nd6 Qc5 29.Re7 Qc6 30.Rxd7 1-0 (30) Zacatelco (2642)-spectraline (2519) Blitz 2024]

6.d4 b5

[6...Qh4 7.dxc5 Qxe4+ 8.Qe2 Nf6 9.Qxe4 Nxe4 10.b4 a5 11.a3 axb4 12.axb4 0-0 13.Bb2 Nc4 14.Bb3 Rxa1 15.Bxa1 d5 16.cxd6 Nexd6 17.0-0 Bf5 18.Nc3 Nd2 19.Rc1 Nxb3 20.cxb3 Be6 21.Ne2 Nb5 22.Nd4 Nxd4 23.Bxd4 Rd8 24.Be3 Bxb3 25.h3 c6 26.Bc5 f6 27.Re1 Rd7 28.Re7 Rxe7 29.Bxe7 Kf7 30.Bc5 Ke6 31.Kf1 Kd5 32.Bf8 g6 33.Ke2 b6 34.Kd3 Bc4+ 35.Ke3 Bf1 36.Kf3 c5 37.bxc5 bxc5 38.h4 c4 39.g3 c3 40.Ke3 Kc4 41.Bg7 f5 42.Bf6 Kb3 43.Bg7 Bb5 44.Bf6 Kc4 45.Bg7 Ba4 46.Bf6 c2 47.Kd2 Kd5 48.Bd8 Ke4 49.Bb6 Kf3 50.Kc1 Kg4 51.Be3 Bb3 52.Kd2 Kf3 53.Kc1 Kg4 54.Kd2 Kh5 55.Kc1 h6 56.Kd2 g5 57.hxg5 hxg5 58.Kc1 Kg4 59.Kd2 f4 60.gxf4 gxf4 61.Bb6 Kf3 62.Kc1 Ke4 63.Ba7 Kd3 64.Bb6 Bd5 65.Ba7 Be4 66.Bb6 Kc4 67.Ba7 Kb5 68.Bd4 Kc4 69.Be5 f3 70.Bf4 Kd3 71.Bg3 Ke2 72.Bh4 Kf1 73.Bg3 Kg2 74.Kd2 Kh3 75.Kc1 Kg4 76.Kd2 Kf5 77.Kc1 Ke6 78.Kd2 Kd5 79.Kc1 Kd4 80.Kd2 Kc4 81.Kc1 Kd3 82.Bh4 Ke2 83.Bg3 Kf1 84.Bh4 Kg2 85.Bg3 Kf1 86.Kd2 Kg2 87.Kc1 Kh3 88.Kd2 Kg2 89.Kc1 ½-½ (89) Zacatelco (2646)-Coolestbean (2700) Blitz 2024]

[6...Bxd4 7.Qxd4 Qe7 8.Nc3 Nf6 9.Bb3 d6 10.Bg5 Be6 11.Nd5 Bxd5 12.Bxd5 c6 13.Bb3 h6 14.Bh4 0-0 15.0-0-0 Rad8 16.f4 Ng6 17.Bxf6 Qxf6 18.Qxf6 gxf6 19.g3 Rfe8 20.Rhe1 Ne7 21.c3 f5 22.Bc2 fxe4 23.Rxe4 d5 24.Re2 Nc8 25.Rde1 Nd6 26.b3 Rxe2 27.Rxe2 Rd7 28.Kd2 Kg7 29.g4 c5 30.h4 f6 31.Re3 d4 32.cxd4 Nb5 33.d5 Rxd5+ 34.Rd3 Nd4 35.Bd1 Rd7 36.a3 a5 37.Ke3 Re7+ 38.Kf2 Re4 39.Kg3 Re1 40.b4 axb4 41.axb4 b6 42.bxc5 bxc5 43.Kf2 Rh1 44.Kg2 Rxh4 45.Rc3 Ne6 46.Bb3 Nxf4+ 47.Kg3 Rh3+ 48.Kxf4 Rxc3 0-1 (48) Nikson135 (2607)-Niclasen,A (1448) Blitz 2023]

7.Bb3 Bxd4 8.Qxd4 d6 9.Qd1 Nf6 10.Nc3 Bb7 11.0-0 0-0 12.Bg5 h6 13.Bh4 Ng6 14.Bg3 Nxe4 15.Nxe4 Bxe4 16.Qg4 d5 17.f3 c5 18.fxe4 c4 19.Rad1 d4 20.e5 cxb3 21.axb3 Qc8 22.Rxd4 Qxc2 23.h4 Rae8 24.Rf5 Qxb3 25.h5 Ne7 26.Rf6 Kh8 27.Bh4 Ng8 28.Rxa6 Rxe5 29.Kh2 Qxb2 30.Rf4 Re2 31.Ra7 b4 32.Raxf7 Rxf7 33.Rxf7 Re8 34.Bf6 Qxf6 35.Rxf6 Nxf6 36.Qxb4 Nxh5 37.Qb5 Nf6 38.Qf5 Re4 39.Qc8+ ½-½ (39) mysterious_expert (2752)-Yolo_Gaming (2883) Blitz 2022

5.b4 Bxb4 6.c3 Be7 7.d4 Nf6 8.0-0 b5 9.Bb3 d6 10.h3 Bb7 11.a4 0-0 12.Re1 h6 13.Na3 Na5 14.Bc2 exd4 15.cxd4 b4 16.e5 bxa3 17.exf6 Bxf6 18.Qd3 g6 19.Bxh6 Re8 20.Qxa3 Bd5 21.Rxe8+ Qxe8 22.Re1 Qc6 23.Bd1 Nc4 24.Qc3 Nb6 25.Qe3 Be6 26.Ng5 Bf5 27.Bf3 d5 28.g4 Bd7 29.Qf4 Re8 30.Rc1 Qd6 31.Qxd6 cxd6 32.Rc7 Bxa4 33.Nxf7 Bxd4 34.Bf4 Bg7 35.Nxd6 Re1+ 36.Kg2 d4

37.Rb7 Rb1 38.Ne8 Bf8 39.Nf6+ 1-0 (39) quick_Mate (2689)-iamnoobgoeasy (2701) Blitz 2024

5.Qe2 Nf6

[5...Nge7 6.c3 0-0 *(6...Ng6 7.Bxc6 dxc6 8.d4 exd4 9.0-0 Bg4 10.Rd1 Nh4 11.cxd4 Qf6 12.Nbd2 Bxd4 13.e5 Bxf3 14.Nxf3 Nxf3+ 15.Qxf3 Qxf3 16.gxf3 Bb6 17.f4 g6 18.Be3 Rd8 19.Kg2 Ke7 20.Kf3 Rxd1 21.Rxd1 Rd8 22.Rxd8 Kxd8 23.f5 gxf5 24.Bxb6 cxb6 25.Kf4 c5 26.Kxf5 Ke7 27.Ke4 Ke6 28.f4 f5+ 29.Kd3 Kd5 30.b3 b5 31.Kc3 b4+ 32.Kd3 b5 33.Ke3 c4 34.Kd2 a5 35.Kc2 a4 36.Kb2 h5 37.h4 Kc5 38.Kc2 Kc6 39.Kb2 a3+ 40.Kc2 Kd5 41.Kc1 Kc5 42.Kc2 Kc6 43.Kc1 Kd5 44.Kc2 Ke6 45.Kc1 Kd5 46.Kc2 Kc6 47.Kb1 Kd5 48.Ka1 Ke6 49.Kb1 cxb3 50.axb3 Kd5 51.Kc2 Ke6 52.Kb1 Kd5 53.Ka2 Ke6 54.Ka1 Kd5 55.Kb1 Ke6 56.Ka2 Kd5 57.Kb1 Ke6 58.Kc1 Kd5 59.Kc2 Ke6 60.Kc1 Kd5 61.Kb1* ½-½ (61) miki_train (2616)-Dictator02 (2668) Blitz 2024*)* 7.0-0 Ba7 8.Rd1 d5 9.d3 Bg4 10.Nbd2 f5 11.Bb3 Kh8 12.h3 Bxf3 13.Nxf3 d4 14.Bg5 f4 15.Bd5 Qd6 16.Bxe7 Nxe7 17.Bxb7 Rab8 18.Bd5 Nxd5 19.exd5 Qxd5 20.Qxe5 Qxe5 21.Nxe5 Rxb2 22.c4 Rf5 23.Re1 h6 24.a4 Bc5 25.Nf3 Rf6 26.Re4 Rb3 27.Rd1 Ra3 28.Nxd4 Rxa4 29.Nb3 Ba7 30.c5 Rxe4 31.dxe4 Rc6 32.Rd5 Kg8 33.Kf1 Kf7 34.Ke2 Ke6 35.Kd3 a5 36.Nd4+ 1-0 (36) AfricanJo (2651)-PrinceFromNorthrend (2643) Blitz 2023]

6.c3 0-0 7.0-0 d6 8.h3

[8.d3 Ba7 9.Bg5 h6 10.Bh4 g5 11.Bg3 Nh7 12.Nbd2 h5 13.h4 Bg4 14.Qe1 Qf6 15.Kh1 b5 16.Bd1 gxh4 17.Nxh4 Ne7 18.Bxg4 hxg4 19.f4 Qh6 20.Qe2 Kh8 21.Qxg4 Ng6 22.Ndf3 exf4 23.Bf2 Rg8 24.Bxa7 Rxa7 25.Qh3 c5 26.Nf5 Qxh3+ 27.gxh3 Ne5 28.Nxd6 Nxd3 29.Rg1 Nxb2 30.Ne5 Rf8 31.Rg4 Nc4 32.Ndxc4 bxc4 33.Rag1 Re7 34.Nxc4 Rxe4 35.Nd6 Re7 36.Rxf4 Rd7 37.Ne4 f5 38.Nxc5 Re7 39.Rh4 Rg8 40.Rxg8+ Kxg8 41.Kg2 Re2+ 42.Kf3 Rxa2 43.Rh6 Kg7 44.Rxa6 Ng5+ 45.Kf4 Nxh3+ 46.Kxf5 Rxa6 47.Nxa6 Kf7 48.Ke5 Nf2 49.Kd5 Nd1 50.c4 Ne3+ 51.Kd4 Nxc4 52.Kxc4 ½-½ (52) miki_train (2613)-Fastchess2345 (2727) Blitz 2024]

8...b5 9.Bb3 Bb7 10.Rd1 Bb6 11.d3 h6 12.Nbd2 Re8 13.Nf1 d5 14.Ng3 d4 15.Nf5 Ne7 16.N3h4 Nxf5 17.Nxf5 Bc8 18.g4 Be6 19.Qf3 Bxb3 20.axb3 Nh7 21.c4 Kh8 22.b4 bxc4 23.dxc4 c5 24.bxc5 Bxc5 25.Bd2 a5 26.b3 Bb4 27.Bxb4 axb4 28.c5 Qf6 29.Kg2 Ng5 30.Qe2 Ne6 31.Nd6 Nf4+ 0-1 (31) elpayasodios (2662)-kletochkaa_2007 (2610) Blitz 2025

5.d4 exd4 6.0-0 Nge7 7.Ng5 Ng6 8.Qh5 Qe7 9.Bb3 Nd8 10.c3 Ne6 11.cxd4 Bxd4 12.Nc3 Bxc3 13.bxc3 d6 14.Nxh7 Nef8 15.Bg5 Rxh7 16.Qxh7 Qxg5 17.Qg8 Be6 18.Qxg7 0-0-0 19.f4 Qc5+ 20.Kh1 Bxb3 21.axb3 Qe3 22.Rae1 Qd2 23.Qxf7 Nh4 24.Qg7 Nfg6 25.Rg1 Qxf4 26.Ref1 Qxe4 27.Rf7 Qc6 28.c4 Ne5 29.Re7 Kb8 30.Qg5 Nhf3 31.gxf3 Nxf3 32.Qg2 Nxg1 33.Qxc6 bxc6 34.Kxg1 d5 35.cxd5 Rxd5 36.Re3 c5 37.h4 Kb7 38.Rh3 Rd7 39.h5 Kb6 40.h6 Rh7 41.Kg2 Kb5 42.Kg3 Kb4

43.Kg4 a5 44.Kg5 Rh8 45.Kg6 c4 46.bxc4 Kxc4 47.Kg7 Rd8 48.h7 Kb4 49.h8Q Rxh8 50.Rxh8 c5 51.Rb8+ Kc4 52.Kf6 a4 53.Ke5 a3 54.Ra8 Kb3 55.Kd5 Ka2 56.Kxc5 Kb2 57.Rb8+ Ka2 58.Kb4 Ka1 59.Rh8 a2 60.Rh1+ Kb2 61.Rh2+ 1-0 (61) gustamo (2617)-alfredogto (2616) Blitz 2024

[3] **6.Nc3** f6 7.d3 Ne7 8.Ne2
[8.Be3 Bd6 9.d4 Ng6 10.dxe5 fxe5 11.Qd3 0-0 12.Nd2 Nh4 13.Rg1 b5 14.0-0-0 Be6 15.Kb1 Qe7 16.Qe2 Bb4 17.Nb3 a5 18.a3 Bxb3 19.cxb3 Bxc3 20.bxc3 Qxa3 21.Qa2 Qxa2+ 22.Kxa2 h6 23.Kb2 a4 24.f3 axb3 25.Kxb3 Ra4 26.Bc5 Rfa8 27.Rd7 Ra2 28.Rxc7 R8a6 29.Bd6 Nxg2 30.Bxe5 g5 31.Rd1 R2a3+ 32.Kb4 R3a4+ 33.Kc5 Rc4+ 34.Kd6 Ne3 35.Rd3 Nc2 36.Ke6 c5+ 37.Kf5 Ra8 38.Rdd7 Ne3+ 39.Kg6 1-0 (39) Pichot,A (2642)-Santos Latasa,J (2656) chess.com INT 2023]
8...Be6 9.Ng3 Qd7
[9...h5 10.Be3 Bd6 11.h3 h4 12.Nf1 Qd7 13.N1d2 0-0-0 14.Qe2 g5 15.0-0-0 Bxa2 16.Nc4 b5 17.Nxd6+ Qxd6 18.d4 Bc4 19.Qe1 Qe6 20.Qa5 Kb7 21.dxe5 c5 22.b3 Bxb3 23.cxb3 Qxb3 24.Nd2 Qe6 25.Qc3 c4 26.Nf3 Nc6 27.exf6 b4 28.Nxg5 Qg8 29.f7 Qg6 30.Qxc4 Ne5 31.Qxb4+ Ka8 32.Qc5 1-0 (32) c5gambit (2610)-spectraline (2568) Blitz 2022]
10.Be3 Bd6 11.Nh4 0-0-0 12.Qf3 h5 13.h3 g5 14.Nhf5 h4 15.Nxe7+ Bxe7 16.Nf5 Bxf5 17.Qxf5 Qxf5 18.exf5 Rd5 19.Ke2 Rhd8 20.Kf3 Bc5 21.Ke4 Bxe3 22.fxe3 Kd7 23.Rag1 Ke7 24.g3 hxg3 25.Rxg3 Kf7 26.h4 gxh4 27.Rg6 Rh8 28.Rh3 Rdd8 29.Rg4 Rdg8 30.Rgxh4 Rg4+ 31.Rxg4 Rxh3 32.Rg2 a5 33.b3 b5 34.a3 c5 35.Re2 c6 36.Rg2 a4 37.bxa4 Rh4+ 38.Kf3 Rxa4 39.Rh2 Rxa3 40.Rh7+ Kg8 41.Rc7 Rc3 42.Rxc6 Kg7 43.Rc7+ Kh6 44.Kg4 Rxc2 45.Rf7 Rg2+ 46.Kf3 Rd2 47.Rxf6+ Kg5 48.Rc6 Kxf5 49.Rxc5 Rxd3 50.Rxb5 ½-½ (50) Mortatill (2718)-AnonymousGMplayer (2704) Blitz 2021

6.0-0 Bg4
[6...Qf6 7.d3 *(7.h3 h6 8.b4 Ba7 9.Bb2 Bd4 10.Nxd4 exd4 11.e5 Qd8 12.d3 Ne7 13.Nd2 b6 14.f4 h5 15.a4 Qd5 16.a5 Bb7 17.Qf3 c5 18.Qxd5 Bxd5 19.bxc5 bxc5 20.Ba3 Nf5 21.Bxc5 Rb8 22.Rfb1 Kd7 23.Kf2 h4 24.Nf3 Bxf3 25.Kxf3 Kc6 26.Ke4 Kxc5 27.Kxf5 Kd5 28.Kg4 g6 29.Rxb8 Rxb8 30.Kxh4 Rb2 31.Rc1 Ra2 32.Kg5 Rxa5 33.Kf6 Rb5 34.Kxf7 Rb6 35.Re1 Re6 36.g4 a5 37.f5 gxf5 38.gxf5 Rxe5 39.Rxe5+ Kxe5 40.Kg6 a4 41.f6 a3 42.f7 a2 43.f8Q a1Q 44.Qf5+ Kd6 45.h4 Qg1+ 46.Kf7 Qh2 47.h5 Qxc2 48.h6 Qa2+ 49.Kf8 Qa8+ 50.Kg7 c5 51.h7 Qb7+ 52.Qf7 Qb1 53.h8Q Qxd3 54.Qd8+ Kc6 55.Qfc7+ Kb5 56.Qa5+ Kc4 57.Qg8#* 1-0 (57) RaskolnikovRebel (2611)-killermania (2526) Rapid 2022 *)* 7...h6 *(7...Ne7 8.Bg5 Qd6 9.Nbd2 f6 10.Nc4 Qd8 11.Be3 Bxe3 12.Nxe3 c5 13.Nh4 0-0 14.g3 Bh3 15.Nhg2 Qd4 16.b3 Rad8 17.Qh5 Bxg2 18.Kxg2 b5 19.a4 c6 20.axb5 axb5 21.Ra7 Rd7 22.Rfa1 Rfd8 23.Qg4 Qd6 24.h4 Kh8 25.h5 h6 26.R1a6 Kh7 27.Ra8 Qc7 28.Nf5 Nxf5 29.Qxf5+ Kh8 30.Rxd8+ Rxd8 31.Qe6 Rc8 32.Ra7 Qxa7 33.Qxc8+ Kh7 34.Qxc6 b4 35.Qc8 Qe7*

36.Qf5+ Kh8 37.Kh3 Qd6 38.Kg4 Qd4 39.Qf3 Qd7+ 40.Kh4 Qd4 41.Qe3 Qc3 42.Qe2 Qd4 43.Kh3 Kg8 44.Kg2 Kf7 45.f4 Qd6 46.Qg4 Qd4 47.Qc8 exf4 48.gxf4 Qe3 49.Qd7+ Kg8 50.Qe8+ Kh7 51.Qg6+ Kh8 52.Qg3 Qe2+ 53.Qf2 Qg4+ 54.Qg3 Qxh5 55.Qe3 Qg4+ 56.Kf2 Qh4+ 57.Qg3 Qh5 58.f5 Qd1 59.Qg6 Qxc2+ 60.Ke3 Qxb3 61.Qe8+ Kh7 62.Qg6+ Kh8 63.Qe8+ Qg8 64.Qc6 b3 65.Kd2 Qb8 66.Kc1 h5 67.Kb2 Kh7 0-1 (67) Hammer,J (2625)-Sattarov,B (2433) chess.com INT 2022*)* 8.Be3 Bd6 9.Nbd2 Ne7 10.Nc4 Ng6 11.d4 Bg4 12.c3 b5 13.Nxd6+ cxd6 14.h3 Bxf3 15.Qxf3 Qxf3 16.gxf3 0-0 17.Rfd1 f5 18.Kf1 Rf6 19.Ke2 Raf8 20.dxe5 dxe5 21.Rg1 Kh7 22.Rad1 R8f7 23.exf5 Rxf5 24.Rd6 Nf4+ 25.Kd2 Nxh3 26.Rh1 Rxf3 27.Rxc6 Nxf2 28.Rg1 Ne4+ 29.Kd3 Ng5 30.Rxa6 Rh3 31.Re1 Rff3 32.Ra7 Rfg3 33.Re7 e4+ 34.Ke2 0-1 (34) AMR25 (2646)-alfredogto (2605) Blitz 2024]

[6...Bd6 7.d3 Ne7 8.Nbd2 c5 9.Nc4 Nc6 10.a4 0-0 11.h3 Re8 12.b3 b6 13.Kh1 Bf8 14.Bb2 f6 15.Nh4 Be6 16.Nf5 Qd7 17.Nfe3 b5 18.Nd2 Rad8 19.axb5 axb5 20.f4 exf4 21.Rxf4 Nd4 22.g4 Bd6 23.Rf1 Be5 24.Rb1 g6 25.Bxd4 cxd4 26.Ng2 c5 27.Nf3 Bc7 28.Ra1 Kh8 29.Qd2 Qd6 30.Ngh4 Kg7 31.Qg2 Ra8 32.Nf5+ Bxf5 33.gxf5 Rxa1 34.Rxa1 Qf4 35.fxg6 hxg6 36.Rg1 g5 37.Qg4 Qxg4 38.hxg4 Ra8 39.Rg2 Bf4 40.Re2 Kf7 41.b4 Be5 42.bxc5 Rc8 43.Kg2 Rxc5 44.Kf2 Ke6 45.Ke1 Rc3 46.Kd1 b4 47.Nxe5 fxe5 48.Rd2 b3 49.cxb3 Rxb3 50.Ke2 Rb1 51.Ra2 Rg1 52.Ra6+ Kf7 53.Ra7+ Kf6 54.Ra6+ Kf7 55.Ra7+ Kf6 56.Ra6+ Kf7 ½-½ (56) AliciaKane (2640)-HorstBrack (2574) Blitz 2022]

[6...f6 7.c3 Bg4 8.h3 Bh5 9.g4 Bg6 10.d4 Bd6 11.Nbd2 exd4 12.cxd4 Qe7 13.e5 fxe5 14.dxe5 Bc5 15.Nc4 Qe6 16.Qb3 Bf7 17.Qxb7 1-0 (17) Isco95 (2612)-schnauders (2414) Blitz 2024]

7.h3 Bxf3 8.Qxf3 Ne7

[8...Qf6 9.Qxf6 Nxf6 10.d3 h6 11.Be3 Bxe3 12.fxe3 0-0 13.Nd2 Nd7 14.Kf2 f6 15.Ke2 c5 16.h4 Kf7 17.h5 Ke6 18.Nf3 f5 19.exf5+ Rxf5 20.g4 Rf7 21.Nh4 Nf6 22.Rg1 e4 23.Raf1 Rd8 24.Rf5 b6 25.Ng6 exd3+ 26.cxd3 Rfd7 27.Nf4+ Kf7 28.g5 hxg5 29.Rfxg5 Rg8 30.e4 c4 31.e5 Nd5 32.e6+ 1-0 (32) Retro23 (2623)-spectraline (2551) Blitz 2022]

9.d3 0-0 10.Qg3 Ng6 11.Nd2 f5 12.exf5 Rxf5 13.Ne4 Ba7 14.Be3 Nf4 15.Rae1 Qf8 16.Bxf4 exf4 17.Qf3 Qf7 18.b3 Rf8 19.Re2 Qg6 20.Rfe1 h6 21.c3 Bc5 22.Nxc5 Rxc5 23.d4 Rcf5 24.Re7 R5f7 25.R1e4 Qg5 26.R4e5 Qxe7 27.Rxe7 Rxe7 28.Kh2 Rf6 29.h4 Kf7 30.Qh5+ Kg8 31.Qg4 f3 32.gxf3 Ref7 33.Kg3 Kh7 34.f4 Rg6 0-1 (34) ertras (2654)-Alfredo2345 (2605) Blitz 2025

6.c3 f6 7.d4 exd4 8.Nxd4 Bxd4 9.cxd4 Be6 10.0-0 Ne7 11.Be3 0-0 12.Nc3 Qd7 13.f3 Rad8 14.Rc1 f5 15.b3 Kh8 16.Qd3 Ng6 17.Rfd1 fxe4 18.Nxe4 Bf5 19.Qd2 Rfe8 20.Bg5 Rb8 21.Nc5 Qd5 22.Na4 Re6 23.Rc5 Qd7 24.Rxf5 b6 25.d5 cxd5 26.Rxd5 Qf7 27.Nc3 Rbe8 28.Ne4 Ne5 29.Qf4 Qg6 30.Rxe5 Rxe5 31.Rd7 h6 32.Bh4 Qc6 33.Rd1 Qg6 34.Bg3 R5e7 35.h4 Rf7

36.Qg4 Qxg4 37.fxg4 Rxe4 38.g5 hxg5 39.hxg5 Kh7 40.Rf1 Rxf1+ 41.Kxf1 Kg6 42.Bxc7 b5 43.Bb6 Kxg5 44.Kf2 Re6 45.Bd4 g6 46.Kf3 Kf5 47.g4+ Kg5 48.Kg3 Re4 0-1 (48) MestreSilva (2632)-spectraline (2572) Blitz 2022

4 **6...Bd6** 7.Nbd2
[7.b3 c5 8.Bb2 f6 9.Nbd2 Ne7 10.Qe2 Nc6 11.0-0-0 Be6 12.Kb1 a5 13.Nc4 a4 14.h4 b5 15.Nxd6+ Qxd6 16.h5 axb3 17.axb3 Nd4 18.Nxd4 cxd4 19.h6 g5 20.g3 c5 21.f4 c4 22.fxe5 fxe5 23.Qh5+ Bf7 24.Qxg5 c3 25.Rdf1 cxb2 26.Qg7 Ra1+ 0-1 (26) TabletopWarrior (2674)-zvonokchess (2864) Blitz 2023]
[7.Nc3 Ne7 8.h3 f6 9.Ne2 c5 10.Be3 Be6 11.Qd2 Qd7 12.a4 a5 13.b3 b6 14.Ng3 h5 15.h4 Bg4 16.Nh2 Be6 17.Ne2 Nc6 18.f4 Nd4 19.f5 Bf7 20.Ng3 0-0-0 21.0-0 Rdg8 22.Rf2 g6 23.Raf1 Be7 24.fxg6 Rxg6 25.Nf5 Nxf5 26.Rxf5 Be6 27.R5f3 Rhg8 28.R1f2 Bg4 29.Rg3 Be6 30.Rxg6 Rxg6 31.Qe2 Bg4 32.Nxg4 Rxg4 33.Qf3 Rxh4 34.Qf5 Qxf5 35.Rxf5 Kd7 36.Bf2 Rg4 37.Rxh5 Ke6 38.g3 Rg8 39.Kg2 c6 40.Kf3 Rb8 41.Rh1 b5 42.Ra1 b4 43.Rh1 Rg8 44.Rh7 Rg6 45.Rh8 Bd6 46.Ra8 Rh6 47.Kg2 Bc7 48.Bxc5 Kd7 49.Rf8 Rg6 50.Rf7+ Kc8 51.Be7 Bd8 52.Rf8 Kd7 53.Bxd8 Ke6 54.Rxf6+ Rxf6 55.Bxf6 Kxf6 56.Kh3 c5 57.Kh4 Kg6 58.g4 Kf6 59.Kh5 Ke6 60.g5 Kd6 61.Kh6 c4 62.dxc4 Kc5 63.g6 Kd4 64.g7 Kc3 65.g8Q Kb2 66.Qd5 Kc3 67.Qxe5+ Kxc2 68.Qxa5 Kb1 69.Qxb4 Ka2 70.c5 Kb1 71.Qb5 Ka2 72.b4 Kb1 73.a5 Ka2 74.Qe2+ Kb1 75.c6 Ka1 76.c7 Kb1 77.c8Q Ka1 78.Qc1# 1-0 (78) chessiando (2610)-spectraline (2576) Blitz 2025]
7...Ne7
[7...Qe7 8.a4 Be6 9.a5 Nf6 10.b3 Nd7 11.Nc4 f6 12.Nh4 g6 13.0-0 f5 14.exf5 Bxc4 15.Qg4 Bf7 16.fxg6 hxg6 17.Nxg6 Bxg6 18.Qxg6+ Qf7 19.Qxf7+ Kxf7 20.f4 Ke6 21.Bb2 Rh5 22.Rae1 Rah8 23.h3 Rg8 24.fxe5 Be7 25.Kh2 Rhg5 26.g4 c5 27.Kg3 Rh5 28.Re4 Rh7 29.c4 Rgh8 30.Rh1 Rf7 31.b4 Rhf8 32.Re3 Bg5 33.Rhe1 Bxe3 34.Rxe3 cxb4 35.d4 c6 36.h4 Rf2 37.Bc1 Rf1 38.Bd2 Rd1 39.Bxb4 Rff1 0-1 (39) doreality (2772)-coluichenontiaspetti (2721) Blitz 2021]
8.Nc4 Ng6 9.h4
[9.Bg5 f6 10.Be3 Be6 11.Na5 *(11.Nxd6+ cxd6 12.Qd2 0-0 13.d4 Bg4 14.0-0-0 d5 15.dxe5 Nxe5 16.Qe2 Qa5 17.Kb1 dxe4* 0-1 (17) MadcapRevenge (2725)-spectraline (2526) Blitz 2024*)* 11...b6 12.Nb7 Qd7 13.Nxd6+ Qxd6 14.Nd2 c5 15.a4 a5 16.b3 0-0-0 17.Nc4 Qc6 18.Qh5 Qd7 19.h3 Nf4 20.Bxf4 exf4 21.0-0 g5 22.Rfe1 Qg7 23.e5 f5 24.Nd2 h6 25.Qf3 Bd5 26.Qe2 Rhe8 27.f3 Re6 28.c3 Bb7 29.Nc4 g4 30.fxg4 fxg4 31.Qxg4 Qf7 32.Rf1 f3 33.Rae1 Rg8 34.Qh4 Rxg2+ 35.Kh1 Re2 0-1 (35) doreality (2776)-KKlie4 (2762) Blitz 2021]
9...h5 10.Bg5 f6 11.Bd2 Bg4 12.Ne3 Qd7 13.g3 Be6 14.Nc4 0-0-0 15.Nxd6+ cxd6 16.Ba5 Bg4 17.Bxd8 Rxd8 18.Qe2 d5 19.Qe3 d4 20.Qe2 f5 21.0-0-0 Rf8 22.Rde1 Rf6 23.Rhg1 fxe4 24.Nxe5 Nxe5 25.Qxe4 Nf3 26.Qe8+ Qxe8 27.Rxe8+ Kd7 28.Ree1

Nxg1 29.Rxg1 Rxf2 30.Rf1 Rxf1+ 0-1 (30) doreality (2776)-KKlie4 (2762) Blitz 2021

6...Bg4 7.Be3

[7.h3 Bxf3 *(7...Bh5 8.Nbd2 f6 9.a3 Ne7 10.b4 Bd4 11.Rb1 Bf7 12.Nxd4 Qxd4 13.0-0 g5 14.Qf3 Qd6 15.a4 b6 16.a5 b5 17.Qe3 Ng6 18.Nb3 Bxb3 19.Rxb3 0-0 20.Qf3 Ne7 21.Be3 Qe6 22.Bc5 Rfd8 23.Qg4 Kf7 24.Rc3 Ng6 25.g3 Rd7 26.Be3 Qxg4 27.hxg4 Rd6 28.Kg2 Rh8 29.Rh1 Kg7 30.Rh5 Rhd8 31.Bc5 Re6 32.Rb3 Nh8 33.Rb1 Nf7 34.Rbh1 h6 35.Kf3 Rd7 36.Ke3 Rd8 37.f4 exf4+ 38.gxf4 gxf4+ 39.Kxf4 Kg6 40.Ke3 Kg7 41.Rf5 Ne5 42.Rg1 Nf7 43.Rf2 Kg6 44.Rgf1 Ne5 45.Rf4 Nf7 46.Rg1 Rd7 47.Kd2 Rd8 48.Be3 Rdd6 49.c3 Ne5 50.Kc2 Nxd3 51.Rf3 Ne5 52.Rh3 Nf7 53.Rgh1 Rxe4 54.Bxh6 Rxg4 55.Bc1 Rg2+ 56.Kb3 Rd5 57.R3h2 Rxh2 58.Rxh2 c5 59.Rg2+ Kf5 60.c4 bxc4+ 61.Kxc4 Rd1 62.Rf2+ Ke6 63.Bb2 cxb4 64.Rxf6+ Ke7 65.Rxa6 Rd6 66.Ra7 Kd7 67.Kxb4 Kc8 68.Ra8+ Kb7 69.Rf8 Nd8 70.Be5 Nc6+ 71.Kb5 Nxe5 72.Rf5 Nd7 73.a6+ Rxa6 74.Rf7 Rb6+ 75.Ka5 Ne5 76.Rh7 Nc6+ 77.Ka4 Rb4+ 78.Ka3 Rd4 79.Kb3 Na7 80.Kc3 Rd8 81.Kc4 Kb6 82.Rg7 c6 83.Rh7 Nb5 84.Rg7 Rd4+ 85.Kb3 Rh4 86.Rg5 Nc7 87.Rf5 Nd5 88.Rg5 Kc5 89.Rg1 Rh3+ 90.Kc2 Kb5 91.Rg6 c5 92.Rg5 Nb4+ 93.Kd2 Nc6 94.Rg8 Nd4 95.Rb8+ Kc4 96.Rc8 Rh2+ 97.Kc1 Nb3+ 98.Kd1 Kc3 99.Rg8 Rh1+ 100.Ke2 c4 101.Rg3+ Kc2 102.Rg4 c3 103.Rc4 Nc1+ 104.Ke3 Re1+ 105.Kd4 Rd1+ 106.Kc5 Nd3+ 107.Kb5 Nb2 108.Rc8 Kb3 109.Rh8 Rd5+ 110.Kc6 Rg5 111.Rh3 Na4 112.Kd6 Kb2 113.Ke6 c2 114.Kf6 Rb5 115.Rh2 Kb1 116.Rh1+ c1Q 117.Rxc1+ Kxc1 118.Ke6 Rb2 119.Kd6 Nc3 120.Kc5 Ne2 121.Kc4 Rd2 122.Kb3 Rd4 123.Ka2 Kc2 124.Ka3 Re4* 0-1 (124) Wagner,D (2613)-McCoy,O (2085) chess.com INT 2024 *)* 8.Qxf3 Nf6 9.0-0 Qe7 10.Bg5 0-0-0 11.Bxf6 Qxf6 12.Qxf6 gxf6 13.Nd2 Rhg8 14.Nf3 a5 15.Nh4 a4 16.Nf5 b5 17.g3 Kb7 18.Kg2 Bd4 19.Rab1 b4 20.b3 Bc3 21.bxa4 Ka6 22.Ne7 Ka5 23.Nxc6+ Kxa4 24.Nxd8 Rxd8 25.Rb3 c5 26.a3 Kb5 27.Rfb1 Ka4 28.axb4 cxb4 29.Rxc3 bxc3 30.Kf3 Rd4 31.Kg4 Rd6 32.Kf5 Rc6 33.h4 Ka3 34.h5 h6 35.Rb7 Ka2 36.f4 exf4 37.gxf4 Ka3 38.d4 Rc4 39.d5 Rd4 40.Rb3+ 1-0 (40) doreality (2762)-KKlie4 (2778) Blitz 2021]

7...Bd6 8.h3 Bh5 9.Nbd2 f6

[9...Ne7 10.a4 f6 11.a5 Qd7 12.Nb3 0-0 13.Nc5 Qc8 14.c3 Kh8 15.Qb3 Rb8 16.Qe6 Qe8 17.Qd7 Qf7 18.Qe6 Qe8 19.Qd7 b6 20.Qxe8 Rfxe8 21.Nxa6 Rb7 22.axb6 cxb6 23.Nb4 Rd8 24.Ke2 Bf7 25.Ra6 c5 26.Nc2 Nc6 27.Rha1 Rbb8 28.Nd2 Bc7 29.Bxc5 Rd7 30.Be3 Na5 31.b4 Nc6 32.b5 Na5 33.Bxb6 Bxb6 34.Rxb6 Rxb6 35.Rxa5 h5 36.Nb4 Rbd6 37.c4 Rd4 38.Nd5 Bxd5 39.exd5 Kh7 40.Nf3 Rf4 41.g3 Rf5 42.h4 Re7 43.Ke3 1-0 (43) doreality (2674)-ikica77 (2609) Blitz 2021]

10.g4 Bf7 11.Nh4 Ne7 12.Qf3 Qd7 13.Nf5 Nxf5 14.exf5 Bb4 15.c3 Be7 16.Ne4 Qxd3 17.Rd1 Qc2 18.0-0 Bd5 19.Rxd5 cxd5 20.Ng3 c6 21.Nh5 Rg8

22.Bc1 0-0-0 23.Qe3 g6 24.Ng3 gxf5 0-1 (24) doreality (2774)-KKlie4 (2760) Blitz 2021

6...Ne7 7.Qe2

[7.Be3 Bd6 *(7...Bxe3 8.fxe3 f6 9.Nbd2 Be6 10.Qe2 Qd6 11.d4 0-0-0 12.0-0-0 Bxa2 13.Nc4 Bxc4 14.Qxc4 exd4 15.Nxd4 Qe5 16.Nf3 b5 17.Nxe5 bxc4 18.Nxc4 Ng6 19.Rd4 c5 20.Rd5 Rxd5 21.exd5 Re8 22.Rf1 Ne5 23.Na5 Ng4 24.Rf4 Nxe3 25.c4 Kd7 26.g3 h5 27.h3 Ke7 28.Kd2 Kf7 29.Rf3 Ng2 30.Rf2 Ne3 31.Re2 Nf5 32.Rxe8 Kxe8 33.g4 hxg4 34.hxg4 Nh6 35.g5 fxg5 36.Nb7 Nf5 37.Nxc5 a5 38.Nb7 a4 39.Nc5 Nd6 40.Kd3 g4 41.Nxa4 g3 42.Nc3 g2 43.Ne2 g5 44.b3 Ke7 45.Ke3 Nf5+ 46.Kf2 Nh4 47.c5 Ng6 48.b4 Ne5 49.Kxg2 Nd3 50.Nd4 Nf4+ 51.Kf3 Nxd5 52.b5 Kd7 53.Kg4 Nc3 54.Kf5 g4 55.c6+ Kd6 56.Kxg4 Nd5 57.Kf5 Kc5 58.Ke4 Nc3+ 59.Kd3 Nxb5 60.Ne6+ Kb6 61.Nxc7 Nxc7 62.Kc4 Ka6 63.Kd4 Nb5+ 64.Kc4 Kb6 65.Kd3 Nc7 66.Kd2 Ka7 67.Kc2 Ka6* 0-1 (67) Nikson135 (2629)-LordBalrog (2650) Blitz 2023*)* 8.Nbd2 0-0 *(8...Ng6 9.h3 0-0 10.Nc4 Re8 11.a4 a5 12.Qd2 Bb4 13.c3 Bf8 14.0-0 f6 15.Rfe1 Be6 16.Rad1 b5 17.Na3 Bxa3 18.bxa3 Bb3 19.Rb1 Bxa4 20.d4 exd4 21.Bxd4 Qd6 22.Rb2 c5 23.Be3 Qe7 24.Qd5+ Kh8 25.Bxc5 Qe6 26.Qxe6 Rxe6 27.Nd4 Re5* 0-1 (27) Lonesome_lion (2606)-mocaspoke (2569) Blitz 2021*)* 9.Nc4 Ng6 10.h4 *(10.0-0 c5 11.c3 f6 12.d4 cxd4 13.cxd4 Be6 14.d5 Bd7 15.Na5 b6 16.Nc6 Qe8 17.Rc1 h6 18.Nd2 Nf4 19.Bxf4 exf4 20.Re1 Qf7 21.Nc4 Bxc6 22.Nxd6 cxd6 23.Rxc6 Qd7 24.f3 Rfc8 25.Qc2 Rxc6 26.dxc6 Qe6 27.c7 Rc8 28.Qc6 Qe5 29.Qxb6 Qc5+ 30.Qxc5 dxc5 31.Rc1 Rxc7 32.Rc4 Kf7 33.b4 Ke7 34.bxc5 Kd7 35.a4 Kc6 36.g3 fxg3 37.hxg3 Rd7 38.Kf2 Rd3 39.f4 g5 40.e5 fxe5 41.f5 g4 42.f6 Rf3+ 43.Ke2 Rxf6 44.Rxg4 Kxc5 45.Ke3 Kd5 46.Rb4 Rg6 47.Kf3 Rc6 48.a5 Rc3+ 49.Kg4 Ra3 50.Rb6 Rxa5 51.Rxh6 Ra1 52.Rh8 a5 53.Rd8+ Ke6 54.Ra8 a4 55.Kf3 a3 56.Kg2 e4 57.g4 a2 58.g5 e3 59.g6 Kf6 60.Ra6+ Kg7 61.Kf3 Rf1+* 0-1 (61) Nikolaj_6 (2607)-Fightbro (2626) Blitz 2023*)* 10...f6 11.h5 Ne7 12.Nh4 Be6 13.Qf3 Qd7 14.Nxd6 cxd6 15.Qg3 d5 16.Bc5 Rf7 17.h6 g5 18.Nf3 Ng6 19.Be3 d4 20.Bd2 c5 21.Bxg5 fxg5 22.Nxe5 Nxe5 23.Qxe5 Qe7 24.Rh5 Qf6 25.Rxg5+ Kf8 26.Qxc5+ Ke8 27.0-0-0 Kd7 28.Re5 Qxf2 29.c4 dxc3 30.Qxf2 Rxf2 31.bxc3 Rg8 32.Rd2 Rgxg2 33.Rxf2 Rxf2 34.c4 Rh2 35.a4 Rxh6 36.Kd2 Rh3 37.a5 h5 38.d4 h4 39.d5 Rh2+ 40.Ke3 Bg4 41.Rg5 Bd1 42.c5 h3 43.Rg7+ Ke8 44.Rxb7 Re2+ 45.Kd4 h2 46.Rh7 Rc2 47.Rh8+ Kf7 48.c6 Kg6 49.Rxh2 Rxh2 50.c7 Rc2 51.d6 Kf7 52.Kd5 Ke8 53.e5 Bg4 54.e6 Rd2+ 55.Ke5 Re2+ 56.Kd5 Bxe6+ 57.Kc6 Bc8 58.Kb6 Rc2 59.Ka7 Kd7 60.Kb8 Rb2+ 61.Ka8 1-0 (61) doreality (2676)-ikica77 (2606) Blitz 2021]

[7.Nbd2 Ng6 8.Nc4 Qe7 9.Bg5 f6 10.Be3 Be6 11.Qe2 0-0-0 12.0-0-0 h5 13.Kb1 h4 14.h3 Bxc4 15.dxc4 Bxe3 16.fxe3 Rxd1+ 17.Rxd1 Nf8 18.b3 Ne6 19.a4 Nc5 20.Qe1 g5 21.g3 hxg3 22.Qxg3 Kb8 23.Qg4

Qe6 24.Qxe6 Nxe6 25.Ng1 Nc5 26.Rf1 Nxe4 27.Kb2 Kc8 28.a5 Kd7 29.b4 Ke6 30.Kb3 Nd2+ 0-1 (30) markb0716 (2630)-IMFAR (2728) Blitz 2023]

7...Ng6 8.Be3 Bd6 9.Nbd2 Be6 10.h3 f6 11.d4 Qe7 12.c3 0-0 13.0-0 Rad8 14.Rfe1 Kh8 15.a3 h6 16.Rac1 b6 17.Qxa6 exd4 18.cxd4 c5 19.dxc5 bxc5 20.Qe2 Nf4 21.Bxf4 Bxf4 22.Rc2 Rb8 23.Nc4 Rfd8 24.e5 Bxc4 25.Qxc4 Bxe5 26.Rce2 Qf8 27.Nxe5 fxe5 28.Rxe5 Rxb2 29.Qxc5 Qxc5 30.Rxc5 Rdd2 31.Rf5 Rd7 32.Re3 Ra2 33.Ref3 Kh7 34.h4 c6 35.h5 Ra7 36.Rc5 R2xa3 37.Rxa3 Rxa3 38.Rxc6 Ra5 39.g4 Ra4 40.f3 Ra2 41.Re6 Rb2 42.Kf1 Kg8 43.Re2 Rb3 44.Kf2 Kf7 45.Re3 Rb4 46.Kg3 Ra4 47.Re4 Ra3 48.Kf4 Rb3 49.Rd4 Ra3 50.Rd7+ Kf6 51.Rd6+ Kf7 52.Rc6 Rb3 53.Ke4 Ra3 54.Rc5 Rb3 55.f4 Rb6 56.g5 hxg5 57.fxg5 Rb7 58.Kf5 Ra7 59.Rd5 Rb7 60.g6+ Ke7 61.Kg5 Rb1 62.Rf5 Rg1+ 63.Kh4 Rh1+ 64.Kg3 Rg1+ 65.Kh2 Rg4 66.Rf7+ Ke6 67.Kh3 Rg1 68.Rxg7 Kf6 69.Rh7 Rh1+ 70.Kg4 Rg1+ 71.Kf4 Rf1+ 72.Ke4 Re1+ 73.Kd3 Rd1+ 74.Ke2 Rh1 75.g7 Kf7 76.h6 Rh2+ 77.Kf3 Rh3+ 78.Kg4 Rh1 79.Rh8 Rg1+ 80.Kh5 Rh1+ 81.Kg5 Rg1+ 82.Kf4 Rf1+ 83.Ke3 Rg1 84.Kf2 Rg6 85.g8Q+ Rxg8 86.Rxg8 Kxg8 87.h7+ Kxh7 ½-½ (87) Nadigraj (2677)-solxe (2609) Blitz 2023

6...Nf6 7.Nbd2

[7.0-0 Qe7 8.h3 0-0 9.Be3 Re8 10.Nbd2 Nd7 11.Nc4 b6 12.a3 a5 13.Qe2 Ba6 14.Bxc5 Qxc5 15.Ne3 g6 16.Qd2 Nf6 17.Nh2 Rad8 18.Qc1 h5 19.Kh1 Kg7 20.f4 Nxe4 21.f5 Ng3+ 22.Kg1 Ne2+ 0-1 (22) mrchess2013 (2636)-czechitout28 (2715) Blitz 2022]

7...Be6 8.0-0 Nd7 9.Re1 0-0 10.Nf1 f6 11.Ng3 Rf7 12.c3 Bf8 13.d4 exd4 14.cxd4 Nb6 15.b3 a5 16.Qc2 a4 17.Bb2 Bb4 18.Re3 axb3 19.axb3 Rxa1+ 20.Bxa1 Qa8 21.Bb2 Qa2 22.d5 cxd5 23.Nd4 Bd7 24.e5 fxe5 25.Rxe5 c5 26.Nf3 Ba3 27.Ng5 g6 28.Nxf7 Qxb2 29.Qxb2 Bxb2 30.Re7 Bg7 31.Ne5 Bxe5 32.Rxe5 Bc6 33.Re7 d4 34.Kf1 Nd5 35.Re6 Kf7 36.Re5 Kf6 37.Re1 Nc3 38.f3 b5 39.Kf2 c4 40.bxc4 bxc4 41.Ne2 Nxe2 42.Kxe2 Bb5 43.Kd2 c3+ 44.Kc2 g5 45.Re4 d3+ 46.Kxc3 Bd7 47.Kd2 Bf5 48.Rd4 Bg6 49.Rxd3 Bxd3 50.Kxd3 Kf5 51.Ke3 Ke5 52.g4 Kf6 53.h3 Kg6 54.Ke4 Kf6 55.f4 Kg6 56.f5+ Kf6 57.Kd5 h6 58.Kd6 Kf7 0-1 (58) AMR25 (2662)-promacherrrr (2780) Blitz 2024

5 **7.0-0** Ne7 8.Nbd2

[8.Be3 Bd6 9.Nbd2 0-0 10.Nc4 Bg4 11.h3 Bh5 12.g4 Bf7 13.Nxd6 cxd6 14.Nh4 d5 15.Nf5 Kh8 16.Nxe7 Qxe7 17.Qf3 Rad8 18.Rad1 Be6 19.Qg2 Qf7 20.f3 Qg6 21.b3 Rd7 22.Bc5 Rfd8 23.Bb6 Re8 24.a4 Kg8 25.a5 Rf7 26.Be3 Rfe7 27.Qg3 Qf7 28.Kg2 Rd7 29.h4 Red8 30.h5 h6 31.Bb6 Re8 32.Rde1 Qe7 33.f4 dxe4 34.fxe5 fxe5 35.dxe4 Rd2+ 36.Rf2 Rxf2+ 37.Bxf2 Qb4 38.Qxe5 Bf7 39.Qc5 Qd2 40.Qe3 Qxa5 41.e5 Bd5+ 42.Kg3 Qd8 43.c4 Be6 44.Re2 Qe7 45.Rd2 Rf8 46.Qe4 Qf7 47.Re2 b5 48.Bc5 Re8 49.Rf2 Qd7 50.Qd4 Qd8 51.Qxd8 Rxd8 52.cxb5 axb5 53.b4 Rd5 54.Bd6 Rd4 55.Rf4 Rd3+ 56.Kf2 Rd5 57.Ke3 Rd1 58.g5 Re1+ 59.Kf2 Rh1 60.gxh6 Rxh5 61.Rf6 gxf6

62.exf6 Kf7 63.h7 Rxh7 64.Be7 Rh6 65.Ke3 Rxf6 66.Bc5 Rf5 67.Kd4 Rh5 68.Bd6 Rh4+ 69.Kc5 Rc4+ 70.Kb6 Ke8 71.Be5 Kd7 72.Bd6 Rxb4 73.Bxb4 Bd5 74.Bc5 Ke6 75.Ka5 Kf5 76.Kb4 Ke4 77.Bb6 Kd3 78.Ba5 1-0 (78) Mischuk_D (2632)-VinkelPernik (2638) Blitz 2021]

8...Bd6

[8...Be6 9.Qe1 0-0 10.Nb3 Bd6 11.Nh4 Ng6 12.Nf5 Bxf5 13.exf5 Ne7 14.Qe4 Qd7 15.g4 g6 16.fxg6 hxg6 17.h3 Kg7 18.f4 f5 19.Qe2 exf4 20.Bxf4 Bxf4 21.Rxf4 Nd5 22.Qe5+ Kh7 23.Qd4 Qd6 24.Rf2 Qg3+ 25.Rg2 Qe3+ 26.Qxe3 Nxe3 27.Re2 f4 28.Kf2 Rae8 29.Nd4 g5 30.Nf3 Kg6 31.d4 Re7 32.Ne5+ Kh7 33.Rae1 c5 34.Nf3 Kg6 35.dxc5 Rfe8 36.Nd4 Re5 37.Nf5 Rxc5 38.Nxe3 fxe3+ 39.Rxe3 Rxc2+ 40.R3e2 Rf8+ 41.Kg2 Rc5 42.Re6+ Rf6 43.Rxf6+ Kxf6 44.Kg3 Rd5 45.Rf1+ Ke6 46.Rf2 Rd3+ 47.Rf3 Rd2 48.Rf2 Rxf2 49.Kxf2 Ke5 50.Kg3 c5 51.h4 gxh4+ 52.Kxh4 Kf6 53.g5+ Kg6 54.Kg4 b5 55.Kf4 a5 56.b3 c4 57.bxc4 b4 58.Ke4 a4 59.Kd3 Kxg5 60.c5 Kf6 61.Kc4 b3 62.axb3 a3 63.Kc3 Ke6 64.b4 Kd5 65.Kb3 Kc6 66.Kxa3 Kb5 67.Kb3 Kc6 68.Kc3 Kb5 69.Kb3 Kc6 70.Kc4 Kb7 71.b5 Kc7 72.Kd5 Kd7 73.c6+ Ke7 74.Kc5 Kf6 75.b6 Kf5 76.b7 Kf4 77.Kb6 Kf3 78.c7 Kf2 79.c8Q Ke1 ½-½ (79) AMR25 (2624)-Rebalo (2623) Blitz 2023]

9.a4 a5 10.Nc4 c5 11.b3 0-0 12.Nh4 g5 13.Nf3 Ng6 14.c3 Be6 15.Ne3 Qd7 16.g3 Rad8 17.Bb2 Qf7 18.Nd2 Ne7 19.Ndc4 b6 20.Kg2 Kh8 21.Qe2 Rg8 22.Rad1 g4 23.f3 gxf3+ 24.Qxf3 f5 25.d4 f4 26.dxe5 Ng6 27.Kh1 fxe3 28.Qxe3 Qg7 29.exd6 Bxc4 30.bxc4 cxd6 31.Bc1 Ne5 32.Qe2 Qg4 33.Qf2 Qxe4+ 34.Kg1 Rdf8 35.Bf4 Nxc4 36.Qg2 Qxg2+ 37.Kxg2 Rxf4 38.Rxf4 Ne3+ 39.Kf3 Nxd1 40.c4 Nb2 41.Ke4 Rg5 42.Rf8+ Kg7 43.Rb8 Nxc4 44.h4 Re5+ 45.Kf4 d5 46.g4 Re4+ 47.Kf5 Re5+ 48.Kf4 Re4+ 49.Kf5 Ne3+ 50.Kg5 Rxg4+ 51.Kh5 Rb4 52.Rb7+ Kf6 53.Rxh7 Nf5 0-1 (53) BENED7707 (2695)-pozvonochek (2909) Blitz 2023

7.Nh4 Ne7 8.Qh5+ Kf8 9.0-0 Qe8 10.Qf3 Qf7 11.Be3 Bxe3 12.fxe3 g5 13.Nf5 Bxf5 14.exf5 h5 15.Nc3 Kg7 16.Ne4 Kh6 17.h4 gxh4 18.Qh3 Rhg8 19.Qxh4 Raf8 20.Rf3 Rg4 21.Qh2 Rfg8 22.Kf2 Rxe4 23.dxe4 Qc4 24.Re1 Qxc2+ 25.Re2 Qxe4 26.Qh3 Rg4 27.Rd2 Nd5 28.a3 Kg5 29.Re2 h4 30.Qh1 Ne7 31.Qd1 Qd5 32.Qc1 e4 33.Rf4 Nxf5 34.Rxg4+ Kxg4 35.Qc3 Qd6 36.Rd2 Qg3+ 37.Ke2 Qxg2+ 38.Kd1 Qf1+ 39.Kc2 Kg5 40.Kb3 h3 41.Qc4 Qxc4+ 42.Kxc4 Kg4 43.Rd8 Kg3 44.Rg8+ Kf2 45.Rf8 Nxe3+ 46.Kd4 Ng4 47.Rg8 Kg3 48.Kxe4 h2 49.Kf5 h1Q 50.Rxg4+ Kf3 51.Rf4+ Ke3 52.Rg4 Qd5+ 53.Kxf6 Qd4+ 54.Kf5 Qxg4+ 55.Kxg4 Kd3 56.Kf5 Kc2 57.Ke5 Kxb2 58.Ke6 Kxa3 59.Ke5 Ka4 60.Ke4 Kb5 61.Kd3 a5 62.Kc2 Kb4 63.Kb2 a4 64.Ka1 c5 65.Ka2 Kb5 66.Ka1 c4 67.Ka2 Kc5 68.Ka1 Kd4 69.Ka2 c3 70.Ka1 Kd3 71.Ka2 c2 72.Ka1 Kd2 73.Ka2 c1Q ½-½ (73) Ryzen9_5950x (2692)-Andrey11976 (2722) Blitz 2024

7.Nbd2 Ne7 8.Nc4 0-0

[8...Ng6 9.Be3 Bd6 10.h3 0-0 11.Qd2 Be6 12.Qc3 Qe7 13.a3 Bf7 14.0-0-0 b5 15.Nxd6 cxd6 16.Qxc6

Rfc8 17.Qb6 d5 18.exd5 Bxd5 19.Rhe1 Rab8 20.Qa5 b4 21.axb4 Rb5 22.Qxa6 Rcb8 23.Bc5 Qd7 24.c4 Bxf3 25.gxf3 R5b7 26.d4 Qf5 27.d5 Nf4 28.Re3 h5 29.d6 Rd7 30.Qc6 Kh8 31.b5 Rbd8 32.b6 Rb8 33.b4 Rbb7 34.Kb2 Qe6 35.Kb3 Nxh3 36.Ra1 Nf4 37.Ra8+ Kh7 38.Qc8 Kg6 39.Re1 h4 40.Rg1+ Kf5 41.Qc6 e4 42.Ra5 exf3 43.Be3+ 1-0 (43) MrDensity (2660)-alfredogto (2632) Blitz 2024]

[8...Be6 9.Be3 Bb4+ 10.c3 Bd6 11.Nxd6+ Qxd6 12.d4 exd4 13.Nxd4 Bf7 14.Qg4 0-0 15.0-0 c5 16.Ne2 b6 17.Ng3 Qe6 18.Qxe6 Bxe6 19.f4 Rad8 20.f5 Bf7 21.Bf4 Rd7 22.Rad1 Rfd8 23.Rxd7 Rxd7 24.e5 fxe5 25.Bxe5 Nc6 26.Bf4 Bxa2 27.Ne4 Bd5 28.Ng5 h6 29.Nh3 Nd8 30.g4 Nf7 31.Bg3 Bc4 32.Re1 Kf8 33.Nf4 Re7 34.Ng6+ 1-0 (34) Dabar1 (2604)-mocaspoke (2567) Blitz 2021]

9.0-0 Be6

[9...Ng6 10.Be3 Bd6 11.h3 Be6 12.Qe2 Qe7 13.a4 a5 14.b3 b6 15.g4 Rad8 16.Kh2 Kh8 17.Rg1 Bc5 18.Rg3 Nf4 19.Bxf4 exf4 20.Rg2 g5 21.Rgg1 h5 22.e5 hxg4 23.exf6 Qxf6 24.hxg4 Bxc4 25.bxc4 Rfe8 26.Qd2 Kg7 27.Rae1 Bb4 28.Rxe8 Bxd2 29.Rxd8 Qxd8 30.Nxd2 Qd4 31.Ne4 Qb2 32.Nxg5 Qxc2 33.Ne6+ Kf7 34.Nxf4 Qxf2+ 35.Ng2 Qc2 36.Rf1+ Kg7 37.Rf3 Qxa4 38.g5 Qa1 39.Kg3 Qe5+ 40.Kg4 a4 41.Nh4 a3 42.Nf5+ Kg8 43.Nh6+ Kh7 44.Rf7+ Kg6 45.Rf6+ Qxf6 46.gxf6 Kxh6 47.Kf5 a2 48.Ke6 a1Q 49.f7 Kg7 50.Ke7 Qf6+ 51.Kd7 Qxf7+ 52.Kxc6 0-1 (52) markb0716 (2660)-zvonokchess (2853) Blitz 2022]

10.Ne3 Qd7 11.Nh4 f5 12.exf5 Nxf5 13.Nhxf5 Bxf5 14.Nxf5 Qxf5 15.Qe2 Rae8 16.Be3 e4 17.Bxc5 exd3 18.Qxd3 Qxc5 19.Qb3+ Kh8 20.Qxb7 Re2 21.Qxa6 Rfxf2 22.Kh1 h6 23.Rae1 Qd5 24.Qc8+ Kh7 25.Qh3 Rxg2 26.Rxe2 Rxe2+ 27.Qf3 Qxf3+ 28.Rxf3 Rxc2 29.Rb3 Rc1+ 30.Kg2 Ra1 31.a3 Kg6 32.Rc3 Kf5 33.Rxc6 g5 34.Rxc7 h5 35.Rc2 Kf4 36.Rf2+ Kg4 37.h3+ Kh4 38.Rc2 Rb1 39.a4 Ra1 40.Rc4+ g4 41.hxg4 hxg4 42.Rb4 Rd1 43.a5 Rd2+ 44.Kf1 Kg3 45.a6 Rd1+ 46.Ke2 Ra1 47.Rb3+ Kg2 48.Ra3 Rb1 49.a7 Rxb2+ 50.Ke3 Rb8 51.axb8Q 1-0 (51) markb0716 (2680)-spectraline (2560) Blitz 2023

[6] **8.Nc3** c5 9.h3 Ne7 10.Nd2 Nc6 11.Nc4 Be7 12.f4 Be6 13.fxe5 Bxc4 14.dxc4 Qxd1+ 15.Rxd1 Nxe5 16.b3 Bd6 17.0-0 0-0-0 18.Nd5 c6 19.Nf4 Rhe8 20.Nd3 Nd7 21.Nf2 Kc7 22.Rd2 b6 23.Rfd1 Bg3 24.Nh1 Be5 25.Nf2 Nf8 26.Rxd8 Rxd8 27.Rxd8 Kxd8 28.Kf1 Ne6 29.Ke2 Bd4 30.Bd2 Bxf2 31.Kxf2 Kd7 32.c3 Kd6 33.Kf3 Ke5 34.h4 h5 35.Be1 f5 36.exf5 Kxf5 37.Bd2 b5 38.cxb5 cxb5 39.Be3 c4 40.bxc4 bxc4 41.a4 g6 42.a5 Nc7 43.Bd4 Nd5 44.Bg7 Ne7 45.Bd4 Nc6 46.Bb6 Ne7 47.Bc5 Nd5 48.Bd4 Nc7 49.Bb6 Nb5 50.Bd4 Nxd4+ 51.cxd4 c3 52.Ke3 c2 53.Kd2 Ke4 54.Kxc2 Kxd4 55.Kd2 Kc5 56.Ke3 Kb5 57.Kf4 Kxa5 58.Kg5 Kb5 59.Kxg6 a5 60.Kxh5 a4 61.g4 a3 62.g5 a2 63.g6 a1Q 64.Kh6 Qh8+ 65.Kg5 Kc6 66.h5 Kd6 67.h6 Qe5+ 68.Kg4 Qf6 69.Kh5 Qf5+ 70.Kh4 Qxg6 0-1 (70) RaffaelloSanti (2715)-pozvonochek (2864) Blitz 2023

[7] **9.Nc4** c5 10.Qe2 Be6 11.0-0 Nc6 12.c3 Be7
[12...0-0 13.h3 Qe7 14.Rfd1 Rad8 15.Nxd6 Qxd6 16.d4 cxd4 17.cxd4 exd4 18.Bxd4 Qf4 19.Bc3 Rfe8 20.Rxd8 Rxd8 21.b3 Qd6 22.Rc1 Qd3 23.Qxd3 Rxd3 24.Kf1 Kf7 25.Ke2 Rd8 26.e5 f5 27.Ng5+ Ke7 28.Nxh7 a5 29.Ng5 Bd5 30.g4 g6 31.f4 a4 32.bxa4 Bxa2 33.Nf3 Bc4+ 34.Kf2 Bd5 35.Nh4 fxg4 36.hxg4 Kf7 37.f5 gxf5 38.gxf5 Ra8 39.a5 Re8 40.Re1 Nd8 41.Nf3 Rg8 42.e6+ Nxe6 43.fxe6+ Bxe6 44.Ne5+ Ke7 45.Bb4+ Kf6 46.Nf3 Bd5 47.Bc3+ Kg6 48.Rg1+ Kh7 49.Ng5+ Kh6 50.Bd2 Kh5 51.Rg3 c6 52.Bf4 Rf8 53.Ke3 Re8+ 54.Kd4 Rf8 55.Be3 Rf5 56.Bd2 Kg6 57.Ne6+ Kh7 58.Nd8 Rf1 59.Rh3+ Kg6 60.Nxb7 Rd1 61.Kc3 Ra1 62.Rg3+ Kf5 63.Kb2 Ke4 64.Kxa1 c5 65.Nxc5+ Kd4 66.Be3+ Kc4 67.a6 Kb5 68.a7 Bc6 69.Rg6 Kc4 70.Rxc6 Kd5 71.Rc7 Kc4 72.a8Q Kc3 73.Qg2 Kb4 74.Qb2+ Kc4 75.Qc2+ Kd5 76.Qd3+ Ke5 77.Qd4+ 1-0 (77) Nadigraj (2631)-Pon4ik2006 (2828) Blitz 2021]
13.a4 b5 14.axb5 axb5 15.Na3 Rb8 16.Rfd1 0-0 17.h3 Qe8 18.d4 cxd4 19.cxd4 exd4 20.Nxd4 Nxd4 21.Bxd4 c5 22.Be3 Qf7 23.Bf4 Rb6 24.Rd2 b4 25.Nc2 h6 26.Rad1 Bb3 27.Rc1 Re8 28.Ne3 Bf8 29.Nc4 Rbe6 30.f3 f5 31.e5 g5 32.Bh2 f4 33.Qd3 Bxc4 34.Qxc4 Rxe5 35.Kh1 Re1+ 36.Rxe1 Rxe1+ 37.Bg1 Qxc4 0-1 (37) Vagizovich (2631)-SaxKaiGoal (2682) Blitz 2023

[8] **12.Qg3** Qd7 13.0-0 0-0-0 14.Nhf3 g5 15.Nc4 Ng6 16.Nxd6+ cxd6 17.h4 Nf4 18.Rfe1 g4 19.Bxf4 exf4 20.Qxf4 gxf3 21.Qxf3 f5 22.e5 f4 23.exd6 Qxd6 24.Qh5 Rg8 25.f3 Rg3 26.Kh2 Bd5 27.Qf5+ Kb8 28.Qe5 Qxe5 29.Rxe5 Rdg8 30.Re2 R3g6 31.c4 Be6 32.Rae1 Bc8 33.h5 Rg5 34.h6 R8g6 35.Kg1 Bh3 36.Re8+ Ka7 37.R1e2 Rxg2+ 38.Rxg2 Rxg2+ 39.Kh1 Rg6 40.Rf8 Rxh6 41.Rxf4 Bf5+ 42.Kg1 Bxd3 43.Kf2 Bb1 44.a4 Rd6 45.b4 Rd2+ 46.Kg3 Rb2 47.c5 a5 48.bxa5 Ka6 49.Rd4 Kxa5 50.f4 Rb4 51.Rxb4 Kxb4 52.Kg4 0-1 (52) doreality (2776)-KKlie4 (2763) Blitz 2021

[9] **5...Nf6** 6.Bxc6
[6.0-0 b5 7.Bb3 0-0 8.a4 Rb8 9.d3 h6 10.Nd5 d6 11.h3 Nxd5 12.Bxd5 Ne7 13.Ba2 Be6 14.c3 Bxa2 15.Rxa2 b4 16.d4 exd4 17.cxd4 Ba7 18.Qb3 d5 19.e5 c5 20.dxc5 Bxc5 21.Be3 Bxe3 22.Qxe3 Qb6 23.Qd3 Rfc8 24.Raa1 Rc4 25.Rfe1 Rbc8 26.Rad1 Rc2 27.Rd2 b3 28.Nd4 Rxd2 29.Qxd2 Rc4 30.e6 Qxd4 31.exf7+ Kxf7 32.Qa5 Rc2 33.Re3 Qf4 34.Qe1 Nf5 35.Rf3 Rc1 36.Rxf4 Rxe1+ 37.Kh2 Kg6 38.g4 Nh4 39.Rb4 Kf6 40.Rxb3 Ng6 41.Kg3 Re6 42.a5 d4 43.Rb6 Rxb6 44.axb6 Ne5 45.b7 Nc6 46.Kf4 Ke6 47.Ke4 Kd6 48.f4 Kc7 49.h4 Kxb7 50.g5 Kc7 51.f5 hxg5 52.hxg5 Kd6 53.f6 gxf6 54.g6 Ke7 55.Kd3 Kf8 56.Kc4 Kg7 57.Kc5 Kxg6 58.Kxc6 d3 59.Kb6 d2 60.Kxa6 d1Q 61.b4 Qb3 62.b5 f5 63.Kb6 f4 64.Kc6 f3 65.Kd6 f2 66.b6 f1Q 67.b7 Qf6+ 68.Kd7 Qbe6+ 69.Kc7 Qfe7+ 70.Kb8 Q6d6+ 71.Ka8 Qa6+ 72.Kb8 Qaxb7# 0-1 (72) DitmanSolo (2682)-Fastchess2345 (2725) Blitz 2024]

[6.d3 d6 *(6...b5 7.Bb3 d6 8.Nd5 h6 9.0-0 0-0 10.Nxf6+ Qxf6 11.Bd5 Bd7 12.Be3 Rad8 13.Bxc5 dxc5 14.Bxc6 Bxc6 15.Qe2 c4 16.dxc4 bxc4 17.Rfe1 Qe6 18.Qe3 Rd6 19.Qc5 Re8 20.h3 Re7 21.Re3 f6 22.Rae1 Red7 23.Kh2 Kh7 24.Rc3 Bb5 25.Qb4 Rb6 26.a4 a5 27.Qxa5 Ba6 28.Rb1 Bb7 29.Re3 Rd8 30.Qc3 Ra8 31.Ra1 Qc6 32.Nd2 Rxa4 33.Rxa4 Qxa4 34.Nxc4 Rc6 35.b3 Qa8 36.Qb4 Ra6 37.f3 Ra1 38.Qe7 Ba6 39.Rd3 Qa7 40.Rd7 Qg1+ 41.Kg3 Qe1+ 42.Kg4 h5+ 43.Kxh5 Qg3 44.Qxf6 Bxc4 45.bxc4 Ra6 46.Qxa6 Qxg2 47.Qh6+ Kg8 48.Qxg7+* 1-0 (48) Bortnyk,O (2605)-Praggnanandhaa,R (2690) chess.com INT 2023 *)* 7.Nd5 *(7.h3 b5 8.Bb3 h6 9.a4 Rb8 10.axb5 axb5 11.Nd5 Nxd5 12.Bxd5 Ne7 13.Bb3 Ng6 14.Be3 0-0* ½-½ (14) Mamedov,R (2636)-Santos Latasa,J (2656) chess.com INT 2023*)* 7...Nxd5 8.exd5 b5 9.dxc6 bxa4 10.0-0 0-0 11.d4 exd4 12.Nxd4 a3 13.b3 Qf6 14.Be3 Re8 15.Qd2 Bg4 16.h3 Re4 17.c3 Bh5 18.Rfe1 Rae8 19.f3 R4e5 20.Bf2 h6 21.Rad1 Bg6 22.Bg3 R5e7 23.Rxe7 Rxe7 24.Bf2 d5 25.Re1 Rxe1+ 26.Qxe1 Kh7 27.b4 Bd6 28.Qe2 Qf4 29.Qxa6 Qc1+ 30.Qf1 Bh2+ 0-1 (30) Elito29 (2650)-FraDoNicks (2765) Blitz 2021]

6...dxc6 7.Nxe5 Bxf2+ 8.Kxf2 Qd4+ 9.Ke1 Qxe5 10.d3 Bg4 11.Qd2 0-0-0 12.Qf4 Qe7 13.Be3 h5 14.h3 Be6 15.Kd2 c5 16.Rad1 Nd7 17.Kc1 f6 18.Rhe1 Ne5 19.Kb1 b6 20.b3 Kb7 21.Na4 Nc6 22.Qf2 Nd4 23.Nc3 Qd7 24.Ne2 Nc6 25.Nf4 Bf7 26.Bc1 a5 27.Bb2 a4 28.Ne2 axb3 29.axb3 Ra8 30.d4 c4 31.d5 Nb4 32.Nd4 cxb3 33.cxb3 Bg6 34.Nf5 Rhe8 35.g4 hxg4 36.hxg4 Qb5 37.Qd4 Qa5 38.Re3 Rad8 39.Rc3 Kb8 40.Rc4 c5 41.Qe3 Nxd5 42.Qg3+ Nc7 43.Nd6 Rxe4 44.Kc1 Rxc4+ 45.Nxc4 Rxd1+ 46.Kxd1 Qa2 47.g5 Qb1+ 48.Kd2 Qc2+ 49.Ke1 fxg5 50.Be5 Qb1+ 51.Kd2 Qc2+ 52.Ke1 Bd3 53.Bxc7+ Kb7 54.Qf3+ Kxc7 55.Ne5 Qc1+ 56.Kf2 Qb2+ 57.Kg1 Qd4+ 0-1 (57) Multibrendovyi (2882)-NIndja64 (2864) Blitz 2021

5...d6 6.a3

[6.d4 exd4

A) 7.Bxc6+ bxc6 8.Nxd4 Bd7 *(8...Ne7 9.Be3 0-0 10.0-0 Qe8 11.Qd2 Ng6 12.Nf5 Bxf5 13.exf5 Bxe3 14.fxe3 Ne5 15.f6 Qe6 16.fxg7 Kxg7 17.Qd4 f6 18.b3 Rae8 19.Rae1 Kh8 20.Ne4 c5 21.Qd2 f5 22.Ng3 Qg6 23.Ne2 Rg8 24.Nf4 Qh6 25.Qc3 Rg7 26.Rf2 Reg8 27.Rd2 Nf3+ 28.Kf1 Nxe1 29.Kxe1 Qxh2 30.Rf2 h6 31.Ne6 Kh7 32.Nxg7 Rxg7 33.Qf6 Qh5 34.Rxf5 Qh1+ 35.Rf1 Qxg2 36.Qf5+ Qg6 37.Qxg6+ Kxg6 38.Rg1+ Kf6 39.Rh1 Rh7 40.Kf2 h5 41.Kg3 Ke5 42.Rh4 d5 43.Ra4 h4+ 44.Kh3 Rh6 45.c3 Kf5 46.Rg4 Re6 47.Ra4 Rxe3+ 48.Kxh4 Re4+* 0-1 (48) Mr_FlagPunisher (2706)-zvonokchess (2828) Blitz 2022*)* 9.0-0 Nf6 10.Bg5 0-0 11.Nb3 Ba7 12.e5 dxe5 13.Bxf6 gxf6 14.Ne4 Kg7 15.Qh5 f5 16.Nec5 Bxc5 17.Nxc5 Be6 18.Rad1 Qe7 19.Rd3 f4 20.Qxe5+ Qf6 21.Nxe6+ fxe6 22.Rd7+ Kh8 23.Qxf6+ Rxf6 24.Rfd1 f3 25.Rxc7 fxg2 26.Rdd7 Rh6 27.Ra7 Rb8 28.Rxa6 Rg6 29.b3 c5 30.Raa7 c4 31.Rxh7+ Kg8

32.Rh3 cxb3 33.axb3 Rc8 34.Ra2 Rf6 35.Rg3+ Kh8 36.Kxg2 Rcf8 37.c4 e5 38.Rc2 e4 39.c5 Rc6 40.b4 Rb8 41.Rb3 Rb5 42.Rc4 Rg6+ 43.Kf1 Re6 44.c6 Kg7 45.c7 e3 46.Rxe3 1-0 (46) bananarepublic21 (2766)-vovaches (2727) Blitz 2025;

B) 7.Nxd4 Nge7 8.Be3 b5 9.Bb3 Bxd4 10.Bxd4 Nxd4 11.Qxd4 0-0 12.Qd2 Bb7 13.0-0 c5 14.Bd5 Nxd5 15.Nxd5 Re8 16.f3 Bxd5 17.Qxd5 Qb6 18.Rad1 Rad8 19.Rfe1 h6 20.Kf1 Re5 21.Qd2 d5 22.exd5 Rexd5 23.Qxd5 Rxd5 24.Rxd5 Qf6 25.c3 Qf4 26.Kg1 Qc4 27.Rd8+ Kh7 28.a3 b4 29.axb4 cxb4 30.cxb4 Qxb4 31.Rdd1 Qxb2 32.Ra1 Qc3 33.Kh1 h5 34.Rg1 a5 35.Ra4 g6 36.Rga1 Kg7 37.Rxa5 Qd4 38.Ra7 Qe5 39.h3 Qd4 40.R7a4 Qe5 41.Rd1 Qe2 42.Rad4 Qe5 43.Rd7 Qe2 44.R1d5 Qe6 45.Kh2 Qe3 46.Rd1 Qe5+ 47.Kg1 Qe2 48.Kh1 Qe5 49.Rf1 Qe2 50.Rdd1 Qc2 51.Rde1 Qd3 52.f4 Qf5 53.Rf3 Kg8 54.Re5 Qf6 55.Rg5 Kg7 56.Kh2 Qd6 57.Re5 Qf6 58.Rd5 Qe6 59.Rd1 Qf5 60.Re1 Kg8 61.Re5 Qf6 62.Rd5 Qe6 63.Rfd3 Qf6 64.f5 g5 65.Rd8+ Kg7 66.R3d5 Qc3 67.R8d6 Qe3 68.f6+ Kg6 69.Rd1 Qe5+ 70.Kh1 Qf4 71.R6d4 Qe5 72.Rd8 Kxf6 73.Rg8 Qf4 74.Kg1 Qe3+ 75.Kh1 Qf4 76.Kg1 Qe3+ ½-½ (76) Carlsen,M (2830)-Petrov,N (2561) Samarkand UZB 2023]

[6.d3 Nge7

A) 7.a3 0-0

A1) 8.h3

A1a) 8...Ng6 9.Nd5 *(9.h4 h6 10.h5 Nge7 11.Nh4 Nd4 12.Ne2 Bg4 13.f3 Bxh5 14.Nxd4 Bxd4 15.g4 Bg6 16.Bb3 c6 17.c3 Ba7 18.Nf5 d5 19.Qe2 Bxf5 20.gxf5 f6 21.f4 Qd6 22.Qg4 Kh7 23.Bd2 Rh8 24.0-0-0 Kg8 25.fxe5 fxe5 26.Rdf1 Qf6 27.Rh2 Kf7 28.Qh5+ Kf8 29.Rf3 Rh7 30.Bg5 Qf7 31.f6 Qxh5 32.fxe7+ Kg8 33.Rxh5 hxg5 34.Rxh7 Kxh7 35.Rf8* 1-0 (35) kondor-ro (2607)-Nebonik (2444) Blitz 2024 *)* 9...h6 10.Be3 Bxe3 11.fxe3 f5 12.exf5 Bxf5 13.e4 Be6 14.Bxc6 bxc6 15.Ne3 Nf4 16.0-0 Qb8 17.b3 Qb6 18.Qd2 Rf6 19.Kh2 Raf8 20.Nh4 d5 21.Nhf5 Qc5 22.b4 Qb6 23.g3 Ng6 24.h4 dxe4 25.dxe4 Kh7 26.h5 Bxf5 27.Rxf5 Ne7 28.Rxf6 Rxf6 29.Kg2 Qd4 30.Qxd4 exd4 31.Nc4 c5 32.Rd1 cxb4 33.axb4 Nc6 34.Rb1 g6 35.hxg6+ Kxg6 36.b5 axb5 37.Rxb5 Re6 38.Kf3 Rf6+ 39.Ke2 d3+ 40.Kxd3 Rf3+ 41.Ne3 Rxg3 42.Rc5 Nb4+ 43.Kc4 Rxe3 44.Kxb4 Rxe4+ 45.c4 Re7 46.Rc6+ Kg5 47.Kc5 h5 48.Ra6 h4 49.Ra3 Kg4 50.Kd5 h3 51.Ra8 Rh7 52.Rg8+ Kf3 53.Kc6 h2 54.Rf8+ Ke2 55.Re8+ Kd2 56.Rd8+ Kc2 57.Rd7 h1Q+ 58.Kxc7 Qh2+ 59.Kc6 Qg2+ 60.Kc7 Qg3+ 61.Kc6 Qf3+ 0-1 (61) Ragnar_Lothbrok85 (2613)-khvichachess (2612) Blitz

2024;

A1b) 8...Kh8 9.Be3 Nd4 10.Bxd4 Bxd4 11.Nxd4 exd4 12.Ne2 c5 13.Bb3 f5 14.Qd2 fxe4 15.dxe4 d5 16.exd5 Nxd5 17.0-0 Be6 18.c3 dxc3 19.Nxc3 Nf4 20.Qxd8 Raxd8 21.Bxe6 Nxe6 ½-½ (21) Bartel,M (2635)-Bruzon Batista,L (2639) ICC INT 2021;

A2) 8.Be3 Bg4 *(8...Bxe3 9.fxe3 Kh8 10.0-0 f5 11.exf5 Bxf5 12.Nh4 Be6 13.Qh5 b5 14.Bb3 Bxb3 15.cxb3 Rxf1+ 16.Rxf1 Qg8 17.Ne4 Rf8 18.Rxf8 Qxf8 19.Ng5 h6 20.Ne6 Qg8 21.Ng6+ Nxg6 22.Qxg6 Ne7 23.Qg4 c5 24.e4 Nc6 25.h4 Nd4 26.Nc7 Qxb3 27.Ne8 Ne6 28.Qf5 a5 29.Qf7 a4 30.Kh2 b4 31.Nxd6 bxa3 32.bxa3 Nf4 33.Qe8+ Kh7 34.Nf7 Qc2 35.Qh8+ Kg6 36.Nxe5+ Kf6 37.Ng4+ Kf7 38.Ne3 Qxd3 39.Nf5 Qe2 40.Qxg7+ Ke6 41.Qe7#* 1-0 (41) Bortnyk,O (2607)-Tifferet, S (2279) chess.com INT 2023*)* 9.Bxc6 Nxc6 10.h3 Bxf3 11.Qxf3 Nd4 12.Qd1 c6 13.0-0 f5 14.exf5 Rxf5 15.Ne4 Ba7 16.c3 Ne6 17.Qg4 g6 18.Ng3 Rf6 19.Ne4 Rf5 20.Ng3 Rf6 21.Ne4 Rf5 ½-½ (21) Naroditsky, D (2619)-Nakamura,H (2802) chess.com INT 2024;

A3) 8.b4 Ba7 9.Bb3 Bg4 10.Be3 Nd4 11.h3 Bxf3 12.gxf3 Nxb3 13.cxb3 Bxe3 14.fxe3 f5 15.Qe2 a5 16.b5 c6 17.bxc6 bxc6 18.0-0 f4 19.Kh2 Ng6 20.Rg1 Ra7 21.d4 fxe3 22.Qxe3 Raf7 23.Raf1 exd4 24.Qxd4 Ne5 25.Rg3 Rxf3 26.Rfxf3 Nxf3+ 27.Rxf3 Rxf3 28.Qc4+ Rf7 29.Qxc6 Qf6 30.Qc8+ Rf8 31.Qc4+ Kh8 32.Qe2 Qxc3 0-1 (32) Matinian, N (2647)-Narayanan S L (2637) Chess.com INT 2020;

B) 7.Be3 Bxe3 8.fxe3 0-0 *(8...b5 9.Bb3 Na5 10.0-0 Nxb3 11.axb3 Bg4 12.Qe1 0-0 13.Nh4 c6 14.Nf5 Qd7 15.Qh4 Bxf5 16.exf5 f6 17.Ne4 a5 18.Rf3 Ra7 19.Raf1 a4 20.b4 a3 21.bxa3 Rxa3 22.Qh5 Ra2 23.g4 h6 24.g5 hxg5 25.Rh3 Nd5 26.c4 bxc4 27.dxc4 Nc7 28.Nxg5 fxg5 29.f6 Qxh3 30.Qxh3 gxf6 31.Qh6 Ne8 32.Qg6+ Kh8 33.b5 cxb5 34.cxb5 Ng7 35.Rc1 Ra7 36.b6 Rb7 37.Rc6 Ne8 38.e4 Rg7 39.Qxg7+ Nxg7 40.b7 Ne6 41.Rc8* 1-0 (41) Bartel,M (2609)-Akash,G (2483) Prague CZE 2023*)* 9.0-0 *(9.Qd2 h6 10.a3 Be6 11.d4 Bg4 12.0-0 Ng6 13.h3 Bd7 14.Bb3 Nce7 15.Rad1 Kh7 16.dxe5 Nc8 17.exd6 cxd6 18.e5 Bc6 19.exd6 Nb6 20.Qd4 Nd7 21.Nd5 Re8 22.Nc7 Re4 23.Qd2 Rc8 24.Nd4 Qg5 25.Nxc6 bxc6 26.Rxf7 Nde5 27.Ne6 Qg3 28.d7 Nh4 29.Rxg7+* 1-0 (29) T0t4ll1Cr6z1 (2796)-Calzonesdesuperman (2616) Blitz 2023 *)*

B1) 9...f5 10.exf5 *(10.Bb3+ Kh8 11.Ng5 Qe8 12.Rf3 h6 13.Ne6 Bxe6 14.Bxe6 f4 15.Nd5 Ng6 16.Nxc7 Qe7 17.Nxa8 Nh4 18.Rh3 fxe3 19.Qe1 Rf2 20.Qxe3 Rxg2+ 21.Kh1 Rxc2 22.Rf1 Nd4*

23.Bg4 Ng2 24.Rxh6+ Kg8 25.Qg3 Nf4 26.Nb6 Qg5 27.Rxd6 Rg2 28.Be6+ Ndxe6 29.Qxg5 Rxg5 30.Nd5 Rg4 31.Nxf4 Nxf4 32.d4 exd4 33.Rxd4 Nh3 34.Rd3 Ng5 35.e5 Re4 36.Rd8+ Kh7 37.Rd7 b5 38.Rd6 Rxe5 39.Rxa6 Re2 40.b3 Ne4 41.Rb6 Nd2 42.Rf4 Ne4 43.Kg1 1-0 (43) Naroditsky,D (2617)-Matinian,N (2425) chess.com INT 2022) 10...Nxf5 11.Bxc6 bxc6 12.Qe2 Rb8 13.b3 Qe7 14.e4 Nh6 15.h3 Be6 16.Rf2 Rf4 17.Raf1 Rbf8 18.Qe3 c5 19.Ne2 R4f6 20.Ng5 Bd7 21.Rxf6 Rxf6 22.Rxf6 Qxf6 23.Nf3 Nf7 24.Kh2 h6 25.Qd2 Kh7 26.Qa5 Ng5 27.Nxg5+ Qxg5 28.Qxc7 Bxh3 29.Kxh3 Qh5+ 30.Kg3 Qxe2 31.Qxd6 Qe3+ 32.Kh2 Qf4+ 33.Kh3 h5 34.Qd7 Qe3+ 35.g3 Qe2 36.Qf7 Kh6 37.Qf8 Kh7 38.Qxc5 Qf1+ 39.Kh2 Qe2+ 40.Kg1 Qe1+ 41.Kg2 Qe2+ 42.Qf2 Qg4 43.Qf5+ Kg8 44.Qxg4 hxg4 45.c3 Kf7 46.d4 Ke6 47.d5+ Kd6 48.b4 a5 49.a3 a4 50.c4 1-0 (50) Catinlove (2786)-Betomarcico (2640) Blitz 2022;

B2) 9...h6 10.Nd5 Nxd5 11.exd5 Ne7 12.c4 f5 13.Bc2 Qe8 14.Qd2 Qh5 15.b4 Bd7 16.c5 Nxd5 17.Bb3 Be6 18.Rac1 Rae8 19.a4 f4 20.Bxd5 Bxd5 21.e4 Be6 22.b5 axb5 23.axb5 Ra8 24.b6 cxb6 25.cxd6 Ra2 26.Rc2 Rxc2 27.Qxc2 Ra8 28.Qc7 Qf7 29.Nxe5 Qxc7 30.dxc7 Rc8 31.Rc1 Kf8 32.d4 Ke7 33.d5 Bd7 34.Nc4 Rf8 35.e5 Bc8 36.Nxb6 1-0 (36) GMJOEY93 (2734)-kartoGM (2606) Blitz 2021;

B3) 9...Bg4 10.Qe1 Kh8 11.Qh4 Bxf3 12.Rxf3 f6 13.Rh3 h6 14.Bb3 Qd7 15.a3 f5 16.Qg5 Rf6 17.Rf1 f4 18.Qh5 Raf8 19.Rhf3 Kh7 20.Ne2 g6 21.Qh3 Qxh3 22.gxh3 g5 23.c3 Ng6 24.exf4 exf4 25.d4 Kg7 26.Bc2 Re8 27.R3f2 Rff8 28.Kh1 Nce7 29.Ng1 Ng8 30.Re1 Nf6 31.Nf3 Nd5 32.exd5 Rxe1+ 33.Nxe1 Ne7 34.Be4 Ng8 35.Bf3 Nf6 36.Nc2 h5 37.Rg2 Kg6 38.Kg1 Kf5 39.Be2 g4 40.hxg4+ hxg4 41.Bd3+ Kg5 42.Ne1 Re8 43.Kf1 Nxd5 44.Re2 Ne3+ 45.Kg1 f3 46.Rd2 Kf4 47.Bf1 Rh8 48.Nd3+ Kg5 49.b3 b6 50.c4 Nf5 51.Nf2 Kf4 52.c5 b5 53.cxd6 cxd6 54.a4 bxa4 55.bxa4 a5 56.d5 Re8 57.Rc2 Kg5 58.Rc4 Nh6 59.Ne4+ Kh4 60.h3 Rg8 61.Nf2 Re8 62.hxg4 Kg5 63.Ne4+ Kg6 64.Nxd6 Re1 65.Kf2 Ra1 66.Bd3+ Kf6 67.g5+ Kxg5 68.Ne4+ Kf4 69.Nd2+ Ke5 70.Nxf3+ Kf6 71.Rc6+ Ke7 72.Rxh6 Ra2+ 73.Ke3 Ra3 74.Re6+ Kd8 75.Re4 Kc7 76.Rd4 Rxa4 77.Rc4+ Rxc4 78.Bxc4 Kb6 79.Ba2 Kc5 80.d6 Kb4 0-1 (80) Svetlyachok3 (2633)-Dr_Martic (2840) Blitz 2023;

B4) 9...b5 10.Bb3 Na5 11.Qe1 Nxb3 12.axb3 Be6 13.Qg3 Ng6 14.Ng5 b4 15.Nb1 Qe7 16.Nd2 h6 17.Nxe6 Qxe6 18.Ra4 a5

19.Nc4 Kh7 20.Nxa5 f5 21.Qh3 Ne7 22.exf5 Nxf5 23.Nc4 Rxa4 24.bxa4 d5 25.e4 dxc4 26.exf5 Qb6+ 27.Kh1 b3 28.c3 Qa6 29.dxc4 Qxc4 30.Qf3 Qxa4 31.Qe2 e4 32.h3 Qc6 33.Rf4 Re8 34.f6 gxf6 35.Qh5 Qe6 36.Rf2 e3 37.Re2 f5 38.Qf3 Qe4 39.Qh5 Re7 40.Kg1 f4 41.Qg4 Rg7 42.Qh4 Qb1+ 43.Kh2 Qf1 44.Qe1 Qxe1 45.Rxe1 Rd7 46.Rf1 e2 47.Re1 Rd2 48.Kg1 Rxb2 49.Kf2 Rc2 50.Kf3 b2 51.Kxf4 Rc1 52.Rxe2 b1Q 53.Re7+ Kg6 54.Re6+ Kf7 55.Re5 Rf1+ 56.Ke3 Qe1+ 57.Kd4 Qd2+ Time forfeit 0-1 (57) Kostik_Mostik (2806)-zvonokchess (2852) Blitz 2024]

6...Nge7 7.0-0 0-0 8.d3 Bg4 9.Be3

[9.h3 Bh5 10.Be3 Nd4 11.Bxd4 Bxd4 12.Bb3 Kh8 13.g4 Bxc3 14.bxc3 Bg6 15.Nd2 f6 16.f4 exf4 17.Rxf4 d5 18.Qe2 dxe4 19.Nxe4 Nd5 20.Rff1 Bxe4 21.Qxe4 Nxc3 22.Qxb7 Ne2+ 23.Kg2 Qd6 24.Qf3 Nd4 25.Qf4 Qc6+ 26.Qe4 Qc3 27.Rae1 Nxb3 28.cxb3 Qxb3 29.Rf5 h6 30.h4 Rae8 31.Qxe8 Rxe8 32.Rxe8+ Kh7 33.h5 Qxd3 34.Rf3 Qd4 35.Kh3 Qd5 36.Rfe3 f5 37.R8e5 Qh1+ 38.Kg3 Qg1+ 39.Kf3 Qxg4+ 0-1 (39) posoplyam (2809)-zvonokchess (2865) Blitz 2023]

9...Nd4 10.Bxd4 Bxd4 11.h3 Bxf3 12.Qxf3 c6 13.Bb3 Kh8 14.Ne2 Bxb2 15.Ra2 Bd4 16.Nxd4 exd4 17.a4 f5 18.a5 fxe4 19.Qxe4 Nf5 20.Be6 d5 21.Qg4 Nd6 22.Qxd4 Nb5 23.Qc5 Qf6 24.Bg4 Rae8 25.c4 Nc3 26.Ra3 d4 27.Rb3 Rf7 28.Bh5 g6 29.Bf3 Kg7 30.Kh1 h5 31.Qa7 Ree7 32.Qb8 Na4 33.Rfb1 Nc5 34.Ra3 Ne6 35.Rab3 Ng5 36.Qg3 Nxf3 37.Qxf3 Qxf3 38.gxf3 Rxf3 39.Rxb7 Rxb7 40.Rxb7+ Rf7 41.Rb6 Rxf2 42.Rxa6 Rf3 43.Kg2 Rxd3 44.Rxc6 Ra3 45.a6 d3 46.Kf2 Ra2+ 47.Ke3 d2 48.Ke2 g5 49.Rc5 Kf6 50.Rd5 Rxa6 51.Rxd2 Ra3 52.Rd6+ Ke5 53.Rd5+ Kf4 54.h4 gxh4 55.Rxh5 Kg4 56.Rh8 h3 57.Rg8+ Kf4 58.Rh8 Ra2+ 59.Kd3 h2 60.c5 Kg3 61.c6 Kg2 62.c7 1-0 (62) Kostik_Mostik (2860)-KKlie4 (2858) Blitz 2023

5...Ba7 6.d4 exd4 7.Nd5 h6 8.Bf4 d6 9.Nxd4 Bd7 10.Nf5 Bxf5 11.exf5 Nf6 12.Qe2+ Kf8 13.Nxf6 Qxf6 14.0-0-0 b5 15.Qf3 bxa4 16.Qxc6 Rb8 17.c3 Qxf5 18.Qxa4 g5 19.Be3 Bxe3+ 20.fxe3 Qb5 21.Qc2 Kg7 22.h4 Rhe8 23.Rde1 Re6 24.hxg5 Qxg5 25.Rh3 Rbe8 26.Qf2 Rf6 27.Qe2 a5 28.a4 Re5 29.Rf3 Re4 30.b3 d5 31.Kb2 c5 32.Rxf6 Qxf6 33.Qd3 Qe5 34.Kc2 c4 35.bxc4 Rxc4 36.Rf1 Rxa4 37.Rf5 Qe6 38.Qxd5 Ra2+ 39.Kd3 Qg6 40.g4 Ra1 41.Qe5+ Kg8 42.Qe8+ Kg7 43.Qe5+ Kg8 44.c4 Rd1+ 45.Kc3 a4 46.g5 h5 47.e4 Rd6 48.Qe8+ Kg7 49.Qe5+ Kg8 50.Qe8+ Kg7 51.Qxa4 Qe6 52.Qa7 Rd7 53.Qe3 Qa6 54.Rd5 Qa1+ 55.Kd3 Qd1+ 56.Kc3 Qa1+ 57.Kc2 Qa2+ 58.Kd3 Qb3+ 59.Kd4 Qb6+ 60.Kd3 Qb3+ 61.Kd2 Qa2+ 62.Ke1 Re7 63.Qd4+ Kh7 64.Qd3 Qa1+ 65.Kf2 Qh1 66.Qf3 Qh4+ 67.Ke3 Qe1+ 68.Kd3 Qd1+ 69.Qxd1 Kg6 70.Rd6+ Kxg5 71.Rd5+ Kg6 72.Qxh5+ Kg7 73.Rg5+ 1-0 (73) Bortnyk,O (2608)-Le,T (2559) chess.com INT 2023

[10] **6.d3** Ng6

[6...0-0 7.Bb3 *(7.Bg5 f6 8.Bh4 Kh8 9.Nd5 Ng6 10.Bg3 b5 11.Bb3 Na5 12.h4 c6 13.Ne3 d5 14.h5 Ne7*

15.Qe2 d4 16.Nf1 Nxb3 17.axb3 Be6 18.Nh4 a5 19.Nd2 Bd6 20.Qf3 Qd7 21.Qe2 Bg4 22.f3 Bxh5 23.Bf2 Kg8 24.g4 Bf7 25.Nf5 Nxf5 26.gxf5 g5 27.fxg6 Bxg6 28.Bg3 a4 29.bxa4 bxa4 30.Nc4 Bb4+ 31.Kf2 Bf7 32.Nb6 Qb7 33.Nxa8 Rxa8 34.f4 Bd6 35.f5 Kf8 36.Rxh7 Qxb2 37.Rh8+ Ke7 38.Rxa8 Qxa1 39.Rxa4 Qxa4 Normal 0-1 (39) maunok (2612)-molenotyetwhacked (2529) Blitz 2024*)* 7...d6 8.Be3 Bxe3 9.fxe3 Be6 10.0-0 Bxb3 11.axb3 Ng6 12.Nd2 Nce7 13.Qg4 Qc8 14.Qe2 c6 15.Rf2 Qe6 16.Raf1 f5 17.exf5 Nxf5 18.Nde4 h6 19.Qg4 Nge7 20.Ng3 Nd4 21.Qd1 Rxf2 22.Rxf2 Nb5 23.Nce4 d5 24.Nc5 Qc8 25.Qh5 g6 26.Qxe5 1-0 (26) Ding_barandesho (2623)-khvichachess (2647) Blitz 2025]

7.h4 h5 8.Bb3 d6 9.Ng5 Be6 10.Bxe6 fxe6 11.Nxe6 Qf6 12.d4 Nxd4 13.Nd5 Qf7 14.Nexc7+ Kd7 15.Nxa8 Rxa8 16.Be3 Rf8 17.c3 Ne6 18.Qd2 Ngf4 19.0-0-0 Nxd5 20.Qxd5 Kc8 21.Bxc5 Nxc5 22.Qxf7 Rxf7 23.f3 Kc7 24.Kc2 Ne6 25.Rdf1 Nf4 26.g3 Ne6 27.Kd3 Kc6 28.Ke3 Re7 29.b4 b5 30.f4 exf4+ 31.gxf4 Nf8 32.Rhg1 Nd7 33.Rg5 Nf6 34.e5 Nd5+ 35.Kd4 Nb6 36.Rg6 Nc4 37.e6 a5 38.Rfg1 axb4 39.cxb4 Ra7 40.R1g2 Ra3 41.R6g3 Ra8 42.Rxg7 Rf8 43.Rf7 Ra8 44.e7 Kd7 45.Rg8 Rxg8 46.Rf8 1-0 (46) Khalilmousavii (2791)-may6enexttime (2994) Blitz 2023

6.Nxe5 Nxe5 7.d4 b5 8.Bb3 Bxd4 9.Qxd4 d6 10.a4

[10.f4 c5 11.Qd1 N5g6 12.Bd5 Nxd5 13.Nxd5 0-0 14.0-0 f5 15.exf5 Bxf5 16.Be3 Be4 17.Qd2 Nh4 18.f5 Nxf5 19.Bg5 Qd7 20.Nb6 Qa7 21.Nxa8 Bxa8 22.Rae1 c4+ 23.Kh1 h6 24.Bf4 Nh4 25.Be3 Rxf1+ 26.Rxf1 Bxg2+ 27.Qxg2 Qxe3 28.Qd5+ Kh7 29.Rg1 Qf2 30.Qe4+ Kh8 31.Qg4 Nf5 32.Qe4 Nh4 33.h3 Nf3 34.Qe8+ Kh7 35.Qg6+ 1-0 (35) oyoy23 (2733)-solxe (2616) Blitz 2024]

[10.Qe3 c5 11.Bd5 Nxd5 12.Nxd5 0-0 13.0-0 f5 14.Qg3 Nf7 15.b3 fxe4 16.Bb2 Qg5 17.Rae1 Qxg3 18.fxg3 Bd7 19.Rxe4 Rae8 20.Ref4 b4 21.Bf6 Bb5 22.Rg4 g6 23.Bb2 Ne5 24.Rxf8+ Rxf8 25.Rf4 Rxf4 26.gxf4 Nd7 27.a4 bxa3 28.Bxa3 Kf7 29.Nc7 Be2 30.Nd5 a5 31.Kf2 Bb5 32.Bb2 Bc6 33.Ne3 Nb6 34.h4 Be4 35.g4 Ke6 36.Bg7 d5 37.c3 Nd7 38.Kg3 Kf7 39.Bh8 Ke6 40.Bg7 Nb8 41.h5 Nc6 42.Bf8 d4 43.cxd4 cxd4 44.Nc4 Bd5 45.Nd2 gxh5 46.gxh5 Kf5 47.Bc5 Bf7 48.h6 d3 49.Kf3 Nb4 50.Bb6 Nc6 51.Ke3 Bd5 52.Bc7 Kg6 53.Kxd3 Kxh6 54.Nc4 Kg6 55.Nxa5 Nxa5 56.Bxa5 ½-½ (56) Bortnyk,O (2608)-Le Tuan,M (2559) chess.com INT 2023]

10...c5 11.Qe3 c4 12.Ba2 b4 13.Ne2 Qa5 14.0-0 Qxa4 15.f4 Nd7 16.b3 cxb3 17.cxb3 Qa5 18.Bb2 0-0 19.Bb1 Qh5 20.Ng3 Qh6 21.Ra5 Nc5 22.Rxc5 dxc5 23.Qxc5 Ng6 24.f5 Nh4 25.f6 g6 26.Bc1 Nf3+ 27.Rxf3 Qh4 28.Rf4 Qh6 29.Rg4 1-0 (29) BestBlackEver (2745)-BENED7707 (2662) Blitz 2024

6.Nd5 0-0 7.c3 d6 8.d4 exd4

[8...Ba7 9.Bg5 f6 10.Bb3 Kh8 11.Be3 exd4 12.Nxd4 Nxd4 13.cxd4 c6 14.Nc3 f5 15.Bg5 h6 16.Qh5 Qe8 17.Qxe8 Rxe8 18.Bf7 Rf8 19.Bxe7 Rxf7 20.Bxd6 Bxd4 21.e5 Be6 22.0-0 f4 23.Rfd1 Bxc3 24.bxc3 g5 25.a4 b5 26.axb5 cxb5

27.Bb4 Rd7 28.Rxd7 Bxd7 29.Rd1 Bf5 30.h4 Kg7 31.hxg5 hxg5 32.Be7 g4 33.Rd4 f3 34.Rf4 Kg6 35.gxf3 gxf3 36.Rxf3 a5 37.e6 Re8 38.Rg3+ Kh7 39.Bc5 Rxe6 40.Rf3 Kg6 41.Rg3+ Kf7 42.Rf3 Kg6 43.Kf1 Rc6 44.Ba3 Rc4 45.Rg3+ Kf7 46.Ke2 Ra4 47.Bc5 Rc4 48.Bd6 Ke6 49.Bf8 Rc8 50.Ba3 Rc4 51.Kd2 Ra4 52.Bf8 Ra2+ 53.Ke3 Rc2 54.Kd4 Rxf2 55.Re3+ Kf7 56.Ba3 Ra2 57.Be7 Be6 58.Bh4 Bc4 59.Kc5 a4 60.Rf3+ Kg6 61.Be7 a3 62.Kb6 Ra1 63.Rg3+ Kf5 64.Rf3+ Ke6 65.Re3+ Kf5 66.Bxa3 Rxa3 67.Kc5 Kf4 68.Kd4 Ra8 69.Re4+ Kf5 70.Re5+ Kf4 71.Re4+ Kf3 72.Re3+ Kf2 73.Re7 Rc8 74.Re5 Rd8+ 75.Kc5 Rc8+ 76.Kb4 Be2 77.Rf5+ Ke1 78.Re5 Kd2 79.Rd5+ Bd3 80.Rh5 Rc4+ 81.Kb3 Rxc3+ 82.Kb4 Rc4+ 83.Kb3 Bc2+ 84.Kb2 Rb4+ 85.Ka3 Ra4+ 86.Kb2 Rb4+ 87.Ka3 Rb3+ 88.Ka2 Re3 89.Rxb5 Kc1 90.Rh5 Re4 91.Rh1+ Kd2 92.Rh2+ Kc3 93.Rh3+ Bd3 94.Ka3 Re5 95.Rh4 Re3 96.Ka4 Re2 97.Ka5 Re1 98.Kb6 Ra1 99.Kc5 Ra6 100.Rf4 Ra5+ 101.Kd6 Rb5 102.Ke6 Ra5 103.Kd6 Bc4 104.Kc6 Kb4 105.Kd6 Ra6+ 106.Ke5 Re6+ 107.Kf5 Re8 108.Kf6 Kc5 109.Rf5+ Kc6 110.Rf4 Bd5 111.Kf5 Kd6 112.Kf6 Rf8+ 113.Kg5 Rg8+ 114.Kf6 Rg1 115.Kf5 Re1 116.Kf6 Be6 117.Rd4+ Bd5 118.Rf4 Ra1 119.Kf5 Ra7 120.Kf6 Re7 121.Kf5 Re6 122.Rd4 Re8 123.Rf4 Kc5 124.Kf6 Be4 125.Kg5 Kd4 126.Kf6 Ra8 127.Rh4 Ra6+ 128.Kg5 Ke5 129.Rh6 Ra8 130.Rh4 Rg8+ 131.Kh6 Kf6 132.Kh5 Bf3+ 133.Kh6 Rh8# 0-1 (133) Bortnyk,O (2608)-Sattarov,B (2353) chess.com INT 2023]

9.cxd4 Nxd5 10.dxc5 Nf6 11.Bg5 h6 12.Bh4 Re8 13.0-0 Bg4 14.cxd6 cxd6 15.h3 Bxf3 16.Qxf3 g5 17.Bg3 Rxe4 18.Bxc6 bxc6 19.Rac1 Rc8 20.Qa3 Re6 21.Qxa6 d5 22.f3 c5 23.Qd3 d4 24.b4 Nh5 25.Bh2 Re3 26.Qa6 Re6 27.Qd3 Qd5 28.bxc5 Rxc5 29.Rxc5 Qxc5 30.Rd1 Ra6 31.Qxa6 d3+ 32.Kh1 d2 33.Qd3 Ng7 34.Qxd2 Ne6 35.a4 Qa3 36.a5 Qa4 37.Rc1 Kh7 38.Qc2+ 1-0 (38) Bortnyk,O (2608)-Le,T (2567) chess.com INT 2024

[11] **12.Nf4** 0-0 13.0-0 b5 14.Re1 Qc7 15.h3 Rb8 16.Nd2 Nc6 17.Qh5 Qd8 18.Nf3 c4 19.dxc4 bxc4 20.Bxc4 Rxb2 21.Ng6 Rxc2 22.Bd5 d3 23.Nxf8 Qxf8 24.Rf1 Be6 25.Rad1 g6 26.Qh4 Bxd5 27.exd5 Ne7 28.Rxd3 Nf5 29.Qf4 Qc8 30.g4 Rc4 31.Qh2 Ng7 32.Qxd6 h5 33.Ne5 Rc7 34.Qf6 hxg4 35.d6 Rd7 36.hxg4 Bb6 37.Nxd7 Qxd7 38.Qf3 Ne6 39.Rc1 Ng5 40.Qg2 1-0 (40) Multibrendovyi (2883)-NIndja64 (2863) Blitz 2021

[12] **5...d6** 6.c3

[6.h3 Nge7 7.Be3 0-0 8.Nc3 Kh8 9.Qd2 Bb4 10.a3 Bxc3 11.Qxc3 f5 12.0-0-0 f4 13.Bd2 b5 14.Bb3 a5 15.d4 b4 16.Qd3 Ba6 17.Bc4 Bxc4 18.Qxc4 Qb8 19.a4 h6 20.dxe5 dxe5 21.Kb1 Qb6 22.Qe2 Rad8 23.Bc1 b3 24.cxb3 Qxb3 25.Qb5 Nb4 0-1 (25) Muhammadali77 (2647)-Sattarov,B (2459) Blitz 2021]

6...Nge7

[6...f5 7.d4 exd4 8.Nxd4 Bxd4 9.Qxd4 Nf6 10.Bxc6+ bxc6 11.exf5 Bxf5 12.0-0 0-0 13.Qc4+ Kh8 14.Qxc6 Be4 15.Qa4 Qc8 16.f3

Bd3 17.Re1 Bb5 18.Qh4 Qf5 19.Na3 Bd3 20.Bg5 Nd7 21.Rad1 Ne5 22.Qg3 Rae8 23.Be3 Re6 24.Kh1 Rg6 25.Qf2 Qh5 26.Bd4 Bf5 27.Bxe5 dxe5 28.Rxe5 Re6 29.Qe3 Rxe5 30.Qxe5 h6 31.Nc4 Qg6 32.Ne3 Bc8 33.Qxc7 Re8 34.Qc5 Qe6 35.h3 Qxa2 36.Nc4 Be6 37.Nd6 Rg8 38.Qa3 Qxa3 39.bxa3 Rd8 40.Nf7+ 1-0 (40) Nadigraj (2797)-dmitrij_IM (2937) Blitz 2022]

[6...Nf6 7.Nbd2 0-0 8.Nf1 b5 9.Bb3 Ng4 10.Ne3 Nxe3 11.Bxe3 Bxe3 12.fxe3 Na5 13.Bc2 c5 14.0-0 Qe7 15.a4 Bb7 16.Qe1 Nc6 17.Bb3 c4 18.dxc4 Na5 19.Bc2 bxc4 20.Nh4 g6 21.Qg3 Kh8 22.Rf2 Bc6 23.Raf1 Rab8 24.Bd1 Bxe4 25.Qg4 f5 26.Nxg6+ hxg6 27.Qxg6 Rf6 28.Qg5 Rg8 29.Qh4+ Kg7 30.Bf3 Bd3 31.Bd5 Bxf1 32.Qg5+ Kh7 33.Qxg8+ Kh6 34.Rf3 Bxg2 35.Rg3 Qh7 36.Qg5# 1-0 (36) GelioChess (2730)-Train_account (2625) Blitz 2024]

7.0-0

[7.h3 0-0 8.Nbd2 f5 9.Qe2 Ng6 10.Bb3+ Kh8 11.Nc4 b5 12.Ne3 Nf4 13.Qf1 Ne7 14.Ng5 Qe8 15.g3 Nfg6 16.Qe2 f4 17.Qh5 h6 18.Ng4 Bxg4 19.hxg4 fxg3 20.fxg3 Bf2+ 21.Ke2 Bxg3 22.Qxh6+ gxh6 23.Rxh6+ Kg7 24.Ne6+ Kg8 25.Nxc7+ Kg7 26.Ne6+ Kg8 27.Nc7+ d5 28.Nxe8 Raxe8 29.Be3 Nf4+ 30.Kd2 Kg7 31.Rah1 Rh8 32.Rxh8 Rxh8 33.Rxh8 Kxh8 34.exd5 Nexd5 35.Bc5 Kg7 36.a4 Kf6 37.axb5 axb5 38.c4 bxc4 39.Bxc4 Bh4 40.b4 Bg5 41.Kc2 Nc7 42.b5 Nfe6 43.Bb6 Ke7 44.Kc3 Kd6 45.Bxc7+ Nxc7 46.b6 Ne8 47.Bd5 Be3 48.b7 Kc7 49.Be4 Nd6 50.Bf3 Bd4+ 51.Kb4 Nxb7 52.Bxb7 Kxb7 53.Kc4 Kc6 54.g5 Kd6 55.g6 Ke7 56.g7 Kf7 57.g8Q+ Kxg8 58.Kd5 Kf7 59.Ke4 Kf6 60.Kf3 Kf5 61.Kg3 Be3 62.Kf3 Bf4 63.Ke2 Ke6 64.Kf3 Kd5 65.Kf2 Kd4 66.Ke2 Bg5 67.Kf2 Kxd3 68.Kf3 e4+ 69.Kg4 e3 70.Kxg5 e2 71.Kf5 e1Q 72.Kf6 Qe4 73.Kg5 Kd4 74.Kf6 Qf3+ 75.Kg5 Ke4 76.Kg6 Qf4 77.Kg7 Kf3 78.Kg6 Qf5+ 79.Kg7 Kf4 80.Kh6 Ke5 81.Kg7 Qg4+ 82.Kh7 Kf4 83.Kh6 Qg5+ 84.Kh7 ½-½ (84) W8W8W8W8W8 (2796)-zvonokchess (2847) Blitz 2021]

7...0-0 8.d4

[8.Nbd2 Kh8 9.h3 f5 10.Bb3 Qe8 11.exf5 Nxf5 12.Ne4 Ba7 13.Qe2 Bd7 14.Be3 Bxe3 15.fxe3 h6 16.Kh2 Be6 17.g4 Bxb3 18.gxf5 Bd5 19.Nh4 Ne7 20.Ng3 Kh7 21.e4 Bc6 22.Qg4 d5 23.Nh5 Qf7 24.f6 gxf6 25.Rxf6 Qg8 26.Re6 Rae8 27.Nf6+ Rxf6 28.Rxf6 Qxg4 29.hxg4 dxe4 30.dxe4 Bxe4 31.Re1 Nd5 32.Rf7+ Kg8 33.Rd7 Nf6 34.Rxc7 Bc6 35.Nf5 Nxg4+ 36.Kg3 h5 37.Ne7+ Kh8 38.Nxc6 bxc6 39.Rxc6 Rd8 40.Rxa6 Rd3+ 41.Kh4 Kg7 42.Kxh5 Nf6+ 43.Kg5 Rg3+ 44.Kf5 1-0 (44) Abdusattorov,N (2766)-Lobanov,S (2507) chess.com INT 2024]

[8.Be3 Bxe3 9.fxe3 f5 *(9...Be6 10.Nbd2 h6 11.Qe1 f5 12.exf5 Nxf5 13.d4 b5 14.Bc2 Nh4* 1-0 (14) Napo18 (2619)-AnonymousGMplayer (2767) Blitz 2021*)* 10.exf5 Nxf5 *(10...Bxf5 11.e4 Bg4 12.Nbd2 Qd7 13.h3 Bh5 14.Qe1 h6 15.Qe3 Kh7 16.Rf2 Rf6 17.Raf1 Raf8 18.d4 b5 19.Bc2 Ng6 20.Kh2 Nf4 21.Ng1 Qf7 22.g3 Nd5 23.Rxf6 Nxf6 24.g4*

Bxg4 25.Rxf6 Qxf6 26.hxg4 Qh4+ 27.Kg2 Qxg4+ 28.Qg3 Qh5 29.Ndf3 Rf4 30.Kf2 Rg4 31.Qh2 Qg6 32.dxe5 Nxe5 33.Nxe5 dxe5 34.Nf3 Rf4 35.Ke3 Qb6+ 36.Ke2 Qc5 37.Qh3 b4 38.Ng5+ Kg6 39.Ne6 Qf2+ 40.Kd1 Qg1+ 41.Ke2 Rf2+ 42.Kd3 Qf1+ 43.Qxf1 Rxf1 44.cxb4 h5 45.Nxc7 h4 46.Ke2 Rf6 47.Nd5 h3 48.Nxf6 h2 49.Ng4 h1Q 50.Nxe5+ Kh7 51.Nf3 Qg2+ 52.Ke3 Qg3 53.Bd3 Qd6 54.e5+ Kg8 55.Bg6 Kf8 56.exd6 1-0 (56) ertras (2646)-spectraline (2601) Blitz 2023*)* 11.Qe1 Qe7 12.e4 Nh6 13.Qg3 Be6 14.Nbd2 Rf4 15.h3 Raf8 16.Ng5 Nd8 17.Ndf3 g6 18.d4 Bc4 19.Rfe1 Ne6 20.Bc2 exd4 21.cxd4 Kg7 22.a4 Nxg5 23.Nxg5 Ng4 24.Nf3 Nh6 25.d5 a5 26.Ng5 Qe5 27.Ne6+ Kg8 28.Nxf4 Rxf4 29.Qc3 Ba6 30.Qxe5 dxe5 31.Ra3 Nf7 32.Rf3 g5 33.Rxf4 gxf4 34.Kf2 Nd6 35.b3 Kf7 36.Kf3 Kf6 37.Rd1 b6 38.Bd3 Bc8 39.Rc1 1-0 (39) chargemax23 (2732)-BarbDefcon1 (2552) Blitz 2022]

[8.h3 Ba7 *(8...f5 9.Nbd2 Ng6 10.Bxc6 bxc6 11.d4 exd4 12.cxd4 Ba7 13.e5 d5 14.Nb3 f4 15.Bd2 Bf5 16.Bb4 Re8 17.Bc5 Bb6 18.Re1 a5 19.a4 Nf8 20.Rc1 Ne6 21.Qd2 Be4 22.Nh2 Qg5 23.f3 Bf5 24.Kh1 Rec8 25.Ng4 h5 26.Nf2 Qh4 27.Rc3 Rab8 28.Re2 Kh7 29.Nd3 g5 30.Kg1 g4 31.Nxf4 gxf3 32.Rxf3 Be4 33.Nxe6 Bxf3 34.Ng5+ Kh8 35.Nxf3 Kh7 36.Nxh4* 1-0 (36) Karlos_ulsk (2646)-slouuurps (2654) Blitz 2024*; 8...Kh8 9.d4 Ba7 10.Be3 f5 11.exf5 Nxf5 12.Bg5 Qe8 13.dxe5 dxe5 14.Re1 e4 15.Nbd2 Nd6 16.Bc2 Bf5 17.Qb1 Ne5 18.Nd4 Qg6 19.Nxf5 Bxf2+ 20.Kxf2 Rxf5+ 21.Kg1 Rxg5 22.Bxe4 Nxe4 23.Qxe4 Qb6+ 24.Kh1 h6 25.Nf3 Nxf3 26.Qxf3 Qxb2 27.Reb1 Qa3 28.Rxb7 Rf8 29.Qe3 Rgf5 30.Rbb1 Qd6 31.Rd1 Qc6 32.Re1 Rf2 33.Qe4 Rf1+ 34.Rxf1 Rxf1+ 35.Rxf1 Qxe4 36.Rf3 Qe1+ 37.Kh2 Qe5+ 38.g3 Qc5 39.Kg2 Qa3 40.Rf2 Qxc3 41.g4 Qc6+ 42.Kg3 Qd6+ 43.Kg2 Qd5+ 44.Rf3 Qe4 45.Kg3 g5 46.Rf8+ Kg7 47.Rf5 Qe3+ 48.Kg2 Qg1+ 49.Kxg1* 1-0 (49) DHOOMVIGOR2022 (2641)-alexandar71 (2568) Blitz 2023 *)*

A) 9.Bb3 Ng6 *(9...h6 10.d4 Ng6 11.Be3 Qf6 12.Kh2 Nf4 13.d5 Ne7 14.Nbd2 Neg6 15.Ng1 Nxg2 16.Kxg2 Nh4+ 17.Kg3 Qg6+ 18.Kxh4 Bxe3 19.Ngf3 Bg5+ 20.Kg3 Bf4+ 21.Kh4 Qf6+ 22.Kh5 g6#* 0-1 (22) Hansen,E (2609)-Piliposyan,R (2416) chess.com INT 2025 *)* 10.Ng5 h6 11.Qh5 Qf6 12.a4 hxg5 13.Bxg5 Nf4 14.Qh4 Qg6 15.Bxf4 exf4 16.Nd2 Be6 17.Kh1 Rae8 18.Qxf4 Bxb3 19.Nxb3 f5 20.exf5 Qxf5 21.Qc4+ d5 22.Qh4 Bxf2 0-1 (22) abking1971 (2632)-Andrey_Klymchuk (2647) Blitz 2024;

B) 9.Bg5 f6 10.Bh4 Ng6 11.Bg3 Kh8 12.Nbd2 f5 13.exf5 Bxf5 14.Bc2 Qd7 15.Kh2 d5 16.Re1 Rae8 17.b4 d4 18.cxd4 Nxb4 19.dxe5 Nxc2 20.Qxc2 Bxd3 21.Qb2 c5 22.Rad1 b5 23.Ne4 c4 24.Nd6 Re6 25.Ng5 Re7 26.f4 Nxf4 27.Bxf4 Rxf4 28.Rf1 Rxf1 29.Rxf1 Bxf1 30.Qc1 h6 31.Qxf1 hxg5 32.Qf8+ Kh7 Normal 0-1 (32) SharkieCroc (2688)-solxe (2594)

Blitz 2024]
8...Ba7 9.Be3
[9.h3 Ng6 10.Re1 *(10.Bxc6 bxc6 11.dxe5 dxe5 12.Qxd8 Rxd8 13.Be3 Bxe3 14.fxe3 f6 15.Na3 Be6 16.b3 Rd3 17.Kf2 Rad8 18.Rac1 Ne7 19.Ke2 R3d7 20.Rfd1 Nc8 21.Rxd7 Rxd7 22.Rd1 Rxd1 23.Kxd1 Nd6 24.Nd2 Kf7 25.Ke2 Kg6 26.Kf3 h5 27.Nc2 h4 28.Nb4 Bc8 29.Nxc6 Bb7 30.Ne7+ Kf7 31.Nd5 f5 32.c4 g6 33.Nxc7 Nxe4 34.Nxe4 Bxe4+ 35.Kf2 Bb1 36.Nxa6 Bxa2 37.Nc5 Ke7 38.Nd3 Bxb3 39.Nxe5 Kf6 40.Nf3 g5 41.c5 Bd5 42.Nd4 Be4 43.c6 Ke7 44.Nf3 Kf6 45.c7 Bb7 46.Nd4 Bc8 47.Nb5 Ke7 48.Na7 Kd7 49.Nxc8 Kxc8 50.e4 fxe4 51.Ke3 g4 52.hxg4 Kxc7 53.Kxe4 Kd6 54.Kf4 Ke6 55.Kg5 Kf7 56.Kxh4 Kg6 57.g5 Kg7 58.Kh5 Kh7 59.g6+ Kg7 60.Kg5 Kg8 61.Kf6 Kf8 62.g3 Kg8 63.g7* 1-0 (63) samisahi (2693)-Stoichess (2658) Blitz 2021*; 10.Bg5 f6 11.Be3 Bd7 12.Nbd2 Kh8 13.Re1 Qe7 14.Nf1 exd4 15.Nxd4 Nxd4 16.Bxd7 Qxd7 17.Bxd4 Bxd4 18.Qxd4 f5 19.e5 Rad8 20.exd6 Qxd6 21.Qxd6 Rxd6 22.Rad1 Rb6 23.b3 h6 24.Rd7 Rc6 25.c4 b5 26.Nd2 Ra8 27.g3 Kh7 28.h4 h5 29.f4 Kh6 30.Re3 Rd6 31.Rxd6 cxd6 32.Re6 Rd8 33.Kf2 d5 34.c5 b4 35.Rxa6 Rc8 36.Rb6 Rxc5 37.Rxb4 Rc2 38.Ke3 Rxa2 39.Rb5 d4+ 40.Kd3 Kh7 41.Rxf5 Kh6 42.Rf7 Rb2 43.Rd7* 1-0 (43) matrix12345 (2626)-simba_abessimba (2555) Blitz 2024*) 10...h6 *(10...Bd7 11.Be3 exd4 12.cxd4 d5 13.exd5 Nce7 14.Bb3 Nf5 15.Nc3 Re8 16.Bg5 Rxe1+ 17.Qxe1 Qe8 18.Qd2 h6 19.Re1 Qf8 20.Bf4 Nxf4 21.Qxf4 Qd6 22.Re5 f6 23.Rxf5 Qxf4 24.Rxf4 Re8 25.d6+ Kf8 26.dxc7* 1-0 (26) SummerKiwi (2741)-Dictator02 (2629) Blitz 2024*)* 11.a3 *(11.Bxc6 bxc6 12.Be3 Qf6 13.Nbd2 Nf4 14.Bxf4 Qxf4 15.Qa4 Bb7 16.Nc4 exd4 17.cxd4 Rae8 18.Na5 Bc8 19.Nxc6 Bb6 20.Re3 Rxe4 21.Rxe4 Qxe4 22.Re1 Qf4 23.Ne7+ Kh8 24.Nxc8 Rxc8 25.Qxa6 Rb8 26.Qa4 Kh7 27.Qc2+ g6 28.Rd1 Re8 29.b4 Qe4 30.Qxe4 Rxe4 31.Kf1 c5 32.bxc5 dxc5 33.d5 Re8 34.d6 Rd8 35.d7 Bc7 36.Rd5 Kg7 37.Nd2 Kf6 38.Nb3 Ke6 39.Rxc5 Rxd7 40.Rc6+ Ke7 41.Nc5* 1-0 (41) salvinho (2612)-Stoichess (2594) Blitz 2021*)* 11...Qf6 12.Be3 Nf4 13.Kh2 Ne7 14.Nbd2 Neg6 15.Bc2 Nh4 16.Nxh4 Qxh4 17.Nf3 Qf6 18.Ng1 Re8 19.g3 Ne6 20.dxe5 dxe5 21.Qf3 Qe7 22.Bxa7 Rxa7 23.Qe3 Ra8 24.Rad1 b6 25.b4 Bb7 26.Nf3 Qf6 27.h4 a5 28.Bb3 axb4 29.axb4 Ra3 30.Rb1 Nf8 31.Kg2 Bc8 32.Nd2 Be6 33.Qf3 Qg6 34.Bxe6 Qxe6 35.Ra1 Rea8 36.Rxa3 Rxa3 37.Re3 Nh7 38.Qf5 Nf6 39.Nf3 Qxf5 40.exf5 e4 41.Nd2 Nd5 42.Rxe4 Rxc3 43.Rc4 Rxc4 44.Nxc4 Nxb4 45.f6 gxf6 46.Kf3 b5 47.Na5 c5 48.Ke4 c4 49.Kd4 Nc2+ 50.Kc3 Ne1 51.Nc6 Nd3 52.f4 Nf2 53.Ne7+ Kh7 54.Nf5 Ne4+ 55.Kd4 b4 56.Kxe4 b3 57.Nd6 b2 58.Nxf7 b1Q+ 59.Kd5 Kg7 60.Ke6 Qe4+ 61.Ne5 fxe5 62.f5 Kf8 63.g4 c3 64.f6 c2 0-1 (64) Liochess13 (2748)-pozvonochek (2836) Blitz 2023]
9...Bg4
[9...Ng6 10.Nbd2 exd4 11.cxd4 Nce7 12.Re1 c6 13.Bb3 d5 14.e5 Nf5 15.Bc2 f6 16.exf6 Qxf6 17.Bg5

Qf7 18.Nb3 h6 19.Bc1 Nfh4 20.Bxg6 Nxg6 21.Qd2 Bg4 22.Ne5 Nxe5 23.Rxe5 Rae8 24.Rxe8 Rxe8 25.f3 Bxf3 26.Qf2 Bd1 27.Nc5 Qxf2+ 28.Kxf2 Re2+ 29.Kg3 Bc2 30.Kf3 Re1 31.b4 b6 32.Nd7 Bf5 33.Ne5 Bb8 34.Bb2 Rxa1 35.Bxa1 Be4+ 36.Kf2 Bxe5 37.dxe5 c5 38.bxc5 bxc5 39.Bb2 Kf7 40.Ba3 Bb1 41.Bxc5 Bxa2 42.Bb6 Ke6 43.Ke3 g6 44.Kd4 Bb1 45.Ba5 Be4 46.g4 Bf3 47.Bd2 g5 48.Bb4 Bxg4 49.Bf8 h5 50.Bh6 Kf5 51.Kxd5 Bd1 52.Kd4 Bb3 53.Bf8 Be6 54.Ke3 Kxe5 55.Kd2 Kf5 56.Kc3 Bc8 57.Be7 h4 58.Kb2 Kg4 59.Ka3 Kh5 60.Kb4 g4 61.Bd6 g3 62.Bxg3 hxg3 63.hxg3 ½-½ (63) Tomashevsky,E (2694)-Petrov,N (2537) Almaty KAZ 2022]

10.d5 Bxe3 11.fxe3 Nb8 12.Nbd2 Nd7 13.Qe1 c6 14.Qg3 Bh5 15.dxc6 bxc6 16.Rad1 Nc5 17.Bc2 f6 18.b4 Ne6 19.Bb3 Bf7 20.Nh4 Kh8 21.Nf5 Nxf5 22.exf5 Ng5 23.h4 Bxb3 24.axb3 Nf7 25.Nc4 d5 26.e4 Qd7 27.Nb6 Qa7 28.Qf2 Rab8 29.Na4 Qxf2+ 30.Rxf2 dxe4 31.Nc5 e3 32.Re2 Nh6 33.Rf1 Rfd8 34.Rxe3 Rd2 35.Ne4 Rb2 36.Nc5 Rd8 37.Rd3 Rxd3 38.Nxd3 Rxb3 39.Nc5 Rxc3 40.Rd1 Kg8 41.Rd8+ Kf7 42.Rd7+ Kf8 43.Ne6+ Ke8 44.Rxg7 Nxf5 45.Nc7+ Kd8 46.Ne6+ Kc8 47.Rxh7 Rc2 48.h5 Ne3 49.Rc7+ Kb8 50.Rg7 Nf5 51.Rg8+ Kb7 52.Rg6 Kb6 53.Rxf6 Ng3 54.h6 Rc1+ 55.Kf2 Ne4+ 56.Kf3 Nxf6 57.g4 Rc3+ 58.Kf2 Nxg4+ 59.Kg2 Nxh6 60.Ng5 Rc4 61.Ne6 Rxb4 62.Nd8 Rb3 63.Ne6 a5 64.Ng5 a4 65.Ne4 a3 66.Nd2 Rb2 67.Kf3 Rxd2 68.Ke3 Rb2 69.Kd3 a2 70.Kc3 a1Q 71.Kd3 Qa3+ 72.Ke4 Qe7 73.Kf3 Qf6+ 74.Ke3 Qf4+ 75.Kd3 Qd4# 0-1 (75) pmiga (2871)-BrokyLoveKFC (2749) Blitz 2024

5...Qf6 6.Nc3

[6.Be3 Ba7 7.0-0 Nge7 8.Nbd2 h6 9.c3 0-0 10.d4 *(10.Re1 d6 11.h3 Ng6 12.Nf1 Nf4 13.Kh2 Ne7 14.d4 Neg6 15.Ng3 Be6 16.Bc2 Rfd8 17.Qd2 Nxh3 18.Nh5 Qe7 19.gxh3 Bxh3 20.Kxh3 Qe6+ 21.Kg2 Qg4+ 22.Ng3 Nf4+ 23.Bxf4 exf4 24.Nh2 Qg5 25.Kh1 fxg3 26.Qxg5 hxg5 27.fxg3 c5 28.Rad1 cxd4 29.cxd4 Rac8 30.Bb3 Kf8 31.Kg2 f6 32.Ng4 Ke7 33.Ne3 Kd7 34.Rf1 Re8 35.Bd5 b5 36.Rf2 Rc7 37.Nf5 g6 38.Nh6 f5 39.exf5 gxf5 40.Nxf5 a5 41.Rh1 Kd8 42.Nxd6* 1-0 (42) Esipenko,A (2680)-Sattarov,B (2366) chess.com INT 2023*)* 10...d6 11.dxe5 dxe5 12.Bxa7 Rxa7 13.Qe2 Ra8 14.Qe3 Bd7 15.Rad1 Rad8 16.Bb3 Bg4 17.h3 Bc8 18.Kh2 Ng6 19.g3 Rd7 20.Kg2 Rfd8 21.Nc4 Rxd1 22.Rxd1 Rxd1 23.Bxd1 Qe6 24.Bb3 Qxh3+ 25.Kg1 Be6 26.Ncd2 Qg4 27.Bd5 Nge7 28.c4 Qg6 29.a3 Qf6 30.b4 Nd8 31.Qc3 Ng6 32.c5 c6 33.Bc4 h5 34.Bxe6 Nxe6 35.Nc4 Ng5 36.Nxg5 Qxg5 37.Nd6 Qe7 38.Qf3 h4 39.Qf5 hxg3 40.fxg3 Nf8 41.Kg2 b5 42.Qc8 Qe6 43.Qxc6 Qa2+ 44.Kh3 Qe6+ 45.Nf5 g6 46.Qxe6 Nxe6 47.Ne3 f6 48.Nd5 Nd4 49.Nxf6+ Kf7 50.Ng4 Ke6 51.Ne3 Kf6 52.Kg4 1-0 (52) Esipenko,A (2702)-Sattarov,B (2351) chess.com INT 2024]

6...Nge7 7.h4 h6 8.Be3 Ba7 9.Bxa7 Rxa7 10.Qe2 0-0 11.g4 Nd4 12.Nxd4 exd4 13.g5 hxg5 14.e5 Qf4 15.hxg5 Re8 16.Ne4 Ng6 17.Qh5 Rxe5 18.Kf1 d5 19.Qh7+ Kf8 20.Qh8+ Nxh8 21.Rxh8+ Ke7 22.Re8# 1-0 (22)

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5...h6 6.Bxc6 dxc6 7.b3 Bd6 8.Bb2 c5 9.Nbd2 f6 10.Nh4 Ne7 11.Qh5+ Kf8 12.f4 exf4 13.0-0 Qe8 14.Qxe8+ Kxe8 15.Nc4 Rf8 16.Rae1 b5 17.e5 fxe5 18.Nxe5 Kd8 19.Nhg6 Nxg6 20.Nxg6 Rf7 21.Nh8 Re7 22.Ng6 Rxe1 23.Rxe1 Bf5 24.Nh4 Bh7 25.Bxg7 c4 26.bxc4 bxc4 27.dxc4 Rb8 28.Nf3 Bxc2 29.Nd4 Ba4 30.Bxh6 Bc5 31.Bg7 Rb2 32.Kf1 Bxd4 33.Bxd4 Rxa2 34.h4 Bc6 35.Bf2 f3 36.h5 fxg2+ 37.Kg1 Ra5 38.c5 Ra3 39.Kh2 Rd3 40.h6 Rd5 41.Bh4+ Kc8 42.Re6 Rh5 43.Rxc6 Rxh4+ 44.Kxg2 Kb7 45.Rg6 a5 46.Kf2 a4 47.Ke3 Rh5 48.Kd4 a3 49.Kc3 Rxc5+ 50.Kb3 Rh5 51.Kxa3 c6 52.Kb4 Kb6 53.Kc4 Rh4+ 54.Kd3 Kb5 55.Ke3 c5 56.Kf3 c4 57.Kg3 Rh1 58.Kg4 c3 59.Kf5 Kc4 60.Kf6 c2 61.Kg7 c1Q 62.Rc6+ Kd3 63.Rxc1 Rxc1 64.h7 Rc7+ 65.Kg8 Rxh7 66.Kxh7 ½-½ (66) Muhammadali77 (2634)-Sattarov,B (2459) Blitz 2021

5...b5 6.Bb3 d6 7.Be3 Nge7 8.a4 Rb8 9.axb5 axb5 10.Nc3 0-0 11.Nd5 Nxd5 12.Bxd5 Ne7 13.Bb3 Bb6 14.h4 Bg4 15.Qd2 Bxf3 16.gxf3 h5 17.f4 Bxe3 18.fxe3 d5 19.exd5 exf4 20.e4 Ng6 21.Qe2 Ra8 22.Rxa8 Qxa8 23.Qxh5 Qa1+ 24.Qd1 Qxb2 25.h5 Ne5 26.0-0 Qd4+ 27.Kg2 Qe3 28.Qe1 f3+ 29.Kh1 Qg5 30.Qf2 Ng4 31.Qg3 Qxh5+ 32.Kg1 f2+ 33.Kg2 Qg5 34.Kf3 f5 35.d6+ Kh7 36.Rh1+ Kg6 37.dxc7 fxe4+ 38.Ke2 exd3+ 39.Kxd3 Rf3+ 40.Qxf3 Ne5+ 41.Ke2 Nxf3 42.c8Q Nd4+ 43.Kd3 Qg2 44.Qa6+ Nc6 45.Bd5 Qf3+ 46.Bxf3 1-0 (46) JelenaZ (2612)-DarkAlekhine (2698) Blitz 2022

5...Nf6 6.Bg5 h6 7.Bh4 g5 8.Bg3 d6 9.c3 Bd7 10.Nbd2 Ba7 11.Nf1 Qe7 12.Ne3 Bxe3 13.fxe3 h5 14.Nxg5 h4 15.Bf2 0-0-0 16.Nf3 h3 17.g3 Bg4 18.0-0 Nd7 19.Bxc6 bxc6 20.Be1 Kb7 21.Qb3+ Ka7 22.Nd2 Be6 23.Qa4 Nc5 24.Qc2 Rdf8 25.d4 Nd7 26.c4 Bg4 27.Qd3 Rb8 28.b3 Rhf8 29.Rf2 f6 30.a3 Rbe8 31.b4 exd4 32.exd4 f5 33.exf5 Qg5 34.Ne4 Qh5 35.d5 Bxf5 36.Qd4+ c5 37.bxc5 Rxe4 38.Qd2 Nxc5 39.Rd1 Rfe8 40.Qc3 Qxd1 0-1 (40) LDOCaoSang1973 (2608)-MasterOffPuppets (2491) Blitz 2025

[13] **6.Nxe5** Nxe5 7.d4 b5 8.Bb3 Bxd4 9.Qxd4 d6 10.f4 c5 11.Qd1 N5c6 12.c4 0-0 13.Nc3 b4 14.Nd5 f5 15.Be3 fxe4 16.Bc2 Bf5 17.g4 Be6 18.0-0 Nd4 19.Nxe7+ Qxe7 20.Bxd4 cxd4 21.Qxd4 Bxg4 22.Qxe4 Qxe4 23.Bxe4 Rae8 24.Bd5+ Be6 25.Rad1 a5 26.f5 Bxd5 27.Rxd5 Re5 28.Rxe5 dxe5 29.Rd1 Rxf5 30.c5 e4 31.Rc1 Rf7 32.c6 Rc7 33.a3 bxa3 34.bxa3 Kf7 35.a4 Ke6 36.Rc5 Kd6 37.Rxa5 Rxc6 38.h4 Ke6 39.h5 Rc2 40.Ra6+ Kf5 41.Ra7 Kf6 42.Ra6+ Kg5 43.Ra5+ Kh6 44.Re5 Ra2 45.a5 e3 46.Kf1 e2+ 47.Ke1 g6 48.hxg6 hxg6 49.Rc5 g5 50.Re5 Kh5 51.Kf2 Kh4 52.Re4+ g4 53.Rxe2 Rxa5 54.Kg2 Ra3 55.Rb2 Rd3 56.Ra2 Rc3 57.Rb2 Rd3 58.Ra2 Rc3 59.Rb2 Rd3 ½-½ (59) hilary4 (2679)-HorstBrack (2613) Blitz 2021

6.Bb3 0-0 7.a3 d6 8.Ng5 h6 9.h4 hxg5 10.hxg5 g6 11.Qf3 Kg7 12.Qf6+ 1-0 (12) zorrita (2652)-spectraline (2535) Blitz 2024

6.Nbd2 d6 7.c3 0-0 8.Bb3 Kh8 9.Nf1 f5 10.Ng3

[10.Ng5 Qe8 11.Qe2 Ng6 12.g3 h6

13.h4 f4 14.gxf4 Nxf4 15.Bxf4 Rxf4 16.Ne3 Bxe3 17.fxe3 Rf6 18.0-0-0 Bd7 19.Rdg1 Qe7 20.a3 Raf8 21.Kb1 b5 22.Ka2 a5 23.Nf7+ R8xf7 24.Bxf7 Qxf7+ 25.Ka1 b4 26.c4 bxa3 27.bxa3 Rf2 28.Qd1 a4 29.Qxa4 Nd4 30.Qa8+ Kh7 31.exd4 Qf3 32.Rxg7+ Kxg7 33.Rg1+ Rg2 34.Rxg2+ Qxg2 35.dxe5 Qd2 36.Qd5 Qc3+ 37.Ka2 Qxe5 38.Qxe5+ dxe5 39.Kb3 c5 40.a4 Bc8 41.a5 Ba6 42.Ka4 Kf6 43.Kb3 Kg6 44.Ka4 Kf7 45.Kb3 Ke7 46.Kc3 Kd6 47.Kb3 Kc6 48.Kc3 Kb7 49.Kb3 Ka7 50.Ka4 Kb8 51.Ka3 Bb7 52.Ka4 Bc6+ 53.Kb3 Ka7 54.d4 exd4 55.e5 Ka6 56.e6 Kxa5 57.e7 Be8 58.Kc2 Kb4 59.Kd3 Bf7 60.Ke4 Kxc4 61.Ke5 Be8 62.Kf6 d3 63.Kg7 d2 64.Kxh6 d1Q 65.Kg7 Qd7 66.Kf8 Kd5 67.h5 c4 68.h6 Bg6 69.Kg7 Qe8 70.h7 Bxh7 71.Kxh7 Qxe7+ 72.Kg8 Qe5 73.Kf7 Qe4 74.Kg8 c3 75.Kf8 c2 76.Kg8 c1Q 77.Kf8 Qf1+ 78.Kg8 Qeg2+ 79.Kh8 Qfh1# 0-1 (79) Lector118 (2616)-spectraline (2584) Blitz 2023]

10...fxe4 11.dxe4 Bg4 12.Qd3 Bxf3 13.gxf3 Ng6 14.Nf5 Nh4 15.Bd2 Nxf5 16.exf5 Qh4 17.0-0-0 Ne7 18.Be6 Qf6 19.h4 Nxf5 20.Bd5 c6 21.Bg5 Qg6 22.Bb3 h6 23.Rdg1 d5 24.Bc2 Bxf2 25.Rg2 Be3+ 26.Kb1 hxg5 27.hxg5+ Kg8 28.c4 Rad8 29.cxd5 cxd5 30.Bb3 Kf7 31.Bxd5+ Ke7 32.Qa3+ Qd6 33.Qxd6+ Rxd6 34.Be4 Bf4 35.a3 Ne3 36.Re2 Rfd8 37.Ka2 Rd1 38.Rxd1 Rxd1 39.Kb3 b6 40.a4 Rd4 41.Ka3 a5 42.b3 Bxg5 43.Kb2 Bf4 44.Kc3 Nd1+ 45.Kc2 Kd6 46.Re1 Ne3+ 47.Kc3 Kc5 48.Rh1 Nd1+ 49.Kc2 Rd2+ 50.Kb1 Nc3+ 51.Kc1 Rh2# 0-1 (51) Duplex_96 (2649)-gogotaniye (2663) Blitz 2021

6.Bg5 f6 7.Bh4 0-0 8.Bb3+ Kh8 9.c3 d6 10.Qe2 Ba7 11.Nbd2 Ng6 12.Bg3 Qe7 13.Nc4 Be6 14.Bc2 f5 15.h3 f4 16.Bh2 b5 17.Ncd2 Nd8 18.Bb3 c5 19.Bxe6 Nxe6 20.Nb3 Bb6 21.0-0 a5 22.a4 b4 23.Nbd2 Rab8 24.Nc4 Bc7 25.Nfd2 bxc3 26.bxc3 Nh4 27.f3 Rb7 28.Rfb1 Rfb8 29.Rxb7 Rxb7 30.Rb1 Rxb1+ 31.Nxb1 Qd7 32.Qc2 Qc6 33.Nba3 h5 34.Nb5 Bb8 35.Kh1 g5 36.Bg1 g4 37.Bf2 g3 38.Bg1 Ng5 39.d4 Nxh3 40.gxh3 Qd7 41.Qg2 Nxg2 42.Kxg2 cxd4 43.cxd4 Qc6 44.Nba3 Bc7 45.h4 Qxa4 46.d5 Qb3 47.Ba7 Qa2+ 0-1 (47) FredrikLarsson (2635)-spectraline (2593) Blitz 2022

[14] **6...Bxe3** 7.fxe3 d6

[7...0-0 8.0-0 *(8.c4 f5 9.Nc3 fxe4 10.dxe4 d6 11.Qd2 Bg4 12.Bd1 Qe8 13.Be2 h6 14.0-0-0 b5 15.cxb5 axb5 16.Bxb5 Bxf3 17.gxf3 Rxf3 18.Nd5 Qf7 19.Bc4 Kh8 20.Nb6 Qe8 21.Nxa8 Qxa8 22.Rdf1 Rxf1+ 23.Rxf1 Na5 24.Bd5 c6 25.Be6 d5 26.Qb4 Ng6 27.Bf7 Kh7 28.Bxg6+ Kxg6 29.Rg1+ Kh7 30.Qe7 Qg8 31.Qxe5 Nc4 32.Qf5+ Kh8 33.e5 Qb8 34.b3 Qa7 35.Qf8+ Kh7 36.Rxg7+ Qxg7 37.Qxg7+ Kxg7 38.bxc4 dxc4 39.a4* 1-0 (39) JelenaZ (2642)-CaptainSploosh (2634) Blitz 2022 *)* 8...d5 9.exd5 Qxd5 10.Nc3 Qc5 11.Qe1 Nf5 12.Bxc6 bxc6 13.Kf2 Nd6 14.Kg1 Bg4 15.Nd2 f5 16.Kh1 Rae8 17.Nb3 Qa7 18.Qg3 Bh5 19.Rae1 Bg6 20.Qf2 a5 21.Nd2 Bf7 22.Nf3 Bd5 23.Qg3 Bxf3 24.gxf3 Qb6 25.Rg1 Rf7 26.Rb1 Qxe3 27.Rbe1 Qd4 28.Rg2 Rfe7 29.Rge2 Nb5 30.Nd1 Qd5

31.c4 Qxd3 32.cxb5 cxb5 33.Nf2 Qd5 34.Kg1 b4 35.h4 a4 36.a3 b3 37.h5 Qd6 38.Kh2 c5 39.Nh3 c4 40.Nf2 Kh8 41.Qg5 Qf6 42.Qxf6 gxf6 43.Rc1 Rc8 44.Nd1 Rd7 45.Nc3 Rd3 46.Kg2 Rg8+ 47.Kf2 f4 48.Rd1 Rd4 49.Re4 Rgd8 50.Rexd4 exd4 51.Nxa4 Kg7 52.Nb6 c3 53.bxc3 Rb8 54.Na4 b2 55.Rb1 dxc3 56.Nxc3 Rb3 57.Nd1 Rxa3 58.Rxb2 Kh6 59.Kg2 Kxh5 60.Nf2 f5 61.Rb5 Kg5 62.Nh3+ Kh4 63.Rxf5 Ra2+ 64.Nf2 Ra4 65.Ne4 Ra2+ 66.Nf2 Ra4 67.Ne4 Ra2+ 68.Nf2 ½-½ (68) Hanskai (2830)-vaynebot (2854) Blitz 2022]

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[9.a3 h6 10.Nbd2 Be6 11.Qe1 b5 12.Bb3 Bxb3 13.Nxb3 f5 14.Nbd2 Qd7 15.Nh4 fxe4 16.Nxe4 d5 17.Nc5 Qd6 18.b4 Rxf1+ 19.Qxf1 Rf8 20.Qe1 Nd8 21.a4 Ne6 22.Nxe6 Qxe6 23.axb5 axb5 24.Nf3 Nf5 25.e4 Nd4 26.Nxd4 exd4 27.exd5 Qxd5 28.Ra6 Kh8 29.Re6 Qa2 30.Re2 Qb2 31.h3 Ra8 32.Re8+ Rxe8 33.Qxe8+ Kh7 34.Qxb5 Qc1+ 35.Kh2 Qf4+ 36.Kh1 Qf1+ 37.Kh2 Qf4+ 38.Kg1 Qc1+ 39.Kh2 Qf4+ ½-½ (39) doreality (2761)-KKlie4 (2807) Blitz 2021]

[9.Nbd2 h6 *(9...b5 10.Bb3 Na5 11.h3 Nxb3 12.axb3 c5 13.Qe1 Ng6 14.Qg3 Qe7 15.Ng5 Bd7 16.Rf2 Nh8 17.Raf1 h6 18.Ngf3 Ng6 19.h4 h5 20.Ng5 f6 21.Nh3 Kh7 22.Rf5 Bxf5 23.exf5 Nh8 24.Ne4 d5 25.Nc3 Qf7 26.Qf3 Rfd8 27.e4 dxe4 28.Nxe4 Rac8 29.Nhg5+ fxg5 30.Nxg5+ Kg8 31.Nxf7 Nxf7 32.Qxh5 Rd6 33.f6 Rc7 34.fxg7 Kxg7 35.Rf5 Rg6 36.Rxe5 c4 37.bxc4 bxc4 38.d4 c3 39.b3 Rc8 40.Re7* 1-0 (40) Juan_Delasala (2609)-Grukjr (2654) Blitz 2023*)* 10.Qe1 f5 11.Bb3+ Kh7 12.Qh4 Ng6 13.Qxd8 Rxd8 14.exf5 Bxf5 15.Nxe5 Ngxe5 16.Rxf5 Na5 17.Raf1 Nxb3 18.Nxb3 a5 19.Nd4 a4 20.a3 Kg6 21.R5f4 Nc6 22.Ne6 Rdc8 23.Rg4+ 1-0 (23) ErenYeagaaa (2626)-CaptainSploosh (2596) Blitz 2022]

9...f5

[9...h6 10.Nc3 f5 11.exf5 Bxf5 12.Qe2 Qe8 13.Nd5 Nxd5 14.cxd5 b5 15.dxc6 bxa4 16.Rac1 Qh5 17.e4 Be6 18.a3 Rf6 19.Qe3 Raf8 20.Rf2 Bg4 21.Rcf1 Qe8 22.Qc1 Qe6 23.Nd2 Rxf2 24.Rxf2 Rxf2 25.Kxf2 Qf6+ 26.Kg1 Be2 27.Qc4+ Kh7 28.g3 Qg5 29.Qc3 Qe3+ 30.Kg2 Bxd3 31.Nf3 Qe2+ 32.Kh3 Qxf3 0-1 (32) DmitryMaximov (2712)-Agressive_Style (2661) Blitz 2021]

10.Nc3 f4 11.exf4 Rxf4 12.Nd5 Nxd5 13.cxd5 Ne7 14.Qc2 Ng6 15.Rac1 Rf7 16.Qd2 h6 17.Bd1 Bg4 18.Be2 Qe7 19.Rf2 Raf8 20.Rcf1 Nf4 21.Bd1 h5 22.b4 h4 23.Nxe5 Qxe5 24.Bxg4 Qg5 25.Qd1 Rf6 26.d4 Kh8 27.h3 Ng6 28.Bf5 Ne7 29.Qg4 Qxg4 30.Bxg4 Rxf2 31.Rxf2 Rxf2 32.Kxf2 g5 33.Ke3 Kg7 34.Bd7 Kf6 35.a4 Ng6 36.Bc8 b6 37.Bxa6 Nf4 38.Bf1 Ke7 39.a5 bxa5 40.bxa5 Kd7 41.Kf3 Kc8 42.Kg4 Kb7 43.Kxg5 1-0 (43) chesszxj (2854)-Up_to_something (2820) Blitz 2022

[15] **8.c3** 0-0 9.0-0 d6 10.Nbd2 h6

[10...Ra8 11.d4 Ng6 12.Bxc6 bxc6 13.dxe5 Nxe5 14.Nxe5 dxe5 15.Nc4 Qf6 16.Qh5 Be6 17.Ne3 g6 18.Qe2 Rfd8 19.Rfd1 Rxd1+ 20.Rxd1 Rb8 21.b3 Rb6 22.Nc4 Bxc4 23.Qxc4 a5 24.g3 Qf3 25.Qd3 Qxd3 26.Rxd3

a4 27.bxa4 Rb2 28.Rd7 Rxa2 29.Rxc7 Rxa4 30.Rxc6 Rxe4 31.Kg2 Kg7 32.h4 h5 33.Rc7 Kf6 34.Kf3 Re1 35.Rc6+ Kf5 36.Kg2 f6 37.Ra6 Re2 38.c4 Rc2 39.Rc6 e4 40.Kg1 Ke5 41.Kf1 Kf5 42.Kg1 g5 43.hxg5 fxg5 44.Rc5+ Kg4 45.Re5 Rxc4 46.Kg2 h4 47.Rxe4+ Rxe4 48.f3+ Kf5 49.fxe4+ Kxe4 50.gxh4 gxh4 51.Kh3 Kf5 52.Kxh4 ½-½ (52) rs69 (2654)-spectraline (2567) Blitz 2023]
11.Re1 f5 12.d4 b5 13.Bb3+ Kh8 14.dxe5 dxe5 15.exf5 Bxf5 16.Nf1 Ng6 17.Ng3 Qxd1 18.Raxd1 Bg4 19.Bd5 Nce7 20.Be4 c5 21.Rd6 Rf6 22.Rd8+ Rf8 23.Rxf8+ Nxf8 24.Nxe5 Bc8 25.Rd1 Nd7 26.Nf5 Nxe5 27.Nxe7 Rxe7 28.Rd8+ 1-0 (28) calcu_later (2686)-SGenos (2577) Rapid 2025

16 **12.Kh1** b5 13.Bc2 Bb7 14.f4 Raa8 15.e5 Qd8 16.Be4 Qc8 17.Nxc6 Bxc6 18.Bxc6 dxc6 19.Nd2 Qf5 20.Qf3 f6 21.exf6 Rxf6 22.g3 Re8 23.Rae1 Rfe6 24.Rxe6 Rxe6 25.Nb3 c5 26.g4 Qe4 27.Qxe4 Rxe4 28.Nxc5 Re2 29.Nxa6 Rxb2 30.Nxc7 Nh4 31.h3 Kf7 32.Kg1 Ke7 33.Rf2 Rb1+ 34.Kh2 Kd6 35.Ne8+ Kd5 36.Nxg7 Ke4 37.Kg3 Ng6 38.f5 Ne5 39.f6 Rg1+ 40.Kh4 Nf7 41.Ne6 Ke5 42.Ng5 Nh8 43.f7 Ng6+ 44.Kh5 Nf8 45.Re2+ Kf6 46.Re8 Kg7 47.Ne6+ Kxf7 48.Rxf8+ Kxe6 49.Rf5 Rb1 50.h4 Rb2 51.Kh6 b4 52.cxb4 Rxb4 53.Rg5 Kf6 54.Kxh7 Rb7+ 55.Kh6 Rb8 56.Rg6+ Kf7 57.h5 Rb4 58.Kg5 Rb5+ 59.Kh6 Ra5 60.g5 Kf8 61.Rf6+ Kg8 62.Kg6 Ra8 63.h6 Kh8 64.Kh5 Rb8 65.a4 Ra8 66.Kg6 Rb8 67.a5 Rg8+ 68.Kh5 Ra8 69.a6 Rxa6 70.Kg6 Rxf6+ 71.gxf6 Kg8 72.f7+ Kf8 73.h7 Ke7 74.h8Q Ke6 75.Qf6+ Kd7 76.f8Q Kc7 77.Q8e7+ Kc8 78.Qff8# 1-0 (78) Herushkanamura (2915)-zvonokchess (2818) Blitz 2023

17 **5...Nf6** 6.Nxe5
[6.d3 d6 7.c3 0-0
A) 8.Nbd2 Ba7 *(8...Ne7 9.Bb3 Ng6 10.h3 Ba7 11.Re1 Be6 12.Nf1 Qd7 13.Ng3 Rae8 14.Bg5 Bxh3 15.Bxf6 Bxg2 16.Nf5 Bxf3 17.Qxf3 gxf6 18.Qh5 Kh8 19.Kh1 Rg8 20.Rg1 Bxf2 21.Rg2 Nf4 22.Rxg8+ Rxg8 23.Qh6 Ng6 24.Rf1 Ba7 25.Rf3 Qd8 26.Rh3 Nf8 27.Bxf7 Rg1+ 28.Kh2 Rg5 29.Rg3 Ne6 30.Rxg5 fxg5 31.Bxe6 Qf8 32.Qxf8#* 1-0 (32) hectorluis2019 (2603)-BughouseKnight (2627) Blitz 2021*)*
9.Re1 Ne7 10.Nf1 Ng6 11.Ng3 c6 12.h3 Re8 13.Bg5 h6 14.Bd2 d5 15.Bb3 Be6 16.exd5 Bxd5 17.Bc2 Qd7 18.Ne4 Bxe4 19.dxe4 Rad8 20.Be3 Bxe3 21.Rxe3 Qxd1+ 22.Rxd1 Rxd1+ 23.Bxd1 Nf4 24.Bc2 Nd7 25.Kh2 Kf8 26.g3 Ne6 27.Kg2 Ke7 28.h4 g5 29.hxg5 hxg5 30.Nh2 Nf6 31.Re2 Kd8 32.Nf1 Kc7 33.Ne3 Rd8 34.Nf5 a5 35.Bb3 Nc5 36.Bxf7 Ncxe4 37.Bb3 Re8 38.Bc2 Nd6 39.Nxd6 Kxd6 40.f3 g4 41.fxg4 Nxg4 42.Be4 Nf6 43.Bf5 e4 44.Kf2 Ke5 45.Bh3 Rd8 46.Kg2 Rd3 47.Rf2 Nd5 48.Rf8 Kd6 49.Bg4 Rd2+ 50.Kh3 Rxb2 51.Bh5 e3 52.Re8 Ne7 53.Rd8+ Ke6 54.Rd1 Nd5 55.c4 Nc3 56.Re1 e2 57.Kg2 Ke5 58.Kf3 Kd4 59.g4 Kxc4 60.g5 Rb5 61.Bf7+ Kd4 62.g6 Rg5 63.Kf4 Rg2 64.Kf3 Rg5 65.Kf4

Rxg6 66.Bxg6 b5 67.a3 b4 68.axb4 axb4 69.Kg3 b3 70.Kf2 b2 71.Bc2 Kc4 72.Rg1 Kb4 73.Rg3 c5 74.Re3 c4 75.Rg3 b1Q 76.Bxb1 Nxb1 77.Kxe2 Nc3+ 78.Kd2 Nb5 79.Kc2 Nd4+ 80.Kb2 Nb3 81.Rg4 1-0 (81) BezMozga (2635)-kartoGM (2674) Blitz 2021;

B) 8.Bg5 h6 9.Bh4 g5 10.Bg3 Bg4 11.Nbd2 Ne7 12.h3 Bh5 13.Qc1 Ng6 14.Re1 Nf4 15.Bc2 Ba7 16.d4 Qe7 17.Re3 Kh7 18.b4 Rg8 19.Qb2 Rae8 20.Nh2 Kh8 21.Rae1 g4 22.h4 Bg6 23.Nb3 N4h5 24.c4 Nxg3 25.Rxg3 Bh7 26.c5 Nh5 27.Rge3 Qxh4 28.dxe5 dxe5 29.g3 Qg5 30.Nd2 Nf6 31.Nc4 Bb8 32.b5 c6 33.bxa6 bxa6 34.Qb7 h5 35.Qxc6 Re6 36.Nd6 Bxd6 37.cxd6 h4 38.Nf1 hxg3 39.Nxg3 Nh5 40.Bb3 Nf4 41.Bxe6 fxe6 42.d7 Qh4 43.Qc4 Nh3+ 44.Kf1 Nf4 45.Kg1 Nh3+ 46.Kf1 Nf4 47.Kg1 ½-½ (47) chargemax23 (2718)-Enialios (2689) Blitz 2023]

[6.Bxc6 dxc6 7.Nxe5 Nxe4 *(7...0-0 8.d3 Re8 9.Nf3 h6 10.h3 Be6 11.Be3 Bxe3 12.fxe3 c5 13.Nbd2 c4 14.d4 c5 15.c3 b5 16.Re1 Qc7 17.Qc2 Bxh3 18.gxh3 Qg3+ 19.Kh1 Nxe4 20.Re2 Nf2+ 21.Rxf2 Qxf2 22.e4 cxd4 23.cxd4 Rad8 24.Rg1 Re6 25.e5 a5 26.Qe4 Rg6 27.Rxg6 fxg6 28.e6 Re8 29.d5 Qg3 30.Qg4* 1-0 (30) borisov_maxim (2605)-GRXbullet (2589) Blitz 2022*)* 8.Qe2 Nxf2 9.Nd3+ 1-0 (9) amirali_za91 (2648)-BughouseKnight (2651) Blitz 2021]

6...Nxe5 7.d4 b5

[7...Ba7 8.dxe5 Nxe4 9.Qg4 Nxf2 10.Rxf2 0-0 11.Bh6 g6 12.Bxf8 Qxf8 13.Qg3 Qb4 14.Nc3 Qxb2 15.Rb1 Bxf2+ 16.Kxf2 Qa3 17.Bb3 d6 18.exd6 cxd6 19.Ne4 d5 20.Nf6+ Kg7 21.Qe5 Qc5+ 22.Kf3 Qc6 23.Nh5+ Kh6 24.Qg7+ Kxh5 25.g4+ Bxg4+ 0-1 (25) XThepunisherX (2631)-borisov_maxim (2673) Blitz 2023]

8.Bb3 Bxd4 9.Qxd4 d6 10.f4

[10.Qd1 0-0 11.Bg5 h6 12.Bxf6 Qxf6 13.f4 Nc4 14.Bxc4 bxc4 15.Nc3 Rb8 16.Rb1 Bb7 17.Qd2 Rfe8 18.Rbe1 c5 19.b3 Qd4+ 20.Rf2 Rbd8 21.Qxd4 cxd4 22.Ne2 Bxe4 23.Nxd4 Rc8 24.Rfe2 d5 25.Re3 c3 26.Kf2 Re7 27.h3 h5 28.g4 hxg4 29.hxg4 Rb7 30.Ne2 Rbc7 31.Rc1 f5 32.gxf5 Bxf5 33.Re5 Be4 34.Ke3 Rc6 35.Ng3 Rh6 36.Nxe4 dxe4 37.a4 Kf7 38.Rxe4 Rh2 39.b4 Rh3+ 40.Kd4 Rh2 41.Ke3 Rh3+ 42.Kd4 Rh2 43.b5 Rd2+ 44.Ke3 axb5 45.axb5 Rh8 46.Rc4 Rh3+ 47.Ke4 Re2+ 48.Kd4 Re7 49.b6 Rh6 50.Rb1 Rd6+ 51.Kc5 Rd8 52.Kb5 Rd5+ 53.Ka6 Rd6 54.Rb3 Kf6 55.Rb5 g6 56.Rxc3 Kf7 57.Rc8 Kg7 58.c4 Re2 59.c5 Rde6 60.c6 Ra2+ 61.Kb7 Rd6 62.Rc7+ Kf8 63.Rb3 Rc2 64.Rh3 Kg8 65.Ra3 Rf6 66.Ra8+ Rf8 67.Rxf8+ Kxf8 68.Rd7 Kg8 69.c7 Rc1 70.c8Q+ Rxc8 71.Kxc8 g5 72.b7 gxf4 73.Kc7 Kf8 74.b8Q# 1-0 (74) odonata-bot (2608)-FataliiBot (2308) Blitz 2024]

10...Nc6

[10...c5 11.Qd1 Nc6 12.Bd5 Nxd5 13.exd5 Ne7 14.c4 bxc4 15.Na3 Bb7 16.Nxc4 Bxd5 17.Ne3 Be4 18.f5 d5 19.f6 gxf6 20.Rxf6 Ng6 21.Qa4+ Qd7 22.Qxd7+ Kxd7 23.Rxf7+ Ke6 24.Rb7 d4 25.Rb6+

Kd7 26.Ng4 Kc7 27.Rb3 h5 28.Nf6 Bc6 29.Bg5 Rab8 30.Rc1 Rxb3 31.axb3 Kb6 32.h4 Ne5 33.Re1 Nd3 34.Re6 Nxb2 35.Nd7+ Kb5 36.Ne5 Bd5 37.Re7 Bxb3 38.Rb7+ Ka4 39.Be7 c4 40.Rb4+ Ka3 41.Rb8+ Ka2 42.Rxh8 c3 43.Bg5 c2 44.Rd8 Nc4 45.Nxc4 Bxc4 46.Rxd4 Kb3 47.g4 Kc3 48.Rxc4+ Kxc4 49.gxh5 Kd3 50.h6 Ke4 51.h7 c1Q+ 52.Bxc1 Kf5 53.h8Q Kg4 54.h5 Kh3 55.h6 a5 56.h7 a4 57.Qg8 a3 58.h8Q# 1-0 (58) WallaceWilliams (2660)-Gutemaus2019 (2681) Blitz 2022]

[10...Ng6 11.e5 dxe5 12.Qxd8+ Kxd8 13.fxe5 Nxe5 14.Bg5 h6 15.Bh4 g5 *(15...Re8 16.Nc3 Be6 17.Ne4 Kc8 18.Nxf6 gxf6 19.Rxf6 Kb7 20.Rxh6 Ng4 21.Rh7 Rh8 22.Rxh8 Rxh8 23.Bxe6 fxe6 24.Bg3 Re8 25.Re1 Kc6 26.a3 Nf6 27.h4 Re7 28.Re5 Ng4 29.Rg5 Ne3 30.Bf2 Nd5 31.h5 Rh7 32.g4 Nf4 33.Kh2 Nd5 34.Bd4 Kd6 35.Kh3 a5 36.Kh4 a4 37.Rg7 Rh8 38.Rd7+ Kxd7 39.Bxh8 Ke7 40.g5 b4 41.axb4 Nxb4 42.g6 e5 43.Kg5 Nd5 44.h6 e4 45.c4 a3 46.bxa3 Nb6 47.Bf6+ Kd6 48.g7 e3 49.c5+ Kxc5 50.Bc3 Nd5 51.Be1 Ne7 52.Bb4+ Kd4 53.Bxe7 e2 54.Bb4 c5 55.Be1 Kd3 56.h7 Kc2 57.g8Q Kd1 58.h8Q Kxe1 59.Qh2 Kf1 60.Qc4 Ke1 61.Qcxe2#* 1-0 (61) odonata-bot (2607)-FataliiBot (2309) Blitz 2024*)*

16.Bg3 Neg4 17.h3 Ne4 18.hxg4 Nxg3 19.Rd1+ Bd7 20.Bd5 Bxg4 21.Bf3+ Ke7 22.Bxg4 h5 23.Bf3 Rad8 24.Nc3 g4 25.Re1+ Kf8 26.Rad1 Rxd1 27.Bxd1 Kg7 28.Kf2 Nf5 29.Re5 Kf6 30.Rc5 Rd8 31.Be2 g3+ 32.Kf3 h4 33.Bd3 Nd4+ 34.Kg4 Ne6 35.Rf5+ Kg6 36.Rd5+ Kf6 37.Rxd8 Nxd8 38.Nd5+ Ke5 39.Nxc7 Ne6 40.Nxe6 fxe6 41.Kxh4 Kf4 42.c4 bxc4 43.Bxc4 a5 44.Bxe6 Ke4 45.Kxg3 Ke5 46.Bf7 Kf5 47.a3 Kf6 48.Bb3 Kf5 49.Bc2+ Ke5 50.Kf3 Ke6 51.Kf4 Kd7 52.Ke5 Kd8 53.Kf6 Kc7 54.Ba4 Kd6 55.g4 Kc5 56.g5 Kd4 57.g6 Ke3 58.g7 Ke2 59.Bb5+ Kd2 60.g8Q Kc2 61.Qa2 Kd2 62.Ba6 Ke3 63.b4 Kf3 64.bxa5 Kf4 65.Qf2+ Ke4 66.Bb5 Kd5 67.Qe2 Kd6 68.Qe5# 1-0 (68) odonata-bot (2608)-FataliiBot (2325) Blitz 2024]

11.Qc3

[11.Qe3 0-0 12.Nc3 Re8 13.f5 Na5 14.Qf3 h6 15.Qg3 Nxb3 16.axb3 Kh7 17.Nxb5 Bb7 18.Nc3 Bxe4 19.Rf2 d5 20.Bf4 c5 21.Rd1 d4 22.Be5 Bc6 23.Na4 Nh5 24.Qg4 Rxe5 25.Qxh5 Qf6 26.Rdf1 Rae8 27.h3 Bb5 28.Rc1 Re1+ 29.Rxe1 Rxe1+ 30.Kh2 Qe5+ 31.g3 Bc6 0-1 (31) BughouseKnight (2680)-AlexS1993 (2664) Blitz 2021]

11...Bb7 12.e5 Ne4 13.Qe3 Na5 14.Nd2 Nxb3 15.cxb3 Nxd2 16.Bxd2 0-0 17.Rad1 Re8 18.h3 dxe5 19.Bc3 Qf6 20.Qg3 Qb6+ 21.Kh2 Rad8 22.fxe5 Rxd1 23.Rxd1 Qe6 24.Ba5 Qe7 25.a3 Be4 26.Qf4 Bg6 27.Rd5 h6 28.Bc3 Qe6 29.Qf3 Rc8 30.b4 Bc2 31.Rd4 Kh7 32.Qf2 Bg6 33.Rd2 Be4 34.Qe3 Qg6 35.Qg3 Bc6 36.Qxg6+ Kxg6 37.Rd3 Re8 38.Rg3+ Kh7 39.Rd3 Kg6 40.Rg3+ Kh7 41.Rd3 Kg6 ½-½ (41) expositor (2883)-Lynx_BOT (2748) Rapid 2024

5...Qe7 6.c3 b5 7.Bc2 d6 8.d4 Bb6 9.d5 Nd8 10.a4 Rb8 11.axb5 axb5 12.Qe2 Bd7 13.Bd3 Nf6 14.Na3 0-0 15.Nxb5 c6 16.dxc6 Bxc6 17.Na3 Ne6 18.Nc4 Bc7 19.Ra7 Ra8 20.Rxa8

Rxa8 21.b4 d5 22.Ncxe5 Bb7 23.exd5 Nxd5 24.Qe4 g6 25.c4 f5 26.Qe1 Nxb4 27.Bb1 Bd6 28.Nd3 Bxf3 29.gxf3 Ra1 30.c5 Nxd3 31.cxd6 Nxe1 32.dxe7 Nxf3+ 33.Kg2 Kf7 34.Bb2 Nh4+ 35.Kh3 Ra4 36.Bf6 Nf4+ 37.Kxh4 Nh5+ 38.Kh3 Nxf6 39.Re1 Ra7 40.e8Q+ Nxe8 41.Bc2 Nf6 42.Kg2 Rc7 43.Bb3+ Kg7 44.h3 Nh5 45.Ra1 Kf6 46.h4 Rc3 47.Ra6+ Ke5 48.Bg8 Nf4+ 49.Kh2 Rh3+ 50.Kg1 Rxh4 51.Ra7 h5 52.Bh7 g5 53.Ra5+ Nd5 54.Bxf5 Kxf5 55.Rxd5+ Kf4 56.Kg2 Rg4+ 57.Kf1 h4 58.Rd4+ Kf5 59.Rd3 Rf4 60.Kg2 g4 61.Rd5+ Ke4 62.Rh5 h3+ 63.Kg1 Kf3 64.Rd5 Re4 65.Rd3+ Kf4 66.Rd1 Re2 67.Rc1 Kg5 68.Rc8 Re1+ 69.Kh2 Rf1 70.Rg8+ Kh5 71.Rh8+ Kg6 72.Rg8+ Kf5 73.Rf8+ Ke4 74.Kg3 Rg1+ 75.Kh2 Rg2+ 76.Kh1 g3 77.f3+ Ke3 78.Re8+ Kf2 79.Ra8 Kxf3 80.Ra3+ Kf2 81.Ra2+ Kf3 82.Ra3+ Kf2 83.Ra2+ Kf3 84.Ra3+ ½-½ (84) ilqar_7474 (2881)-Hotprimus (2828) Blitz 2024

5...Qf6 6.c3

[6.Nc3 Nge7

A) 7.Re1 h6 8.Nd5 Nxd5 9.exd5 Ne7 10.Rxe5 0-0 11.d4 Bd6 12.Rh5 b5 13.Bb3 Bb7 14.c3 Rae8 15.Ne5 Rd8 16.Qg4 Ng6 17.f4 Rfe8 18.Be3 Bf8 19.Rf1 d6 20.Bc2 dxe5 21.fxe5 Qe7 22.e6 Nh8 23.Rxh6 g6 24.exf7+ Qxf7 25.Rxh8+ Kxh8 26.Rxf7 1-0 (26) wateenellende (2739)-Denov_2791 (2637) Blitz 2022;

B) 7.d3 h6 8.Be3 Bxe3 *(8...Ba7 9.Qd2 0-0 10.h3 d6 11.Bxa7 Rxa7 12.Bxc6 bxc6 13.Nh2 Rb7 14.b3 Ng6 15.Ne2 Qg5 16.f4 exf4 17.Nxf4 a5 18.Rf2 Nxf4 19.Qxf4 Qxf4 20.Rxf4 a4 21.Rff1 Be6 22.Nf3 c5 23.Nd2 Ra8 24.Nc4 Rba7 25.Rac1 axb3 26.axb3 Ra2 27.Kf2 f5 28.exf5 Bxf5 29.Ke3 Re8+ 30.Kd2 Be6 31.Rce1 Bf7 32.Rxe8+ Bxe8 33.Re1 Kf8 34.Rf1+ Ke7 35.Re1+ Kd8 36.g4 Bd7 37.Rf1 Ke7 38.Ne3 c6 39.Re1 Kd8 40.Nf5 Bxf5 41.gxf5 Ra7 42.Re6 Kd7 43.Rg6* 1-0 (43) zonrobla (2604)-Sattarov,B (2459) Blitz 2020*)* 9.fxe3 0-0 10.Ne2 d5 11.Ng3 dxe4 12.Nxe4 Qg6 13.Bb3 Bg4 14.Qe1 Rad8 15.Qf2 Nd5 16.Nh4 Qh7 17.Qg3 f5 18.Nc3 Nce7 19.Qxe5 c6 20.Qxe7 1-0 (20) ScareCCrow06PL (2692)-elpensionado (2555) Blitz 2021;

C) 7.Nd5 Nxd5 *(7...Qd6 8.c3 Nxd5 9.exd5 Qxd5 10.d4 exd4 11.Re1+ Be7 12.Bg5 f6 13.Bf4 Qf7 14.Nxd4 Ne5 15.Nf5 Kd8 16.Bb3 Qf8 17.Bg3 g5 18.Bxe5 fxe5 19.Rxe5 Bf6 20.Re3 d6 21.Be6 Bxe6 22.Rxe6 Kd7 23.Qd5 Rd8 24.Nxd6 cxd6 25.Qf5 Kc7 26.Rxf6 Qe8 27.Qxg5 Qe2 28.b3 Rhe8 29.h3 Kb8 30.Rf7 Qd3 31.Qg7 Qd5 32.c4 Qc6 33.Qxh7 Rh8 34.Qg6 Rhg8 35.Rg7 Rge8 36.Rd1 Re2 37.Qf6 Qb6 38.c5 Qa5 39.b4* 1-0 (39) Iordachescu,V (2644)-Saidov,B (2389) Tashkent UZB 2012*)* 8.exd5 Ne7 *(8...Nd4 9.Nxe5 b5 10.Ng4 Qh4 11.Re1+ Kf8 12.Bb3 f5 13.Ne3 f4 14.g3 Qg5 15.Ng2 fxg3 16.hxg3 d6 17.Re4 Bf5 18.Rf4 Re8 19.Ne3 Re4 20.Rxf5+ Nxf5 21.Qf3 Re5 22.c3 Bxe3 23.dxe3 h5 24.a4 Qf6 25.axb5 axb5 26.e4 Nh6 27.Bd1 Nf7 28.Ra8+ Re8 29.Rxe8+ Kxe8*

30.Qd3 Ne5 31.Qxb5+ Kf7 32.f4 Qg6 33.fxe5 Qxg3+ 34.Kf1 Rf8 35.Ke2 Qg2+ 36.Ke1 Kg8 37.Be2 h4 38.e6 h3 39.e7 Qg1+ 40.Bf1 Qg3+ 41.Kd2 h2 42.exf8Q+ Kxf8 43.Qb8+ Kf7 44.Bb5 Qe5 45.Qh8 Qf4+ 46.Kd3 Qf3+ 47.Be3 Qd1+ 48.Bd2 Qb1+ 49.Ke3 Qg1+ 50.Ke2 Qg2+ 51.Kd3 Qf3+ 52.Kd4 c5+ 53.dxc6 Qf6+ 54.Ke3 Qg5+ 55.Kf3 Qxd2 56.Qh5+ g6 57.Qh7+ Kf6 58.Be2 Qxb2 59.Qh8+ Ke7 60.Qg7+ Ke8 61.Qxg6+ Ke7 62.Qg5+ Kf8 63.Qf6+ Ke8 64.Qe6+ Kf8 65.Qxd6+ Kg7 66.Qe5+ Kf8 67.Qf6+ Ke8 68.Qe6+ Kf8 69.Qc8+ Kg7 70.Qg4+ Kf6 71.Kg2 Qd2 72.c7 Qe3 73.Kxh2 Qf2+ 74.Kh3 Ke7 75.c8Q Qe3+ 76.Kg2 Qxe2+ 77.Qxe2 Kf6 78.Qf3+ Kg5 79.Qfg4+ Kh6 80.Qh8# 1-0 (80) simbelmyne-bot (2612)-bot_adario (2618) Blitz 2024 *)* 9.Bb3 *(9.Re1 0-0 10.d4 Bb4 11.c3 e4 12.Rxe4 Qg6 13.Bc2 f5 14.Ne5 Qe8 15.Rh4 Ba5 16.d6 cxd6 17.Bb3+ Kh8 18.Bg5 Bd8 19.Nf7+ Rxf7 20.Rxh7+ Kxh7 21.Qh5+ Kg8 22.Re1 Qf8 23.Bxe7 Bxe7 24.Bd5 Bf6 25.Re3 g5 26.Qg6+ Bg7 27.Qxg5 f4 28.Re7 b5 29.Rxf7 Qxf7 30.Bxf7+ Kxf7 31.Qd5+ Ke7 32.Qxa8 Kd8 33.h4 Bf6 34.h5 Kc7 35.h6 Bb7 36.Qf8 Bxd4 37.cxd4 Be4 38.Qxf4 Bd3 39.Qd2 Bh7 40.Qg5 b4 41.Qg7 Bd3 42.h7 Bxh7 43.Qxh7 b3 44.axb3 Kb6 45.Qc2 d5 46.g4 a5 47.g5 a4 48.Qc5+ Kb7 49.bxa4 d6 50.Qb5+ Kc7 51.Qxd5 Kd7 52.Qf7+ Kc6 53.g6 d5 54.g7 Kd6 55.g8Q Kc6 56.Qe6+ Kb7 57.Qb8+ Kxb8 58.Qb6+ Kc8 59.Qc6+ Kd8 60.Qd6+ Ke8 61.f4 Kf7 62.f5 Kg7 63.Qe6 Kh7 64.f6 Kg6 65.Qe7 Kg5 66.f7+ Kf4 67.f8Q+ Kg3 68.Qeg7+ Kh3 69.Qfh8#* 1-0 (69) Kratos_Spartan (2614)-Zitto_200 (2630) Blitz 2023*)* 9...0-0 10.c3 h6 11.d3 d6 12.h3 Ng6 13.Bc2 Ba7 14.a4 Bd7 15.b4 Nf4 16.Bxf4 Qxf4 17.Qd2 Qf6 18.Nh2 Qh4 19.Qe2 f5 20.Kh1 f4 21.f3 h5 22.Rad1 Rae8 23.Qe1 Qg3 24.c4 a5 25.bxa5 Bd4 26.Rb1 Bc8 27.Qe2 g5 28.Rfd1 Re7 29.a6 bxa6 30.Rb8 g4 31.Qf1 gxh3 32.Rd2 Rg7 33.a5 Kh8 34.Ba4 Rfg8 35.Rxc8 0-1 (35) tuzakli_egitim (2818)-Akewjon (2718) Blitz 2023]

6...Nge7 7.Re1

[7.d4 exd4

A) 8.Bg5 Qg6

A1) 9.Bxe7 Bxe7 10.cxd4 0-0 11.Nc3 d6 12.Nd5 *(12.Kh1 Bd8 13.Bxc6 bxc6 14.Qa4 Bd7 15.d5 Rb8 16.Rab1 Rb6 17.Nd4 c5 18.Nc6 Bf6 19.e5 Bxc6 20.dxc6 Rb4 21.Qxa6 Bxe5 22.Nd5 Qh6 23.h3 Rd4 24.Ne3 Qf4 25.Ng4 Ra4 26.Qb7 d5 27.Nxe5 Qxe5 28.Rfe1 Qd6 29.a3 h6 30.Rbd1 Rf4 31.Kg1 d4 32.Qb5 Rd8 33.Rd3 Rf6 34.Rc1 Qf4 35.Rc2 Qe4 36.Rc1 Rg6 37.g3 Rd5 38.Rcd1 Rf6 39.Qb8+ Kh7 40.Qxc7 Rdf5 41.R3d2 Rxc6 42.Qb7 Qe6 43.b4 c4 44.Rxd4 c3 45.Rc1 Qe2 46.Rf1 Qe6 47.b5 Rb6 48.Qc7 Rbxb5 49.Qxc3 Rb3 50.Qc2 Rxa3 51.Re4 Qg6 52.g4 Rxh3*

53.Kg2 Rh4 54.f3 Rf6 55.Re2 h5 56.Kg3 Rxg4+ 57.fxg4 Qxc2 58.Rxc2 Rxf1 59.gxh5 Kh6 60.Rc5 Rg1+ 61.Kh4 Rh1+ 62.Kg4 f6 63.Rb5 Rg1+ 64.Kh4 Rg2 65.Ra5 Re2 66.Ra8 Re4+ 67.Kg3 Kxh5 68.Kf3 Rb4 69.Ra6 Kg5 70.Ra5+ f5 0-1 (70) Adhiban,B (2603)-Sattarov,B (2433) Delhi IND 2022 *)* 12...Bd8 13.Qd3 *(13.Re1 Ne7 14.Nf4 Qh6 15.Qd2 Bg4 16.Qe3 Ng6 17.Nd5 Qxe3 18.Nxe3 Bxf3 19.gxf3 c6 20.Nf5 Nh4 21.Re3 Nxf5 22.exf5 d5 23.Bd1 Bf6* 0-1 (23) quick_Mate (2683)-Sattarov,B (2459) Blitz 2021*; 13.Rc1 Qxe4 14.Bb3 Bg4 15.Re1 Qg6 16.Nf4 Qf6 17.Nd5 Qh6 18.Re4 Bxf3 19.gxf3 Kh8 20.Kh1 f5 21.Re1 Bg5 22.Rb1 Bf4 23.Nxf4 Qxf4 24.Rg1 Nxd4 25.Rg3 Rae8 26.Qd3 Re7* 0-1 (26) yoseph2013 (2637)-Denov_2791 (2693) Blitz 2022*)* 13...Bg4 *(13...Ne7 14.Nf4 Qh6 15.g3 c6 16.Rfe1 Ng6 17.Nxg6 fxg6 18.h4 Kh8 19.Bb3 Bh3 20.Qe3 Be7 21.Ng5 Bxg5 22.Qxg5 Rae8 23.f4 Qxg5 24.hxg5 Bg4 25.Re3 d5 26.Rae1 dxe4 27.Rxe4 Rd8 28.Re7 Rxd4 29.Rxb7 Rd3 30.Kf2 Rf3+ 31.Kg2 Rd8 32.Bd1 Rd2+ 33.Re2* 1-0 (33) Kollars,D (2618)-Sattarov,B (2366) chess.com INT 2023 *)* 14.Kh1 Ne7 15.Ne3 Bxf3 16.gxf3 Qh5 17.Bd1 Qh4 18.Ng2 Qh3 19.Nf4 Qh6 20.Ne2 Ng6 21.Rg1 Bg5 22.Bb3 Nf4 23.Nxf4 Bxf4 24.Rg2 c6 25.Rag1 g6 26.e5 Kh8 27.exd6 Rad8 28.d5 Rxd6 29.Qc3+ f6 30.dxc6 Rxc6 31.Qb4 Rfc8 32.Qe7 g5 33.Be6 Qf8 34.Qxf8+ Rxf8 35.Bd5 Rc2 36.Bxb7 Rb8 37.Bxa6 Rbxb2 38.a4 Rxf2 39.Bb5 Be3 40.Rxf2 Rxf2 41.Rf1 Ra2 42.Re1 Bd4 43.Re2 Ra3 44.Kg2 Kg7 45.Rd2 Be5 46.Rd7+ Kg6 47.Bd3+ f5 48.Rd5 Kf6 49.a5 Ke6 50.Bc4 Rc3 51.Rc5+ Kd6 52.Rd5+ Ke6 53.Rc5+ Kd6 54.Rd5+ Ke6 ½-½ (54) swimmerchess (2722)-Sattarov,B (2459) Blitz 2020;

A2) 9.Bc2 0-0 10.Bxe7 Bxe7 11.cxd4 d6 12.e5 Qh5 13.h3 Rd8 14.Qe2 dxe5 15.dxe5 Be6 16.Nc3 Rd7 17.Rfd1 Rad8 18.Rxd7 Rxd7 19.Rd1 Rxd1+ 20.Bxd1 h6 21.Bb3 Bxb3 22.axb3 Qf5 23.Qe4 Qxe4 24.Nxe4 Kf8 25.Kf1 Ke8 26.e6 fxe6 27.Ke2 Kd7 28.Nfd2 b6 29.f4 Bf6 30.Nxf6+ gxf6 31.g4 f5 32.Ke3 b5 33.Nf3 Kd6 34.g5 h5 35.h4 a5 36.Nd2 Ne7 37.Nf1 Ng6 38.Ng3 Nxh4 39.Nxh5 c5 40.Nf6 e5 41.Ne8+ Kd7 42.Nf6+ Ke6 43.fxe5 Kxe5 44.Nd7+ Kd6 45.Nf6 Ng6 46.Ne8+ Kd7 47.Nf6+ Ke6 48.Kf3 Ke5 49.Nd7+ Kd4 50.Nf8 Nxf8 0-1 (50) EleKtRoMaGnIt (2728)-Denov_2791 (2701) Blitz 2023;

B) 8.e5 Nxe5 9.Nxe5 Qxe5 10.Re1 Qf6 11.Nd2 0-0 12.Ne4 Qb6 13.b4 Bd6 14.a3 Ng6 15.Qh5 Bf4 16.Bb3 d5 17.Bxd5 Bxc1 18.Raxc1 Nf4 19.Qg5 Nd3

20.Qh4 Nxe1 21.Ng5 Qg6 22.Rxe1 dxc3 23.Nxf7 Be6 24.Rxe6 Qb1+ 0-1 (24) chesszxj (2729)-Bobbir_Fisher (2730) Blitz 2021]

[7.d3

A) 7...h6 8.Be3 Ba7 9.Bxa7 *(9.d4 0-0 10.dxe5 Nxe5 11.Bxa7 Rxa7 12.Nxe5 Qxe5 13.Nd2 d6 14.Re1 Ng6 15.Bb3 Qf6 16.Qf3 Qxf3 17.Nxf3 Bg4 18.Nd4 Raa8 19.f3 Bd7 20.Rad1 Rfe8 21.g3 Kf8 22.Kf2 a5 23.Bc4 Bc6 24.Bb5 Ne7 25.a4 Red8 26.f4 Be8 27.Bxe8 Rxe8 28.Nb5 Rac8 29.Kf3 Red8 30.c4 Nc6 31.Rd2 Nb4 32.h4 h5 33.g4 hxg4+ 34.Kxg4 Na6 35.Kf3 Re8 36.h5 Re6 37.Nc3 Rce8 38.Rd5 b6 39.Rg5 Nc5 40.Rg2 c6 41.Rge2 Rf6 42.Rd1 Rfe6 43.f5 Rf6 44.Red2 Nd7 45.Rxd6 Ne5+ 46.Kf4 Nxc4 47.Rxf6 gxf6 48.b3 Ne5 49.h6 Ke7 50.Ne2 Rh8 51.Rh1 Rd8 52.h7 Rh8 53.Rh6 Nd3+ 54.Kg3 Ne5 55.Nd4 Kd6 56.Kf4 Kc5 57.Nc2 Nd3+ 58.Ke3 Ne5 59.Rh4 b5 60.axb5 cxb5 61.Kd2 Nf3+* 0-1 (61) Bjerre,J (2642)-Sattarov,B (2351) chess.com INT 2024*)* 9...Rxa7 10.d4 0-0 11.d5 Nd8 12.c4 *(12.d6 cxd6 13.c4 d5 14.exd5 d6 15.Nbd2 Ng6 16.Ne4 Qe7 17.c5 dxc5 18.d6 Qe6 19.Nxc5 Qg4 20.d7 b5 21.h3 Qf5 22.Bc2 Rxd7 23.Nxd7 Qxd7 24.Qxd7 Bxd7 25.Bxg6 fxg6 26.Nxe5 Bf5 27.Rfe1 g5 28.Rad1 Ne6 29.Rd6 Nc5 30.b4 Ne4 31.Rxa6 Nxf2 32.Rf1 Ne4 33.Ng6 Bxg6 34.Rxf8+ Kxf8 35.Rxg6 Nf6 36.Kf2 Kf7 37.Rxf6+ gxf6 38.Ke3 f5 39.Kd4 Ke6 40.Kc5 f4 41.Kxb5 Kd5 42.a4 h5 43.a5 g4 44.hxg4 hxg4 45.a6 f3 46.gxf3 gxf3 47.a7 f2 48.a8Q+ Kd4* 1-0 (48) doreality1991 (2636)-Sattarov,B (2459) Blitz 2020*)* 12...d6 13.Ne1 Ng6 14.Nd3 Qg5 15.Nc3 f5 16.Qc1 f4 17.f3 Nf7 18.Kh1 Nh4 19.Qd2 Qh5 20.Qf2 Ra8 21.g4 Qg5 22.c5 h5 23.gxh5 Qxh5 24.Bd1 Ng5 25.b4 Rf6 26.a4 Rg6 27.Ra2 Nh3 28.Qe1 Qg5 29.a5 Ng2 30.Rg1 Nxe1 31.Rxg5 Rxg5 32.Nxe1 Rg1# 0-1 (32) doreality1991 (2645)-Sattarov,B (2459) Blitz 2020;

B) 7...0-0 8.Be3 d6 9.Bxc5 dxc5 10.Nbd2 Rd8 11.Bc2 Ng6 12.g3 Bh3 13.Re1 Rd7 14.Re3 Rad8 15.Qe1 Nf4 16.Nxe5 Nxe5 17.gxf4 Nxd3 18.Bxd3 Rxd3 19.Nf1 Qxf4 20.Ng3 Rxe3 21.Qxe3 Qxe3 22.fxe3 Rd2 23.b4 c4 24.a4 g6 25.e5 Rg2+ 26.Kh1 Rc2 27.b5 a5 28.Rd1 Rxc3 29.Ne4 Rd3 30.Rc1 Rxe3 31.Ng5 c3 32.Kg1 Bg4 33.Kf2 Rxe5 34.h4 h6 35.Kg3 hxg5 36.Kxg4 Re4+ 37.Kxg5 Kg7 38.Rxc3 f6# 0-1 (38) DominicW (2662)-NoRolex (2649) Blitz 2021]

7...Ba7

[7...0-0 8.d4 exd4 9.e5 Nxe5 10.Rxe5 d6 11.Re1 h6 12.cxd4 Bb6 13.h3 Bf5 14.Nc3 c6 15.Be3 d5 16.Bc2 Rfe8 17.Rc1 Bxc2 18.Rxc2 Nf5 19.Rce2 Re6 20.Na4 Ba5 21.Bd2 Rxe2 22.Qxe2 Nxd4 23.Nxd4 Qxd4 24.Bxa5 Qxa4 25.Bc3 d4 26.Bd2 Qxa2 27.Bf4 Qd5 28.Qg4 Kh7 29.Re7 d3 30.Bd2 Rd8 31.Bc3 g6 32.Qf4 Qf5 33.Rxf7+ 1-0 (33) AlexD64 (2641)-

evilhamburger (2619) Blitz 2023] 8.d4 h6 9.Be3 d6 10.d5 Bxe3 11.Rxe3 b5 12.Bc2 Nd8 13.a4 Rb8 14.axb5 axb5 15.Ra7 c6 16.Na3 0-0 17.b4 Ng6 18.g3 Bg4 19.Qd3 Bh3 20.Bb3 Ne7 21.Nh4 Rb6 22.Ng2 Qg5 23.f4 Qf6 24.Rf3 cxd5 25.exd5 Nf5 26.Bc2 g6 27.Nb1 h5 28.Nd2 Qg7 29.Ne4 Bxg2 30.Kxg2 exf4 31.Rxf4 Rb7 32.Rxb7 Nxb7 33.Rf2 Re8 34.Qxb5 Re7 35.Qd3 Qe5 36.Re2 Kg7 37.Kf1 Nd8 38.Ke1 Rc7 39.Kd2 h4 40.Nf2 Qf6 41.Ne4 Qe5 42.Nf2 Qf6 43.g4 Ne7 44.Bb3 Qg5+ 45.Qe3 Qxe3+ 46.Rxe3 f5 47.g5 Nf7 48.Nh3 Nc8 49.Re6 Ne5 50.Nf4 Kh7 51.Kc2 Nf3 52.Rxg6 Ne1+ 53.Kd1 Rxc3 54.Kxe1 Rxb3 55.Rf6 Rb1+ 56.Ke2 Nb6 57.g6+ Kh6 58.Rf7 Rg1 59.Kf2 Rg4 60.Rxf5 Nxd5 61.Kf3 Rxg6 62.Rxd5 Rg1 63.Rh5+ Kg7 64.Rg5+ Rxg5 65.Ne6+ Kg6 66.Nxg5 Kf5 67.b5 d5 68.b6 d4 69.b7 Ke5 70.b8Q+ Kd5 71.Qb5+ Kd6 72.Ke4 h3 73.Kxd4 Kc7 74.Ke5 Kc8 75.Kd6 Kd8 76.Qb8# 1-0 (76) faith_bot (2873)-expositor (2772) Rapid 2024

5...Ba7 6.Bxc6 dxc6 7.Nxe5 Qh4 8.d4 Nf6 9.f3 c5 10.d5 0-0 11.c4 c6 12.Nc3 Bb8 13.g3 Qh3 14.Bf4 g5 15.Ng4 Nxg4 16.fxg4 gxf4 17.gxf4 Bxg4 18.Qd2 Bf3 19.Qf2 Qg4+ 20.Qg3 Qxg3+ 21.hxg3 Bg4 22.e5 f6 23.d6 Be6 24.b3 Ba7 25.Ne4 Kg7 26.Nxf6 Rxf6 27.exf6+ Kxf6 28.Kg2 Rd8 29.Rad1 Bb8 30.f5 Bf7 31.Rh1 h5 32.g4 hxg4 33.Rh6+ Kg5 34.Rh7 Rd7 35.Rxf7 Rxf7 36.d7 Bc7 37.d8Q+ Bxd8 38.Rxd8 Kxf5 39.Kg3 Rh7 40.Rf8+ Ke4 41.Kxg4 Kd3 42.Rf2 Rg7+ 43.Kh5 Re7 44.Kg6 Re2 45.Rf7 b5 46.cxb5 cxb5 47.Rc7 Rxa2 48.Rxc5 Ra3 49.Rc6 Kd4 50.Kf5 Rxb3 51.Rxa6 Re3 52.Rd6+ Kc4 53.Rc6+ Kb3 54.Kf4 Re2 55.Kf3 Re8 56.Rc5 b4 57.Rc1 Kb2 58.Rc7 b3 59.Rb7 Rf8+ 60.Ke3 Re8+ 61.Kd3 Rd8+ 62.Ke2 Rc8 63.Kd2 Rd8+ 64.Ke2 Ka2 65.Ra7+ Kb1 66.Rb7 b2 67.Ke1 Re8+ 68.Kd2 Rd8+ 69.Kc3 Rc8+ 70.Kd2 Rc5 71.Rb4 Ka2 72.Kd3 Rc1 73.Ra4+ 1-0 (73) ComplianceWithLaw (2608)-coluichenontiaspetti (2683) Blitz 2021

[18] **6.c4** 0-0 [6...Ng6 7.Nc3 0-0 8.h3 d6 9.Bxc6 bxc6 10.d4 exd4 11.Nxd4 Bd7 12.Be3 Re8 13.Qc2 Qh4 14.b3 Nf4 15.Nf3 Nxh3+ 16.gxh3 Qxh3 17.Nh2 Re6 18.Kh1 Rg6 19.Rg1 Bg4 20.Rxg4 Rxg4 21.f3 Rh4 22.Bxc5 Qxf3+ 23.Kg1 Qg3+ 24.Kh1 dxc5 25.Na4 Rd8 26.Rg1 Qe5 27.Nc3 g6 28.Nd1 Qf4 29.Qf2 Qxe4+ 30.Qg2 Rd2 31.Nf2 Qxg2+ 32.Kxg2 Rxh2+ 33.Kxh2 Rxf2+ 34.Rg2 Rxa2 35.Rxa2 1-0 (35) STUPID_FMS (2625)-ma_long_ma (2682) Blitz 2023] 7.Nc3 d6 8.h3 Nd4 9.Nxd4 Bxd4 10.d3 Ng6 11.Ne2 Ba7 12.Be3 Bxe3 13.fxe3 Qg5 14.Rf3 Nh4 15.Rg3 Qh6 16.Qd2 Be6 17.Rf1 b5 18.Bb3 bxc4 19.Bxc4 f5 20.exf5 Nxf5 21.Rgf3 Nh4 22.Rxf8+ Rxf8 23.Rxf8+ Kxf8 24.Bxe6 Qxe6 25.Nc3 Ke8 26.Qf2 Nf5 27.b3 Ne7 28.Qf3 Qf5 29.Qxf5 Nxf5 30.Kf2 Kd7 31.Kf3 Ke6 32.g4 Ne7 33.Ne4 h6 34.Nc3 c5 35.e4 Nc6 36.Ke3 Nd4 37.Nd5 Nc2+ 38.Kd2 Nb4 39.Nc3 d5 40.exd5+ Nxd5 41.Ne4 Nf4 42.Nxc5+ Kd5 43.Nxa6 Nxh3 44.Ke3 Nf4 45.a4 Ne6 46.Nb4+ Kc5 47.Nc2 g6 48.Ke4 h5 49.gxh5 gxh5 50.Kxe5 h4 51.b4+ Kb6 52.Ne3 h3 53.Ng4 Ng5 54.Kf4

Ne6+ 55.Ke4 Ng5+ 56.Ke3 Ne6 57.d4 Ng7 58.Ke4 Nh5 59.d5 Nf6+ 60.Nxf6 h2 61.Ke5 h1Q 62.Nd7+ Kc7 63.Nc5 Qe1+ 64.Kd4 Qxb4+ 65.Ke5 Qxc5 66.Ke6 Qd6+ 67.Kf5 Qxd5+ 68.Kf4 Qc4+ 69.Kf5 Qxa4 70.Kf6 Qc6+ 71.Kg7 Qe6 72.Kf8 Kd7 73.Kg7 Ke7 74.Kh8 Qf5 75.Kg7 Qg5+ 76.Kh7 Kf7 77.Kh8 Qg7# 0-1 (77) BIZOO (2776)-ikica77 (2769) Blitz 2022

6.Re1 0-0

[6...Ng6 7.c3 Qf6 8.d4 Ba7 9.Bg5 Qd6 10.Nbd2 f6 11.Be3 0-0 12.Rc1 Qe7 13.h3 d6 14.b4 f5 15.exf5 Bxf5 16.Nf1 Nh4 17.Nxh4 Qxh4 18.Bxc6 bxc6 19.dxe5 d5 20.Bxa7 Rxa7 21.Ng3 Raa8 22.Nxf5 Rxf5 23.Qd4 Rf4 24.Qd2 Rc4 25.Re3 Re8 26.Rce1 Re6 27.Qd3 g6 28.a3 Kg7 29.Qe2 h5 30.Rd1 Qg5 31.Rd4 Rxd4 32.cxd4 Qf4 33.Qxa6 Qxd4 34.Qc8 Rxe5 35.Qxc7+ Kf6 36.Qd6+ Kf5 37.Rf3+ Kg5 38.h4+ Kxh4 39.Qf6+ g5 40.Rh3+ Kg4 41.Qf3# 1-0 (41) semelus (2681)-AgressiveMode (2770) Blitz 2023]

7.c3 b5

[7...Ba7 8.d4

A) 8...d6 9.h3

A1) 9...b5 10.Bb3 h6

(10...exd4 11.cxd4 d5 12.Bg5 Qd6 13.Nc3 Be6 14.Rc1 Rfe8 15.Bxe7 Nxe7 16.e5 Qd7 17.Ne2 Rac8 18.Nf4 c5 19.Ng5 h6 20.Ngxe6 fxe6 21.Qg4 Nf5 22.Bc2 Nxd4 23.Nh5 Rf8 24.Nf6+ Rxf6 25.exf6 Rf8 26.fxg7 Qxg7 27.Qxg7+ Kxg7 28.Bd1 c4 29.Bg4 Rf6 30.Re3 b4 31.Rd1 a5 32.g3 Nf5 33.Rf3 Nd4 34.Re3 a4 35.Kg2 a3 36.bxa3 b3 37.axb3 Nxb3 38.Rf3 c3 39.Rxc3 Rxf2+ 40.Kh1 Nc5 41.a4 Kf6 42.Rf3+ Rxf3 43.Bxf3 Ke5 44.a5 Kd6 45.Rb1 d4 46.Rd1 d3 47.Be4 Nxe4 48.Rxd3+ Ke5 49.Rf3 Nd2 50.Kg2 Nxf3 51.Kxf3 Kf5 52.g4+ Kg5 53.h4+ Kxh4 54.Ke4 Kxg4 55.a6 1-0 (55) angelmarqz (2608)-Kampani Kiaan (1039) Blitz 2023*)* 11.Be3 Ng6 12.Nbd2 Qf6 13.Nf1 Na5 14.Bc2 Nc4 15.Bc1 Nf4 16.Ng3 g5 17.b3 Na5 18.Bb2 Nc6 19.Nf5 Re8 20.Nh2 Bxf5 21.exf5 exd4 22.Rxe8+ Rxe8 23.Ng4 Qg7 24.f6 Qf8 25.cxd4 Ne2+ 26.Kh1 Bxd4 27.Bxd4 Ncxd4 28.Bd3 Nf4 29.Bf1 Nc6 30.Ne3 Ne5 31.a4 Re6 32.axb5 axb5 33.Bxb5 Rxf6 34.Nd5 Nxd5 35.Qxd5 Kg7 36.Ra8 Qe7 37.Re8 c6 38.Rxe7 cxd5 39.Kg1 Rf4 40.Ba4 Rd4 41.g3 Rd1+ 42.Kg2 d4 43.b4 Rb1 44.b5 d3 45.f4 gxf4 46.gxf4 Rb2+ 47.Kg3 Ng6 48.Rd7 Rb4 49.Bd1 Rxb5 50.Rxd6 Rb2 51.Rxd3 Ne7 52.Bg4 f5 53.Bf3 Kf6 54.Rd6+ Kf7 55.Rd7 Kf6 56.Rd6+ Kf7 57.Rd1 Rb6 58.h4 Kf6 59.h5 Nc6 60.Rg1 Nd4 61.Kh4 Nxf3+ 62.Kg3 Nxg1 63.Kh4 Rb4 64.Kg3 Re4 65.Kf2 Rxf4+ 66.Kg3 Rg4+ 67.Kh2 Rg5 68.Kh1 Ne2 69.Kh2 Nc3 70.Kh1 Nb5 71.Kh2 Na7 72.Kh1 Rxh5+ 73.Kg2 Rg5+ 74.Kf2 Kg6 75.Kf3 h5 76.Kf2 h4 77.Ke2 h3 78.Kd3 h2 79.Kc4 h1Q 80.Kc5 Qc6+ 81.Kd4 Rg4+ 82.Ke5 Re4# 0-1 (82) nicksecreto (2622)-I_Love_Lubimka (2594) Blitz

2022;

A2) 9...f5 10.dxe5 fxe4 11.Bb3+ Kh8 12.Rxe4 Nxe5 13.Nxe5 Bxf2+ 14.Kh2 dxe5 15.Qxd8 Rxd8 16.Bg5 Bc5 17.Nd2 Bf5 18.Re2 h6 19.Bh4 Re8 20.Bf7 Rf8 21.Bxe7 Bxe7 22.Bd5 c6 23.Be4 Be6 24.b3 Rad8 25.Nf3 Bf6 26.Rae1 Rfe8 27.g4 Bd5 28.Kg3 Bg8 29.h4 a5 30.g5 Be7 31.Kg2 Bd6 32.g6 a4 33.c4 axb3 34.axb3 Bb4 35.Ra1 Ra8 36.Rxa8 Rxa8 37.Nxe5 Bc3 38.Nf7+ Bxf7 39.gxf7 g5 40.h5 Kg7 41.Bg6 Bb4 42.Re8 Ra2+ 43.Kf3 Bf8 44.Rb8 b5 45.cxb5 cxb5 46.Rxb5 Rb2 47.Rb8 Ra2 48.b4 Rb2 49.b5 Rb4 50.Ke3 g4 51.Kf2 Rb2+ 52.Kg3 Bd6+ 53.Kxg4 Bxb8 0-1 (53) hungzhao (2643)-andresmontoya2001 (2476) Blitz 2025;

B) 8...exd4 9.cxd4 d5 10.e5 Bg4 11.Be3 Bxf3 *(11...Nf5 12.Bxc6 bxc6 13.Qc2 c5 14.h3 Bxf3 15.Qxf5 Be4 16.Qg4 cxd4 17.Bh6 Bg6 18.Bg5 Qc8 19.Qf3 Be4 20.Qg3 Rb8 21.Nd2 Bg6 22.h4 Qf5 23.Nb3 c5 24.Rad1 d3 25.Be7 c4 26.Bxf8 Rxf8 27.Nd2 Rb8 28.Rb1 h5 29.e6 fxe6 30.Nf3 Rf8 31.Qc7 Bb8 32.Qb6 e5 33.Ng5 e4 34.Rf1 Bf4 35.Qe6+ Qxe6 36.Nxe6 Rf6 37.Nxf4 Rxf4 38.g3 Rf3 39.Kg2 Bf5 40.Rbc1 Bg4 41.b3 d2 42.Rc2 c3 43.b4 Rd3 44.f3 Bxf3+ 45.Kf2 d1Q 46.Rxd1 Bxd1 47.Rc1 c2 48.a4 Rb3 49.Kf1 Rxb4 50.Ke1 Rxa4 51.Kd2 Rb4 52.Ke1 Rb1 53.Kd2 Rxc1 54.Kxc1 e3 55.g4 e2 56.gxh5 e1Q* 0-1 (56) Sigmachess08 (2662)-Sobino106 (2682) Blitz 2024*)* 12.gxf3 Nf5 13.Bxc6 bxc6 14.Nc3 Qh4 15.Ne2 f6 16.f4 Qh3 17.Ng3 Nh4 0-1 (17) Chessmatenok17 (2716)-MihailRodin (2574) Blitz 2023]

8.Bb3 d6 9.d4 Bb6 10.h3 Ng6 11.a4 [11.Be3 Rb8 12.Nbd2 Kh8 13.a4 f6 14.axb5 axb5 15.d5 Nce7 16.Bxb6 Rxb6 17.Ra8 h6 18.Qa1 Nf4 19.Kh2 f5 20.Bc2 fxe4 21.Bxe4 Nfxd5 22.Qb1 Nf6 23.b4 Qe8 24.Nh4 Qh5 25.g3 Nxe4 26.Nxe4 d5 27.Nc5 Rxf2+ 28.Kg1 Rbf6 29.Rxc8+ Nxc8 30.Nd7 Qg5 31.Qd3 R2f3 32.Nxf3 Qxg3+ 33.Kh1 Qxh3+ 34.Kg1 Qg3+ 35.Kh1 Rxf3 36.Rxe5 Qh4+ 37.Kg1 Qf2+ 38.Kh1 Rxd3 39.Re8+ Kh7 40.Nf8+ Qxf8 41.Rxf8 Nd6 0-1 (41) Iran-first (2631)-ScheveningenSea (2665) Blitz 2023]

11...Rb8 12.axb5 axb5 13.Na3 b4 14.Nc4 bxc3 15.bxc3 h6 16.Nxb6 Rxb6 17.Be3 Rb8 18.Bd5 Bd7 19.Qd2 Nce7 20.Bc4 Bb5 21.Ba2 Bc6 22.Bxh6 exd4 23.cxd4 d5 24.exd5 Bxd5 25.Bxd5 Nxd5 26.Bg5 Qd6 27.Ne5 Rfe8 28.Rec1 Nxe5 29.dxe5 Rxe5 30.Bh4 Ree8 31.Bg3 Qe6 32.Bxc7 Nxc7 33.Rxc7 Rbd8 34.Qc2 Rd7 35.Rc8 Rdd8 36.Rxd8 Rxd8 37.Qc3 Re8 38.Qg3 Qe5 39.Qxe5 Rxe5 40.Ra7 g6 41.g4 Kg7 42.Kg2 Rb5 43.Kg3 Rb3+ 44.f3 Rc3 45.h4 Rb3 46.Ra5 Rb4 47.h5 Rc4 48.hxg6 Kxg6 49.Ra6+ Kg7 50.f4 Rb4 51.g5 Rb1 52.Kg4 Rg1+ 53.Kf5 Rb1 54.Ra7 Rb5+ 55.Kg4 Rb4 56.Rc7 Ra4 57.Re7 Rb4 58.Kf5 Rb5+ 59.Re5 Rb7 60.Rc5 Ra7 61.Rc4 Ra5+ 62.Kg4 Ra1 63.Re4 Rb1 64.Re5 Rb4 65.Rf5 Rb1 66.Rf6

Rb5 67.Kh5 Rb1 68.Rc6 Rh1+ 69.Kg4 Rg1+ 70.Kf5 Ra1 71.Rc7 Ra5+ 72.Kg4 Ra4 73.Rc3 Rb4 74.Rf3 Kg6 75.Kh3 Kf5 76.Kg3 Rb1 77.Ra3 Rg1+ 78.Kf2 Rg4 79.Ra4 Rxf4+ 80.Rxf4+ Kxf4 81.Kg2 Kxg5 82.Kg3 Kf5 83.Kf3 f6 84.Kf2 Kg4 0-1 (84) T-Stevenson (2717)-Forlan (2785) Blitz 2022

6.Qe2 d6 7.c3 0-0 8.d3 f5 9.Bb3+ Kh8 10.Be3 fxe4 11.dxe4 Ng6 12.Ng5 Bxe3 13.Qxe3 Qf6 14.Nd2 Nf4 15.Ngf3 Bh3 16.Ne1 Bxg2 17.Nxg2 Qg5 18.Qg3 Ne2+ 0-1 (18) Lancelottt_29 (2701)-Ve_a_terapia_men (2829) Blitz 2023

6.b4 Bxb4 7.c3 Ba5 8.d4 Ng6 9.dxe5 0-0 10.Ba3 Re8 11.Bb3 Ncxe5 12.Nd4 d6 13.f4 Ng4 14.Qf3 Nf6 15.Nd2 Bb6 16.Kh1 Bg4 17.Qg3 c5 18.N4f3 Bc7 19.Ng5 Rf8 20.Rae1 h6 21.Nxf7 Rxf7 22.h3 Bh5 23.Nf3 Qf8 24.e5 Kh7 25.Bxf7 Qxf7 26.exf6 Qxf6 27.c4 d5 28.cxd5 Bxf4 29.Qf2 b6 30.Bb2 Qd6 31.Rd1 Rf8 32.Qc2 Kg8 33.Qd3 Ne7 34.Qxa6 Nf5 35.Rfe1 Ne3 36.Rxe3 Bxe3 37.Qd3 Bf4 38.Qd2 Bxd2 Normal 0-1 (38) quick_Mate (2695)-Calzonesdesuperman (2586) Blitz 2024

6.Bxc6 Nxc6 7.Nxe5 Nxe5 8.d4 Bxd4 9.Qxd4 d6 10.f4 c5 11.Qc3 Ng6 12.Qxg7 Rf8 13.Nc3 Bd7 14.f5 Ne7 15.Bh6 Rg8 16.Qxh7 Rg4 17.h3 Rg3 18.Ne2 1-0 (18) pobimrbr (2636)-alfredogto (2640) Blitz 2024

[19] **7...Bxd4** 8.Qxd4 b5

[8...f6 9.c4 0-0 10.Nc3 d6 11.f4 N5c6 12.Qf2 f5 13.e5 dxe5 14.fxe5 Nxe5 15.Rd1 Bd7 16.Qc5 N5c6 17.Bg5 Qe8 18.Bxe7 1-0 (18) Igor232323 (2665)-Beta99 (2562) Blitz 2021]

[8...N7c6 9.Bxc6 Nxc6 10.Qxg7 1-0 (10) Vokhidov,S (2643)-Belyakov,B (2386) chess.com INT 2024]

[8...N5g6 9.Qxg7 Rg8 10.Qh6 b5 11.Bb3 Bb7 12.Qxh7 Rf8 13.Bh6 c5 14.Bxf8 c4 15.Bg7 d5 16.Nc3 d4 17.Nd5 Nxd5 18.Qg8+ Kd7 19.Qxf7+ Nde7 20.Rfd1 Qg8 21.Rxd4+ Kc7 22.Be5+ Kb6 23.Rd6+ Kc5 24.Qf6 Nc6 25.Rxc6+ Bxc6 26.Bd4+ Kb4 27.Qd6+ Ka5 28.Qc7+ Kb4 29.a3# 1-0 (29) Cbum-indio (2607)-GildardoGarcia (2607) Blitz 2023]

9.Qxe5 bxa4 10.Qxg7 Rg8 11.Qxh7 d6 12.Nc3 Qd7 13.f3 Bb7 14.Be3 0-0-0 15.Qxf7 Rdf8 16.Qh5 Nc6 17.Nd5 Ne5 18.Kh1 Rh8 19.Qg5 Bxd5 20.exd5 Rfg8 21.Qf4 Rf8 22.Qe4 Rfg8 23.Bg1 Qg7 24.Qe2 Rh5 25.f4 Ng4 26.h3 Qh7 27.Rf3 Kb7 28.Re1 Nf6 29.c4 Qg6 30.Bh2 Re8 31.Re3 Rxe3 32.Qxe3 Rh7 33.Qf3 Qc2 34.b3 Qxa2 35.bxa4 Nd7 36.Bg1 Rg7 37.c5 Nxc5 38.Bxc5 dxc5 39.d6+ Kb6 40.Re8 cxd6 41.Rb8+ Ka5 42.Qc3+ Kxa4 43.Qf3 Qa1+ 44.Kh2 Qa2 45.Qe4+ 1-0 (45) Nadigraj (2766)-ikica77 (2611) Blitz 2021

7...Bd6 8.dxe5 Bxe5 9.f4

[9.Nd2 0-0 10.Nf3 d6 11.Nxe5 dxe5 12.Be3 b6 13.Qh5 Ng6 14.Rad1 Qe7 15.Rd3 Be6 16.Rfd1 Rad8 17.g3 Rxd3 18.Rxd3 Rd8 19.Qd1 Rxd3 20.Qxd3 h6 21.c3 b5 22.Bb3 c5 23.Bxe6 Qxe6 24.b3 c4 25.bxc4 bxc4 26.Qd8+ Kh7 27.Qa5 Qc6 28.Qd5 Qa4 29.Qd2 Qc6 30.f3 Nf8 31.Kg2 Ne6 32.h4 Qb5 33.f4 exf4 34.gxf4 Qh5 35.Kg3 f5 36.Qd5 Qg6+ 37.Kf2 Qf6 38.Qxf5+ Qxf5

39.exf5 Nc7 40.Kf3 Nd5 41.Bd4 Ne7 42.Ke4 Kg8 43.f6 Nc6 44.Kd5 Nd8 45.fxg7 Nf7 46.Kxc4 Nd6+ 47.Kd5 Nf5 48.c4 Nxh4 49.c5 Nf5 50.c6 Ne7+ 51.Kd6 Nxc6 52.Kxc6 h5 53.Bf6 h4 54.Bxh4 Kxg7 55.Kb6 1-0 (55) therealYardbird (2643)-bulgariangodfather (2594) Blitz 2023]

9...Bd6 10.Be3 Nc6

[10...0-0 11.Bb3 b5 12.Qg4 *(12.e5 Nf5 13.Bf2 Be7 14.Nc3 Bb7 15.Qg4 g6 16.Rad1 Re8 17.Nd5 Bxd5 18.Rxd5 c6 19.Rd3 d5 20.exd6 Bxd6 21.Qf3 Qc7 22.g4 Ne7 23.f5 Bxh2+ 24.Kg2 Nd5 25.Bxd5 cxd5 26.Rh1 Be5 27.Qh3 h5 28.fxg6 fxg6 29.gxh5 g5 30.Qf5 Qg7 31.h6 Qf6 32.h7+ Kh8 33.Qg4 Rf8 34.Rf3 Qg6 35.c3 Bf4 36.Bd4+ Rf6 37.Rxf4 Qc2+ 38.Rf2* 1-0 (38) chesschampion9999 (2611)-BraginA (2470) Blitz 2024*)* 12...Ng6 13.e5 Be7 14.Rf3 d6 15.Qh5 dxe5 16.Nc3 Nxf4 17.Bxf4 exf4 18.Rd1 Bd6 19.Ne4 Bc5+ 20.Rf2 Bxf2+ 21.Kxf2 Qe7 22.Ng5 Bf5 23.Nxf7 Qc5+ 24.Ke1 Rae8+ 25.Ne5+ Kh8 0-1 (25) Norayr_Torosyan (2629)-vovaches (2671) Blitz 2023]

[10...b5 11.Bb3 Nc6 12.Nc3 0-0 13.Nd5 Bb7 14.Qg4 Re8 15.e5 Be7 16.Rad1 Na5 17.Nxe7+ Qxe7 18.Rxd7 Bc8 19.Rxe7 Bxg4 20.Bxf7+ Kf8 21.Rxe8+ Rxe8 22.Bxe8 1-0 (22) d1rector (2616)-joker123chemp (2448) Blitz 2024]

11.Nc3 0-0 12.Rf3 Be7 13.Rh3 d6 14.f5 Bg5 15.Bxg5 Qxg5 16.Nd5 b5 17.Bb3 Na5 18.Nxc7 Ra7 19.Nd5 Nxb3 20.axb3 Re8 21.Rg3 Qh4 22.Qd4 Re5 23.Rf1 Rd7 24.Rf4 Qh6 25.Rfg4 Kf8 26.h3 Bb7 27.Rxg7 Qxg7 28.Rxg7 Kxg7 29.Nf4 Kf8 30.Nd3 Rxe4 31.Qh8+ Ke7 32.f6+ Ke6 33.Qe8+ Kd5 34.Qxd7 Kd4 35.Qxb7 Ke3 36.Qxe4+ 1-0 (36) TabletopWarrior (2743)-gmmitkov (2622) Blitz 2023

7...Bb6 8.dxe5 Ng6 9.Kh1 Nxe5 10.f4 Ng6 11.Qh5 0-0 12.f5 Ne5 13.Bb3 Bc5 14.f6 gxf6 15.Rf4 Ng6 16.Qxc5 Nxf4 17.Bxf4 d6 18.Qf2 Re8 19.Nc3 Be6 20.Be3 Bxb3 21.axb3 c6 22.Bb6 Qd7 23.Bd4 Re6 24.Rf1 Qe7 25.Bxf6 Rxf6 26.Qxf6 Re8 27.Kg1 Qxf6 28.Rxf6 Re6 29.Rxe6 fxe6 30.e5 dxe5 31.Na4 Kf7 32.Nc5 b6 33.Nxa6 Ke7 34.Kf2 Kd6 35.Nb4 b5 36.Ke3 Kc5 37.Nd3+ Kd5 38.g4 Kd6 39.Ke4 Ke7 40.Kxe5 Kf7 41.b4 Ke7 42.h4 Kd7 43.h5 Ke7 44.g5 Kf8 45.Kf6 c5 46.g6 hxg6 47.hxg6 cxb4 48.g7+ Ke8 49.g8Q+ Kd7 50.Qb8 Kc6 51.Kxe6 b3 52.Ne5+ Kc5 53.Qd6# 1-0 (53) expositor (2721)-ChessatronBot (2431) Rapid 2024

7...Nf3+ 8.Qxf3 Bxd4 9.Rd1 Ba7 10.c4 0-0 11.Be3 Kuzmin, Alexey: '±'

[20] **8...d6** 9.dxe5 dxe5 10.Qxd8+ Kxd8 11.Bxf7 Bb7 12.Nd2 Rf8 13.Be6 Rf6 14.Bg4 Ng6 15.Nb3 Be7 16.Bg5 Rf8 17.Rad1+ Ke8 18.Bxe7 Nxe7 19.Nc5 Bc8 20.Bxc8 Rxc8 21.Nxa6 Nc6 22.c3 Ke7 23.Nc5 Rcd8 24.f3 Na5 25.b3 Nc6 26.Kf2 Rd6 27.Rxd6 cxd6 28.Nd3 Ra8 29.Ra1 Ra3 30.Ke2 Na5 31.Nc1 Nc6 32.Kd2 b4 33.Nd3 Na5 34.Nc1 Nc6 35.Kc2 bxc3 36.Kxc3 Nd4 37.Kb2 Ra8 38.Nd3 g5 39.Rc1 Kd7 40.Nb4 h5 41.Nd5 Rf8 42.Rc7+ Kd8 43.Ra7 1-0 (43) Kesha01 (2723)-alicja92 (2638) Blitz 2021

8...Ba7 9.dxe5 Ng6 10.Qg4 d5 11.Qg3 dxe4 12.Bg5 Qd4 13.Nc3 Qxe5 14.Rad1 0-0 15.Nd5 Qxg3 16.hxg3 Bg4 17.Rd2 c6 18.Ne3 Bxe3

19.Bxe3 Rfd8 20.f3 Rxd2 21.Bxd2 exf3 22.gxf3 Be6 23.Bxe6 fxe6 24.Re1 Kf7 25.Re3 Ne7 26.Re4 Nd5 27.b3 a5 28.c4 Nf6 29.Rd4 Ke7 30.cxb5 cxb5 31.b4 a4 32.Be3 Rb8 33.Rh4 h6 34.Bc5+ Kf7 35.Rd4 Nd5 36.f4 Kf6 37.g4 h5 38.gxh5 Rh8 39.f5 Kxf5 40.Rh4 Nf4 41.Bd6 e5 42.h6 Rxh6 43.Rxh6 gxh6 44.Kf2 Ke4 45.Kg3 Nd3 46.Kg4 Nc1 47.a3 Ne2 48.Kh5 Nc3 49.Kxh6 Nb1 50.Kg6 Nxa3 51.Kf6 Nc4 52.Ke6 Nxd6 53.Kd7 a3 54.Kxd6 a2 55.Kc5 a1Q 56.Kxb5 Qd4 57.Ka6 Qd8 58.b5 Qb8 59.b6 Kd5 60.b7 Kc5 61.Ka5 Qa7# 0-1 (61) Cbum-indio (2611)-BossHubDotCom (2667) Blitz 2023

21 **10.a4** c5 11.Qd1
[11.Qe3 c4 *(11...Bb7 12.Qg3 0-0 13.f4 N5g6 14.f5 Ne5 15.Bh6 g6 16.f6 N7c6 17.Bd5 Re8 18.axb5 axb5 19.Rxa8 Qxa8 20.Nc3 Nd4 21.Qh4 b4 22.Bxb7 Qxb7 23.Nd5 Ndc6 24.Bf8 Nd8 25.Ne7+ Kxf8 26.Qh6#* 1-0 (26) drawingchest (2607)-Alfredo2345 (2610) Blitz 2024 *)* 12.Ba2
A) 12...Bb7 13.f4 Ng4 14.Qg3 Qb6+ 15.Kh1 h5 16.Nc3 f5 17.Bd2 *(17.a5 Qc5 18.b4 Qa7 19.Nd5 Nxd5 20.exd5 Bxd5 21.Qe1+ Qe7 22.Bb2 Qxe1 23.Raxe1+ Be4 24.Bxg7 Rg8 25.Bd4 0-0-0 26.c3 Nxh2 27.Kxh2 Rxg2+ 28.Kh3 Rxa2 29.Rg1 Rd7 30.Rg8+ Kc7 31.Reg1 Bf3 32.R1g6 Bg4+ 33.Kh4 Rh2+ 34.Kg5 Rh3 35.Ra8 Rd3 36.Rgg8 Kc6 37.Rxa6+ Kd5 38.Rg6 Rxd4 39.cxd4 c3* 0-1 (39) drawingchest (2607)-train_account (2628) Blitz 2024 *)* 17...0-0-0 18.axb5 axb5 19.b3 h4 20.Qf3 h3 21.gxh3 b4 22.Nd5 Nxd5 23.exd5 Rxh3 24.Qxh3 Bxd5+ 25.Rf3 Nf2+ Normal 0-1 (25) NE1N_SHaRK (2658)-spectraline (2537) Blitz 2024;
B) 12...0-0 13.Nc3 Rb8 14.h3 f5 15.Rd1 f4 16.Qd4 N7g6 17.axb5 axb5 18.Nxb5 Qg5 19.Bxc4+ Kh8 20.Kf1 Nxc4 21.Qxc4 Nh4 22.g4 fxg3 23.Qe2 Bxh3+ 24.Ke1 Ng2+ 25.Kf1 gxf2 0-1 (25) MIchael (2803)-may6enexttime (2990) Blitz 2023]
11...c4
[11...Bb7 12.axb5 axb5 13.Rxa8 Bxa8 14.Nc3 c4 15.Ba2 b4 16.Nd5 Nxd5 17.exd5 0-0 18.Bf4 Qa5 19.Bxe5 Qxa2 20.Bxd6 Rd8 21.Re1 c3 22.b3 h6 23.Bxb4 Rxd5 24.Qe2 Bc6 25.Bxc3 Rd8 26.Qe5 1-0 (26) Punchen (2613)-Samira_Chess2010 (2672) Blitz 2024]
12.Ba2 0-0
[12...b4 13.Be3 0-0 14.Nd2 Qc7 15.h3 c3 16.bxc3 bxc3 17.Nf3 Be6 18.Bd4 Bxa2 19.Rxa2 Qc4 20.Ra3 N7c6 21.Bxc3 Qxe4 22.Nd2 Qf5 23.Ba1 d5 24.Nf3 Nc4 25.Rd3 Rad8 26.Nd4 Qd7 27.Nxc6 Qxc6 28.Qg4 f6 29.Rfd1 Qxa4 30.h4 Qxc2 31.h5 h6 32.Rxd5 Rxd5 33.Rxd5 Ne5 34.Qe6+ Kh8 35.Bxe5 fxe5 36.f3 Qc1+ 37.Kh2 Qf4+ 38.Kh3 Qf5+ 39.Qxf5 Rxf5 40.Kh4 Rf7 41.Rxe5 Ra7 42.Ra5 Kg8 43.f4 Kf7 44.g4 Ke7 45.g5 Kd6 46.f5 Kc6 47.f6 hxg5+ 48.Kxg5 gxf6+ 49.Kxf6 Kb6 50.Ra1 a5 51.h6 Kb5 52.Kg6 a4 53.h7 Rxh7 54.Kxh7 Kb4 55.Kg6 a3 56.Kf5 Kb3 57.Ke4 Kb2 58.Rh1 a2 59.Kd3 a1Q 60.Rxa1 Kxa1 ½-½ (60) thewitcher2022 (2682)-

Shramov,I (2550) Blitz 2024]
13.Nc3 b4
[13...Bb7 14.f3 Qb6+ 15.Kh1 f5 16.b3 Kh8 17.bxc4 bxc4 18.Ba3 fxe4 19.Qxd6 Qxd6 20.Bxd6 exf3 21.gxf3 Rxf3 22.Rxf3 Bxf3+ 23.Kg1 N7g6 24.Re1 Ng4 25.Bxc4 h5 26.h3 Nf6 27.Re3 Bc6 0-1 (27) Jugandito (2664)-spectraline (2570) Blitz 2022]
14.Nd5 Nxd5 15.Qxd5 Be6 16.Qd4 Nc6
[16...Qc7 17.Bf4 b3 18.cxb3 cxb3 19.Rac1 Qa5 20.Bb1 Rfd8 21.Rc3 Rab8 22.h4 Rb4 23.Qd2 Rxa4 24.h5 h6 25.Bxh6 Nc4 26.Qc1 Qxh5 27.Bf4 d5 28.exd5 Bxd5 29.Rh3 Qg4 30.Rg3 Qh5 31.Qc3 f6 32.Qxf6 Qf7 33.Qxd8+ 1-0 (33) ptakh (2653)-Simba_Abessimba (2504) Blitz 2024]
17.Qe3 d5 18.Rd1 d4 19.Qg3 Kh8 20.Bf4 f6 21.Bd6 Rf7 22.Bc5 Rd7 23.f4 Qa5 24.f5 Qxc5 25.fxe6 Rd6 26.Bxc4 Ne5 27.Bd5 d3+ 28.Qf2 Qxf2+ 29.Kxf2 dxc2 30.Rd2 Rc8 31.Rc1 b3 32.e7 Ng6 33.Ke3 Nxe7 34.Bxb3 Rb6 35.Rd3 h6 36.Rxc2 Rxc2 37.Bxc2 Rxb2 38.Rc3 Ng6 39.e5 1-0 (39) Herushkanamura (2936)-ikica77 (2704) Blitz 2023
Kuzmin, Alexey: 'In the event of'
10.c3 Kuzmin, Alexey: 'in addition to 10... c5, Black can choose' 10...0-0
[10...c5 11.Qd1
A) 11...Qb6 12.Bc2 *(12.Be3 0-0 13.Nd2 Ng4 14.Bf4 c4 15.Bc2 Ng6 16.Bg3 h5 17.Nf3 Rd8 18.h3 Nf6 19.Nd4 h4 20.Bh2 Re8 21.Re1 Ne5 22.Qd2 Bd7 23.Rad1 Rad8 24.Qg5 Ng6 25.Nf5 Bxf5 26.exf5 Ne5 27.Qxh4 b4 28.Qd4 Qa5 29.cxb4 Qxb4 30.Qc3 Qc5 31.Bxe5 dxe5 32.Rxd8 Rxd8 33.Rxe5 Qb6 34.Qxc4 Qxb2 35.Re7 Rf8 36.Bb3 Qb1+ 37.Kh2 Qxf5 38.Rxf7 Rxf7 39.Qxf7+ Kh8 40.Qa7 a5 41.Qe3 Ne4 42.Bc2 Qe5+ 43.g3* 1-0 (43) thewitcher2022 (2626)-DoloresCrotal (2760) Blitz 2024*)*
12...0-0 13.f4 c4+ 14.Kh1 Ng4 15.Qf3 Nf6 16.Be3 Qc6 17.Nd2 Bb7 18.Bd4 Nd7 19.Qg3 f6 20.Rae1 Rae8 21.Nf3 Qc8 22.e5 Bxf3 23.exd6 Bxg2+ 24.Qxg2 Nc6 25.Rg1 g6 26.Bxg6 Rxe1 27.Bh5+ 1-0 (27) Kerryxyn (2710)-HowardShore (2661) Blitz 2024;
B) 11...0-0 12.f4 Ng4 *(12...Bg4 13.Qe1 Nd3 14.Qg3 Nxc1 15.Rxc1 Be6 16.Nd2 c4 17.Bc2 f5 18.Re1 Qb6+ 19.Kh1 Rae8 20.Nf3 fxe4 21.Bxe4 Bf5 22.Nd4 Bxe4 23.Rxe4 Nf5 24.Nxf5* 1-0 (24) Wagner,D (2616)-Reprintsev,A (2256) chess.com INT 2025 *)* 13.Qf3 *(13.f5 Nf6 14.Bg5 Nc6 15.Bd5 Bb7 16.Rf3 h6 17.Bh4 Qe7 18.Rg3 Rab8 19.Rg6 Kh7 20.Bxf6 gxf6 21.Rg3 Rg8 22.Rh3 Rg5 23.Nd2 Rbg8 24.Nf3 Rxg2+ 25.Kh1 Ne5 26.Nxe5 fxe5 27.Bxb7 Rg1+ 28.Qxg1 Rxg1+ 29.Rxg1 Qxb7 30.f6 Qxe4+ 31.Rg2 Qf4 32.Kg1 Qc1+ 33.Kf2 Qxb2+ 34.Kg3 Qxc3+ 35.Kh4 Qd4+ 36.Rg4 Qf2+ 37.Rhg3 Qxf6+ 38.Kh5 d5 39.Rg8 e4 40.Re8 d4 41.Rg4 Qf5+ 42.Kh4 e3 43.Rgg8 Qf6+ 44.Kg3 c4 45.Rgf8 c3 46.h4 h5 47.Rc8 e2 48.Rfe8 d3* 0-1 (48) TeliTmas (2609)-spectraline (2589) Blitz 2023 *)* 13...c4 14.Bc2 f5 'N' *(14...d5 15.h3 Nf6 16.e5 Ne4*

17.Bxe4 dxe4 18.Qxe4 Bf5 19.Qf3 Ra7 20.Nd2 Rd7 ½-½ (58) Zhu,J (2455)-Harika,D (2511) FIDE Grand Swiss (Women) 2021 (4) *)* 15.h3 *(15.exf5 Qb6+ 16.Kh1 Nf6 17.Be3 Qb8 18.Bd4 Bxf5 19.Bxf5 Nxf5 20.Bxf6 Rxf6 21.Nd2 h6 22.Qd5+ Kh8 23.Rae1 Qf8 24.Ne4 Rf7 25.g4 Ne7 26.Qxd6 Rd8 27.Qc5 Rd5 28.Qf2 Ng6 29.f5 Ne5 30.Qg3 Nd3 31.Re2 Re5 32.Qg2 Rfe7 33.Ng3 Rxe2 34.Nxe2 Qe8 35.Nd4 Re1 36.h3 Qe3 37.Rxe1 Qxe1+ 38.Kh2 Nf4 39.Qf3 Qd2+ 40.Kg3 Nd3 41.f6 Qe1+ 42.Kg2 Qd2+ 43.Kg3 Qe1+ 44.Kg2 Qd2+ 45.Kg3* ½-½ (45) Shirov,A (2648)-Le,T (2598) Chess.com INT 2025*)* 15...fxe4 16.Bxe4 d5 17.Bxh7+ Kxh7 18.hxg4 Qd6 19.Be3 d4 20.Bxd4 Nc6 21.Be3 Bb7 22.Nd2 Rae8 23.Rae1 Qd3 24.Qe2 Qd5 25.Nf3 Ne7 26.Rd1 Qe4 27.Ng5+ 1-0 (27) lexisvar (2665)-spectraline (2597) Blitz 2023;

C) 11...c4 12.Bc2 0-0 13.Nd2 *(13.Bf4 N7g6 14.Bg3 Bb7 15.Nd2 Re8 16.Re1 Qb6 17.Re3 Rad8 18.h4 Bc8 19.Qf1 h5 20.Rae1 Bg4 21.f3 Bc8 22.Kh2 Bb7 23.Qe2 Qc7 24.Nf1 a5 25.Rd1 Bc6 26.Qf2 Qe7 27.Re2 Qf6 28.Red2 Nf4 29.Bxf4 Qxf4+ 30.Qg3 Qf6 31.Ne3 Kh8 32.Nf5 d5 33.exd5 Bd7 34.Nd4 Ng6 35.Bxg6 fxg6 36.Qg5 Qf7 37.Re2 b4 38.Rde1 Bc8 39.Re7 Rxe7 40.Rxe7 Qf6 41.Nc6 Rf8 42.Qxf6 gxf6 43.d6 bxc3 44.bxc3 a4 45.d7 Bxd7 46.Rxd7 Kg8 47.Ne7+ Kf7 48.Nc6+ Ke6 49.Rd4 Ra8 50.Rxc4 a3 51.Nb4 Rd8 52.Rc6+ Kf5 53.Ra6 Ke5 54.Rxa3 Rd2 55.Ra5+ Ke6 56.Ra6+ Ke7 57.Nc6+ Ke6 58.Nd4+ Kd5 59.Nb3 Kc4 60.Nxd2+ Kd3 61.Ne4 f5 62.Nf6 f4 63.Kh3 g5 64.Nd5 g4+ 65.fxg4 f3 66.gxf3 hxg4+ 67.Kxg4 Ke2 68.Kg5 Kd3 69.f4 Kd2 70.f5 Kc2 71.f6 Kd2* ½-½ (71) Nadigraj (2732)-Calzonesdesuperman (2646) Blitz 2023*; 13.Bg5 f6 14.Bh4 Kh8 15.Nd2 N7g6 16.Bg3 f5 17.f4 Ng4 18.Qf3 Qb6+ 19.Kh1 Qe3 20.Rad1 Qxf3 21.Rxf3 Bb7 22.Re1 Rae8 23.Rff1 fxe4 24.Bxe4 d5 25.Bxg6 hxg6 26.Nf3 Ne3 27.Rf2 Nf5 28.Rfe2 Rxe2 29.Rxe2 Rd8 30.Bf2 Nd6 31.Bd4 Ne4 32.Re1 Kg8 33.g3 Bc8 34.Kg2 Bf5 35.h3 Nf6 36.g4 Be4 37.Kg3 Rf8 38.Ng5 Re8 39.a3 Kf8 40.Nf3 Ke7 41.Ne5 Kd6 42.Nf7+ Kc6 43.Ng5 Kd7 44.h4 a5 45.Nf3 b4 46.Ne5+ Kd6 47.axb4 axb4 48.cxb4 Rb8 49.Bc5+ Kc7 50.Nf3 Bxf3 51.Kxf3 Ne4 52.Bd4 Rxb4 53.Bxg7 Rb3+ 54.Re3 Rb4 55.h5 gxh5 56.gxh5 Kd7 57.h6 Nd6 58.h7 Nf7 59.h8Q Nxh8 60.Bxh8 Rb8 61.Bd4 Rc8 62.Kg4 Rf8 63.f5 Kc6 64.f6 Kd7 65.Kf5 Kd6 66.Kg6 Rg8+ 67.Kf5 Rf8 68.Re6+ Kd7 69.Re7+ Kd6 70.Kg6 Rg8+ 71.Rg7 Rf8 72.f7* 1-0 (72) Kamsky,G (2665)-Rodin,M (2320) chess.com INT 2021*)* 13...f5 14.f4 Qb6+ 15.Kh1 Ng4 16.Qe2 Ne3 17.Nf3 Nxf1 18.Qxf1 fxe4 19.Bxe4 Bb7 20.Bxb7 Qxb7 21.Bd2 Ng6 22.g3 Rae8 23.Qg2 Qd5 24.Nd4 Qxg2+ 25.Kxg2 Re4 26.Rd1 Rfe8 27.Kf3 h6 28.a4 bxa4 29.Ra1 d5

30.Rxa4 Rb8 31.Rxa6 Rxb2 32.Rxg6 Rxd2 33.Nf5 Rd3+ 34.Kg4 Rxc3 35.Rxg7+ Kf8 36.Rc7 Rc1 37.Rc8+ Kf7 38.Nd6+ Ke6 39.Nxe4 dxe4 40.f5+ Ke5 41.Rf8 c3 42.f6 c2 43.f7 Ke6 44.Rc8 Kxf7 45.Rc3 Ke6 0-1 (45) Konstantin_Tarlev (2757)-MihailRodin (2591) Blitz 2022]

[10...Bb7 11.f4 c5 *(11...N5c6 12.Qf2 0-0 13.f5 Ne5 14.Bg5 Bxe4 15.Nd2 Bd3 16.f6 N7g6 17.Qg3 Qd7 18.fxg7 Rfe8 19.Rf6 Bc4 20.Ne4 Bxb3 21.Rxg6* 1-0 (21) ice2breaker (2631)-Nebonik (2489) Blitz 2024*)* 12.Qe3 N5g6 13.Nd2 c4 14.Bc2 0-0 15.f5 Ne5 16.f6 N7g6 17.fxg7 Re8 18.Nf3 f5 19.Nd4 fxe4 20.Nf5 d5 21.Qg3 Bc8 22.Nh6+ Kxg7 23.Bg5 Qb6+ 24.Kh1 Be6 25.Bf6+ Kxh6 26.Qg5# 1-0 (26) Mariapupo (2725)-Train_account (2612) Blitz 2024]

11.a4

[11.Bf4 c5 *(11...Be6 12.Nd2 c5 13.Qe3 Qc8 14.Rad1 Bxb3 15.Nxb3 Qe6 16.Qg3 N7g6 17.Bc1 f5 18.exf5 Rxf5 19.Rfe1 Raf8 20.f3 h5 21.Kh1 h4 22.Qh3 Qf6 23.Re4 Nf4 24.Bxf4 Rxf4 25.Rxf4 Qxf4 26.Qe6+ Kh8 27.Nd2 Rf6 28.Qc8+ Kh7 29.Ne4 Rg6 30.Qh3 c4 31.Rf1 Rh6 32.g3 Qe3 33.gxh4 Qe2 34.Qg2 Qe3 35.Ng5+ Kh8 36.f4 Ng6 37.Qa8+* 1-0 (37) Fratz71 (2644)-Shramov,I (2578) Blitz 2024*)* 12.Qd1 Bb7 *(12...Qb6 13.Nd2 Bb7 14.Bc2 Rad8 15.Nf3 N7g6 16.Bg3 Nxf3+ 17.gxf3 d5 18.Qe2 Rfe8 19.h4 Qf6 20.h5 Nf4 21.Qe3 Nxh5 22.Kg2 d4 23.cxd4 cxd4 24.Qd2 d3 25.Bb3 Rd7 26.Rae1 Qg6 27.Rh1 h6 28.Rh4 Kh7 29.Rg4 Qf6 30.Rh1 Nxg3 31.fxg3 a5 32.Rf4 Qg6 33.Qxa5 d2 34.Rd1 Red8 35.Qxb5 Ba6 36.Qf5 Be2 37.Kf2 Bxd1 38.Bxd1 Qxf5 39.Rxf5 Rb8 40.b3 Rc8 41.a4 Rc1 42.Ke2 Rb1 43.Rd5 Rb7 44.Rxd2 Rc1 45.Bc2 Ra1 46.Bd1 Rc1 47.Ke3 Rc3+ 48.Kf2 Kg6 49.g4 Kf6 50.Kg3 g5 51.Rd5 Ke6 52.Ra5 Rc1 53.Be2 Rxb3 54.Ra6+ Ke7 55.Ra7+ Kf6 56.Ra6+ Kg7 57.e5 Rc2 58.Bb5 Rcc3 59.Rf6 Re3 60.Rf5 Rbc3 61.Be8 Rc7 62.Bb5 Re7 63.Bf1 R7xe5 64.Rxe5 Rxe5 65.Kf2 Ra5 66.Bb5 Kf6 67.Ke3 Ke5 68.Kd3 f5 69.Kc3 f4 70.Kb4 Ra7 71.a5 Kd4 72.a6 Ke3 73.Ka5 Rxa6+* 0-1 (73) DrawDenied_Twitch (2810)-LoveFifi (2671) Blitz 2024*)* 13.Re1 Qc7 *(13...N7g6 14.Bg3 Qf6 15.Nd2 Rad8 16.Nf1 c4 17.Bc2 d5 18.Qh5 d4 19.cxd4 Rxd4 20.Rad1 Rfd8 21.Rxd4 Rxd4 22.Kh1 h6 23.Qf5 Nd3 24.Bxd3 Rxd3 25.Qc5 Qxb2 26.Qc7 Bxe4 27.h4 Rxg3 28.Nxg3 Bxg2+ 29.Kxg2 Nxh4+ 30.Kf1 Nf3 31.Qc8+ Kh7 32.Qf5+ Kg8 33.Re8#* 1-0 (33) Shazil (2653)-slouuurps (2645) Blitz 2025*)* 14.Bc2 *(14.Bg3 Rad8 15.f4 N5g6 16.Nd2 Kh8 17.Nf3 h6 18.f5 Ne5 19.f6 gxf6 20.Bh4 Ng8 21.Rf1 Ng6 22.Bg3 Bxe4 23.Qd2 Qc6 24.Rae1 d5 25.Nh4 d4 26.cxd4 cxd4 27.Nf5 Kh7 28.h4 Ne5 29.h5 d3 30.Bh4 Ng4 31.Qf4 Qc5+ 32.Kh1 Qxf5 33.Qxf5+ Bxf5 34.Rxf5 d2 35.Rd1 Ne3 36.Bc2 Kg7 37.Rff1 Nxc2 38.Rf2 Ne3 39.Rdxd2 Rxd2 40.Rxd2 Nf5 41.Bf2 Nge7 42.g4 Rc8 43.Rd7 Rc2 44.Kg2 Rxb2 45.gxf5 Nxf5 46.Kf3 Nd4+ 47.Bxd4 Rd2 48.Bxf6+ Kxf6 49.Rxd2 Kf5 50.Rd6 f6*

51.Rxa6 Kg5 52.Rb6 f5 53.Rxb5 Kxh5 54.Kf4 Kg6 55.Rxf5 h5 56.Rxh5 Kxh5 57.a4 Kg6 58.a5 Kf7 59.a6 Ke7 60.a7 Kd7 61.a8Q Kc7 62.Qd5 Kb6 63.Ke5 Kc7 64.Qe6 1-0 (64) TacticalTitan92 (2639)-MasterOffPuppets (2463) Blitz 2024*)* 14...Rad8 15.Nd2 Qc8 16.Qh5 Rfe8 17.Rad1 N7g6 18.Bg3 c4 19.Nf1 Nd3 20.Bxd3 cxd3 21.Rxd3 Rxe4 22.Rxe4 Bxe4 23.Rd4 Bb7 24.Qd1 h6 25.Rxd6 Rxd6 26.Qxd6 Kh7 27.Ne3 Qe8 28.Qd4 Qc6 29.f3 Qe6 30.b3 Ne7 31.Qd3+ Qg6 32.Qxg6+ Kxg6 33.Kf2 Nd5 34.Nd1 f6 35.Ke2 Kf7 36.Kd3 Ke6 37.Kd4 Ne7 38.Kc5 Kd7 39.Ne3 h5 40.c4 bxc4 41.bxc4 g5 42.Kb6 Bc6 43.Be1 h4 44.h3 Ng6 45.Bc3 f5 46.Nxf5 Nf4 47.Ne3 Ba4 48.Bf6 Ne6 49.Kxa6 Kd6 50.Kb6 1-0 (50) Carlsen,M (2830)-Nakamura,H (2794) Stavanger NOR 2024]

[11.Bg5 Be6 Kuzmin, Alexey: '⇄' *(11...h6 12.Bh4 Bb7 13.Nd2 c5 14.Qe3 Re8 15.f4 N5g6 16.Bg3 Nf5 17.Qf3 c4 18.Bc2 Nxg3 19.Qxg3 Qh4 20.Qxh4 Nxh4 21.f5 d5 22.g3 dxe4 23.gxh4 Rad8 24.Nb1 e3 25.Re1 a5 26.a3 a4 27.h3 Bf3 28.Kh2 e2 29.Kg3 Rd1 30.Kf2 Bh5 31.Bxd1 exd1Q 32.Rxd1 Bxd1 33.Kf1 Re2* 0-1 (33) Kamsky,G (2609)-Nakamura,H (2802) chess.com INT 2024 *)*]

[11.f4 c5 12.Qf2 Nd3 13.Qg3 Nxc1 14.Rxc1 d5 15.exd5 c4 16.Bc2 Qxd5 17.Rd1 Qc5+ 18.Qf2 Qxf2+ 19.Kxf2 Bf5 20.Bxf5 Nxf5 21.Nd2 Rfd8 22.Nf3 f6 23.g4 Ne7 24.Nd4 Kf7 25.a4 Nd5 26.Kf3 b4 27.Nc6 Rdc8 28.Rxd5 Rxc6 29.Rd7+ Ke6 30.Rad1 bxc3 31.f5+ Ke5 32.R7d5# 1-0 (32) legend2611 (2649)-CaptainSploosh (2672) Blitz 2022]

[11.f3 c5 12.Qf2 Nd3 13.Qg3 Nxc1 14.Rxc1 Bb7 15.c4 Nc6 16.Nc3 Nd4 17.Kh1 b4 18.Nd1 Ne2 19.Qf2 Nxc1 20.Rxc1 f5 21.exf5 Rxf5 22.Ne3 Rf8 23.Rd1 Qf6 24.Bc2 Rae8 25.Ng4 Qf4 26.Qh4 Be4 27.Bxe4 Rxe4 28.b3 Ree8 29.h3 Re2 30.Rxd6 Qxd6 0-1 (30) drawingchest (2646)-samira_chess2010 (2667) Blitz 2024]

11...c5 12.Qd1 Bb7 13.Nd2 d5 14.exd5 Nxd5 15.Nf3 Ng6 16.Re1 Ndf4 17.Qxd8 Raxd8 18.Bxf4 Nxf4 19.axb5 axb5 20.Ra5 c4 21.Bc2 Bxf3 22.gxf3 Rd2 23.Bf5 g6 24.Be4 Nh3+ 25.Kg2 Nxf2 26.Kg3 Nxe4+ 27.Rxe4 Rxb2 28.Re7 Rb3 29.Rc7 Kg7 30.h4 h5 31.Kf4 Rxc3 32.Rxb5 Rd8 33.Rbb7 Rf8 34.Rb4 Rd3 35.Rbxc4 Rd5 36.Kg3 Rf5 37.Rf4 Rxf4 38.Kxf4 Re8 39.Rc1 Re6 40.Kg3 Rf6 41.f4 Re6 42.Kf3 Kf6 43.Rc5 Ra6 44.Ke4 Ra4+ 45.Kf3 Ra3+ 46.Kg2 Ra2+ 47.Kg3 Ra3+ 48.Kf2 Ra4 49.Kf3 Ra2 50.Rc6+ Kg7 51.Rc1 Ra1 52.Rxa1 1-0 (52) ilqar_7474 (2872)-Dekelija (2754) Blitz 2024

10.Qe3 c5 11.c3 0-0 Kuzmin, Alexey: 'The position is complicated and approximately equal.' 12.Qg3

[12.f4 Ng4 *(12...Nc4 13.Bxc4 bxc4 14.Nd2 d5 15.Qxc5 Bb7 16.e5 Rc8 17.Qf2 Nf5 18.Nf3 h5 19.Nd4 Qd7 20.Be3 Nxd4 21.Bxd4 Qf5 22.Rae1 Rc6 23.Re3 Re8 24.Rg3 Rg6 25.Re1 Ree6 26.Rxg6 Rxg6 27.Qe3 h4 28.Kh1 Rg4 29.Rf1 Bc8 30.h3 Rg3 31.Rf3 Rxf3 32.Qxf3 Qb1+ 33.Kh2 Bf5 34.Qxd5 Be4 35.Qd8+ Kh7 36.Qxh4+ Kg8 37.e6 Qxb2*

38.Qg3 g6 39.e7 Bc6 40.f5 Qe2 41.Qb8+ Kh7 42.Qh8# 1-0 (42) chesschampion9999 (2622)-Shramov, I (2565) Blitz 2024 *)*

A) 13.Qg3 Nf6 *(13...c4 14.Bc2 f5 15.h3 Nf6 16.Nd2 d5 17.e5 Ne4 18.Nxe4 dxe4 19.Be3 Qc7 20.Rad1 Be6 21.Rd6 Bf7 22.Rfd1 Rfe8 23.Bb6 Qb7 24.e6 Bg6 25.h4 Rac8 26.Bd4 Rcd8 27.Rxd8 Rxd8 28.h5 Qc6 29.hxg6 Nxg6 30.Qg5 Re8 31.Bxg7 Qxe6 32.Be5 Qf7 33.Rd6 a5 34.Bd1 Re6 35.Rd8+ Re8 36.Rxe8+ Qxe8 37.Bh5 Qe6 38.Qd8+ Nf8 39.Qg5+ Ng6 40.Qh6 Qf7 41.Bxg6 Qxg6 42.Qxg6+ hxg6 43.Bd6 Kf7 44.Bc7 a4 45.Ba5 Ke6 46.a3 Kd5 47.Bb4 Ke6 48.Kf2 Kf6 49.Ke3 g5 50.g3 g4 51.Bd6 Ke6 52.Be5 Kd5 53.Bg7 Kc6 54.Kd4 Kb6 55.Be5 Kc6 56.Ke3 Kd5 57.Bd4 Kc6 58.Ba7 Kb7 59.Bd4 Kc6 60.Bg7 Kd7 61.Bd4 Ke6 62.Ke2 Kd5 63.Bf2 b4 64.Ke3 bxa3 65.bxa3 Kc6 66.Kd4 Kb5* 0-1 (66) Cbum-indio (2626)-Calzonesdesuperman (2591) Blitz 2023*)* 14.e5 *(14.Nd2 Be6 15.Bc2 Kh8 16.Nf3 d5 17.f5 Nxe4 18.Bxe4 dxe4 19.fxe6 exf3 20.exf7 Rxf7 21.Bg5 Qb8 22.Rxf3 Qxg3 23.Rxg3 Nf5 24.Rf3 Kg8 25.Raf1 Nd6 26.Rxf7 Nxf7 27.Bf4 Rd8 28.Kf2 Rd3 29.Ke2 c4 30.a4 g5 31.Be3 Kg7 32.axb5 axb5 33.Rf5 b4 34.cxb4 Rb3 35.Bd4+ Kf8 36.Rf3 Ke7 37.Rxb3 cxb3 38.Kd3 Ke6 39.Kc3 Kd5 40.Be3 Ke4 41.Bd2 g4 42.Kxb3 Kd3 43.Bf4 Ke4 44.g3 Nd8 45.b5 Kd5 46.Kb4 h5 47.Ka5 Ne6 48.Be3 Ke4 49.Ba7 Kf3 50.b6 Nd8 51.Ka6 Kg2 52.b7 Nxb7 53.Kxb7 Kxh2 54.Bb8 h4 55.gxh4+ g3 56.h5 Kh3 57.Bxg3* 1-0 (57) mulamoes530 (2671)-spectraline (2560) Blitz 2023*)* 14...Ne4 15.Qf3 d5 16.Nd2 Bf5 17.g4 Nxd2 18.Bxd2 Be4 19.Qg3 f5 20.exf6 gxf6 21.f5 Kh8 22.Rae1 Nxf5 23.Qh3 Nd6 24.Rf4 Rg8 25.Ref1 f5 26.Be1 fxg4 27.Qh6 Qd7 28.Bh4 Rg7 29.Rf8+ Rxf8 30.Rxf8+ Rg8 31.Bf6+ 1-0 (31) Assassinations (2673)-Mrdalica (2847) Blitz 2023;

B) 13.Qe2 Nf6 14.f5 Bb7 15.Bc2 Re8 16.Bg5 Nc6 Kuzmin, Alexey: '∞']

[12.a4 Bb7 13.axb5 axb5 14.Rxa8 Qxa8 15.f3 c4 16.Bc2 f5 Kuzmin, Alexey: '∞']

[12.Nd2

A) 12...c4 13.Bc2 f5 14.Nf3 *(14.f4 Ng4 15.Qd4 Kh8 16.Nf3 fxe4 17.Bxe4 d5 18.Bb1 Bf5 19.h3 Nf6 20.g4 Bxb1 21.Rxb1 Nc6 22.Qf2 Ne4 23.Qg2 Qb6+ 24.Kh1 Rae8 25.f5 Qc7 26.Kg1 b4 27.Ng5 Ne5 28.Ne6 Qb6+ 29.Kh2 Rf7 30.cxb4 Nd3 31.a3 Qd6+ 32.Bf4 Nxf4 33.Nxf4 g5 34.fxg6 Rxf4 35.Rxf4 Qxf4+ 36.Kg1 Nd2 37.Rd1 Nf3+ 38.Kh1 hxg6 39.Rf1 Re3 40.Qf2 d4* 0-1 (40) Kamsky,G (2609)-Le Tuan, M (2564) chess.com INT 2024*)* 14...f4 15.Qd4 Nxf3+ 16.gxf3 Bh3 17.Re1 Ng6 18.Kh1 Ne5 19.Rg1 Qf6 20.Bd1 Nd3 Normal 0-1 (20) Cbum-indio (2619)-wangchang (2669) Blitz 2024;

B) 12...Kh8 13.Nf3 Nxf3+ 14.Qxf3 f5 15.Bg5 Bb7 16.Qh3 fxe4 17.Qh4 Re8 18.Bf7 Qd7 19.Bxe8

Rxe8 20.Bxe7 Qxe7 21.Qxe7 Rxe7 22.a4 Bc6 23.axb5 axb5 24.Ra6 Rc7 25.Rd1 d5 26.Rda1 h6 27.Rb6 d4 28.cxd4 cxd4 29.Rc1 d3 30.Rbxc6 1-0 (30) DR-teoricoo (2656)-spectraline (2582) Blitz 2023]

[12.h3 N5g6 13.Nd2 Bb7 14.Re1 Nc6 15.Nf1 Qe7 16.Qg3 Kh8 17.Bg5 f6 18.Be3 Na5 19.Bc2 Nc4 20.b3 Nxe3 21.Qxe3 Rfe8 22.Rad1 Rad8 23.Ng3 Qe5 24.Nf5 Bc8 25.Qc1 d5 26.exd5 Qxc3 27.Rxe8+ Rxe8 28.Nd6 Rd8 29.Nf7+ 1-0 (29) TheBerzerKing (2648)-Calzonesdesuperman (2618) Blitz 2023]

12...c4 13.Bc2 f5 Kuzmin, Alexey: '∞' 14.Bg5

[Kuzmin, Alexey: 'After' 14.a4 Kuzmin, Alexey: 'Black could sacrifice a pawn:' N7g6 Kuzmin, Alexey: '!?' 15.f4 Nd3 16.Bxd3 cxd3 17.Qxd3 Bb7 Kuzmin, Alexey: '⩲']

14...Qe8 Kuzmin, Alexey: '?'

[14...N5g6 Kuzmin, Alexey: 'was correct.' 15.exf5 Bxf5 16.Bxf5 Nxf5 17.Bxd8 Nxg3 18.hxg3 Rfxd8 Kuzmin, Alexey: '=']

15.Nd2 N7g6 16.f4 Kuzmin, Alexey: '±' Kuzmin, Alexey: 'White has an advantage.' 16...Nd3 17.Bxd3 cxd3 18.Rae1 Qc6 19.h4 fxe4 20.h5 d5 21.hxg6 Qxg6 22.Nb3 a5 23.Bh4 Qxg3 24.Bxg3 Bg4 25.Kf2 b4 26.Ke3 Rfb8 27.Rb1 bxc3 28.bxc3 Rc8 29.Rfc1 Rc4 30.Be1 Ra4 31.Rb2 Rc8 32.Bd2 h5 33.Nd4 Kh7 34.Ra1 Rc7 35.Rb5 Rd7 36.Nb3 Rd6 37.Rxa5 Rc4 38.a4 Bd7 39.f5 Bxf5 40.Rc5 Rxc5 41.Nxc5 Rc6 42.Kd4 Rg6 43.a5 Bc8 44.a6 Bxa6 45.Nxa6 Rxg2 46.Be3 h4 47.Nb4 h3 48.Nxd5 h2 49.Rh1 d2 50.Kxe4 Kg8 51.Bxd2 Rxd2 52.Ne3 Re2 53.Kd3 Rf2 54.Nf1 Rf3+ 55.Kc4 g5 56.Nxh2 Rh3 57.Kb4 g4 58.c4 g3 59.Rg1 Rxh2 60.Rxg3+ Kf7 61.Re3 Rh5 62.c5 Kf6 63.Kb5 Rh8 64.c6 1-0 (64) Morozov,Y (2674)-Moiseenko,A (2688) Saint Vincent ITA 2021 MON C00 RK [Chess Player vol.2 1852 p58]

10.Qd1 c5 11.Bd5 Nxd5 12.exd5 0-0 13.a4 Bb7 14.Bf4 Ng6 15.Bg3 Qg5 16.Nc3 b4 17.Ne4 Qxd5 18.Qxd5 Bxd5 19.Nxd6 f5 20.Rfd1 Bc6 21.f3 Rad8 22.b3 Rf6 23.Nc4 Rxd1+ 24.Rxd1 Re6 25.Rd8+ Kf7 26.Rc8 Ne7 27.Rc7 Ke8 28.Bd6 Bd5 29.Bxe7 Bxc4 30.Bxc5 Re1+ 31.Kf2 Re2+ 32.Kg3 Bf7 33.Bxb4 f4+ 34.Kxf4 Rxg2 35.Re7+ 1-0 (35) gustamo (2652)-MihailRodin (2576) Blitz 2022

10.c4 c5 11.Qc3 bxc4 12.Bxc4 Nxc4 13.Qxc4 Be6 14.Qa4+ Qd7 15.Nc3 Qxa4 16.Nxa4 0-0 17.Bf4 Rfd8 18.Rfd1 d5 19.Nxc5 dxe4 20.Rxd8+ Rxd8 21.Bg5 Kf8 22.Nxe6+ fxe6 23.Re1 Rd4 24.Be3 Rc4 25.Rc1 Rxc1+ 26.Bxc1 Nd5 27.Bd2 Ke7 28.Kf1 Kd6 29.Ke2 Kc5 30.b3 Kd4 31.f3 exf3+ 32.Kxf3 e5 33.Kg4 Kd3 34.Ba5 e4 35.Kf5 e3 36.Ke5 Nc3 0-1 (36) Fermalu (2642)-spectraline (2628) Blitz 2023

[22] **11.Qd2** Kuzmin, Alexey: '!' Kuzmin, Alexey: 'to be the only dangerous continuation.' 11...N5c6

[11...N5g6 12.c4 *(12.c3 0-0 13.Qf2 Bb7 14.Bc2 f5 15.Nd2 Kh8 16.exf5 Nxf5 17.Nf3 c4 18.g3 Qb6 19.Qxb6* 1-0 (19) VVWfazeclan (2643)-Yurasova,D (2064) Blitz 2025*)* 12...Nc6 *(12...0-0 13.Nc3 Nc6 14.f5 Nge5 15.f6 Be6 16.fxg7 Re8*

17.cxb5 Nd4 18.Nd5 Nxb3 19.axb3 Bxd5 20.Qxd5 axb5 21.Rxa8 Qxa8 22.Qxd6 Qxe4 23.Qxc5 Nd3 24.Qa7 Qd5 25.Bh6 Ne1 26.Qf2 Nd3 27.Qd2 Qxb3 28.Rf3 Rd8 29.Re3 Qd5 30.Qe2 Qc5 31.h3 Ne5 32.Kh1 f6 33.Rc3 Qd5 34.Rc7 Nf7 35.Bf4 Qd1+ 36.Qxd1 Rxd1+ 37.Kh2 Rd4 38.Be3 Rb4 39.Bc5 Rxb2 40.Bd4 Re2 41.Bxf6 Nd6 42.Rd7 Ne8 43.Bc3 Re3 44.Bb2 Re2 45.Bc3 Re3 46.Ba1 Re1 47.Ra7 b4 48.Kg3 b3 49.Kf3 Rf1+ 50.Kg4 Rb1 51.Be5 Re1 52.Kf5 Re2 53.Ra8 Rf2+ 54.Ke6 1-0 (54) Firouzja,A (2767)-Nakamura,H (2802) Paris FRA 2024*)* 13.Nc3 Nd4 14.Qf2 Ne7 15.f5 Nec6 16.Qg3 Rg8 17.Bg5 Qd7 18.Rae1 bxc4 19.Ba4 Kf8 20.Nd5 f6 21.Bf4 Qb7 22.Bxd6+ Kf7 23.Bxc5 Rd8 24.Nb6 Rb8 25.Nxc4 Kg8 26.Qe3 Nb5 27.e5 Nxe5 28.Nxe5 1-0 (28) Firouzja,A (2767)-Nakamura,H (2802) Paris FRA 2024]

[Kuzmin, Alexey: 'In the ending after' 11...c4 12.fxe5 Qb6+

A) 13.Rf2 dxe5 14.Qg5 *(14.Qc3 cxb3 15.Qxe5 f6 16.Qh5+ Ng6 17.axb3 0-0 18.Nc3 Bb7 19.Nd5 Qd4 20.Nc7 Rad8 21.Ne6 Qd1+ 22.Qxd1 Rxd1+ 23.Rf1 Rxf1+ 24.Kxf1 Rc8 25.c3 Nf8 26.Nxf8 Kxf8 27.Be3 Re8 28.Kf2 Rxe4* ½-½ (28) Vokhidov,S (2643)-Kasimdzhanov,R (2685) Tashkent UZB 2024 *)* 14...Be6 15.Be3 Qc7 16.Qxg7 Rg8 17.Qh6 cxb3 18.axb3 Qc6 19.Nc3 b4 20.Na4 Rg6 21.Qh4 Rg4 22.Qxh7 Qxe4 23.Qxe4 Rxe4 24.Bd2 Rc8 25.c4 bxc3 26.Nxc3 Rb4 27.Rxa6 Rxb3 28.Bg5 Rcxc3 29.Rxe6 fxe6 30.bxc3 Rxc3 31.h4 Nf5 32.Kh2 e4 33.Re2 e3 34.g4 Nd4 35.Rxe3 Rxe3 36.Bxe3 Nc6 37.Kg3 Kf7 38.Kf4 Ne7 39.Bd4 Nd5+ 40.Kg5 Ne7 41.h5 Nc6 42.Bc3 e5 43.Kf5 Ne7+ 44.Kxe5 Ng8 45.g5 Kg7 46.Ke6+ Kh7 47.Bd2 Kg7 48.Bf4 Kf8 49.Be5 Ne7 50.Bd6 Ke8 51.h6 Ng6 52.h7 Nf8+ 53.Bxf8 Kxf8 54.h8Q# 1-0 (54) Vokhidov,S (2681)-Laddha,S (2303) chess.com INT 2024;

B) 13.Qe3 Qxe3+ 14.Bxe3 dxe5 15.Bxc4 bxc4 16.Nc3 *(16.b4* Kuzmin, Alexey: 'White's chances are somewhat preferable.' *cxb3 17.axb3 Bb7 18.Nd2 f6 19.Nc4 0-0 20.Bc5 Rf7 21.Nd6 Ng6 22.Nxf7 Kxf7 23.Rfe1 Nf4 24.g3 Ne6 25.Bf2 Ng5 26.Red1 Ke6 27.Be3 Nxe4* ½-½ (27) ARCMARNI7 (2646)-alfredogto (2622) Blitz 2024*)* 16...Bd7 17.Rfd1 Bc6 18.Rd6 f6 19.b4 cxb3 20.axb3 Kf7 21.Ra5 Rhc8 22.Bc5 Be8 23.Rb6 Nc6 24.Raxa6 Rxa6 25.Rxa6 Nd4 26.Ra7+ Kg6 27.b4 Nb5 28.Nxb5 Bxb5 29.Kf2 Rd8 30.Ke3 Rd1 31.Bf8 Re1+ 32.Kf3 f5 33.exf5+ Kxf5 34.g4+ Ke6 35.Bxg7 Rf1+ 36.Kg3 Rg1+ 37.Kh4 Rg2 38.h3 e4 39.Ra5 Bc6 40.c4 Rc2 41.Rc5 Ba4 42.b5 e3 43.Re5+ Kf7 44.Bh6 e2 45.b6 Bc6 46.Kg3 Rc3+ 47.Kf2 Rxh3 48.Bf4 Rf3+ 49.Kxe2 Rxf4 50.Rc5 Bg2 51.Rc7+ Kg6 52.b7 Bxb7 53.Rxb7 Rxc4 54.Kf3 Rc3+ 55.Kf4 Rc4+ 56.Kg3 Rc3+ 57.Kf4 Rc4+ 58.Kg3 Rc3+ 59.Kf4 ½-½ (59) Firouzja,A (2767)-Nakamura,H (2802) Paris FRA 2024]

[11...Ng4 12.c4 0-0 13.Re1

(13.Nc3 b4 14.Ne2 f5 15.Bc2 Bb7 16.h3 Nh6 17.Ng3 fxe4 18.Nxe4 Nhf5 19.Ng5 Qd7 20.Re1 Ng6 21.Ne6 Nfh4 22.Nxc5 Nf3+ 23.gxf3 Qxh3 24.Nxb7 Qg3+ 25.Kf1 Nxf4 26.Qf2 Qh3+ 27.Kg1 Ng6 28.Bxg6 Rxf3 29.Bxh7+ Kh8 30.Qh2 1-0 (30) Vokhidov,S (2650)-Le Tuan, M (2564) chess.com INT 2024*)*
13...Bb7 14.h3 bxc4 15.Bxc4 Nf6 16.Nc3 d5 Kuzmin, Alexey: 'Black has good chances for equalising.']
[11...Nc4 12.Bxc4 bxc4 13.Nc3 0-0 14.f5 Bb7 15.f6 Ng6 16.fxg7 Re8 17.Qe2 d5 18.Qf2 Qd7 19.exd5 Bxd5 20.Rd1 Re5 21.Bf4 Rf5 22.Nxd5 Rxd5 23.Rxd5 Qxd5 24.Re1 Kxg7 25.Bd2 f6 26.Bc3 Rf8 27.h3 Rf7 28.Re8 Qd1+ 29.Kh2 Qd6+ 30.Kg1 Qd1+ 31.Re1 Qd5 32.a4 h5 33.a5 h4 34.Rf1 Qg5 35.Qf5 Qe3+ 36.Kh1 Qe7 37.Qg4 Kh6 38.Qxc4 Ne5 39.Bxe5 Qxe5 40.Qxf7 1-0 (40) RUSGoldenMan (2641)-CaptainSploosh (2646) Blitz 2022]
12.c3
[12.a4 Nd4 13.axb5 0-0 14.f5 Bb7 15.f6 gxf6 16.Qf2 Ng6 17.Bd5 Bxd5 18.exd5 axb5 19.Rxa8 Qxa8 20.c3 Nb3 21.Bh6 Qxd5 22.Qxf6 Qe5 23.Bxf8 Qxf6 24.Rxf6 Kxf8 25.Rxd6 Ne5 26.Nd2 Nxd2 27.Rxd2 Ke7 28.Rd5 Nd7 29.b4 Ke6 30.Rh5 Kd6 31.Rxh7 Ne5 32.Rh5 f6 33.Rf5 Ke6 34.g4 c4 35.h3 Kd5 1-0 (35) AT323 (2717)-zvonokchess (2829) Blitz 2022]
12...0-0 13.Rd1 Qb6 14.Qf2 Bg4 15.Rxd6 Rad8 16.Rxd8 Rxd8 17.Be3 Na5 18.Nd2 Qc6 19.h3 Nxb3 20.Nxb3 Rd1+ 21.Rxd1 Bxd1 22.Qd2 1-0 (22) TheRedKing89 (2819)-efourwhitewins (2811) Blitz 2022
11.Qc3 b4
[11...N5g6 Kuzmin, Alexey: '∞!'
A) 12.a4 c4 *(12...Bb7 13.axb5 axb5 14.Rxa8 Bxa8 15.Ba2 c4 16.Qd4 0-0 17.Nc3 Nc6 18.Qf2 Nb4 19.Bb1 Re8 20.Bd2 Na6 21.f5 Ne5 22.f6 Ng4 23.Qg3 Nxf6 24.Bh6 Nh5 25.Qf3 Nf6 26.Qg3 Nh5 27.Qf3 Nf6 28.Qg3* ½-½ (28) Durarbayli,V (2625)-Abbasov,N (2679) Douglas IOM 2023 *)* 13.Ba2 0-0 14.f5 Ne5 15.Qg3 f6 16.Nc3 Bb7 17.Bh6 Rf7 18.Be3 Bc6 19.Ne2 Bxe4 20.Nd4 Qd7 21.axb5 axb5 22.Bxc4 Nxc4 0-1 (22) apollothedog (2672)-Calzonesdesuperman (2641) Blitz 2023;
B) 12.Qxg7 Kuzmin, Alexey: '?'
12...c4 13.f5 Rg8 14.Qxh7 Nf8 *(14...Ne5 15.f6 Qb6+ 16.Kh1 Be6 17.fxe7 Kxe7 18.Nc3 Rh8 19.Bg5+ Kd7 20.Qg7 Rag8 21.Na4 bxa4 22.Bxa4+ Kc7 23.Qf6 Rxh2+ 24.Kxh2 Ng4+ 25.Kh1 Nxf6 26.Bxf6 Qe3 27.Rf3 Qe2 28.Rg1 Rg6 29.Bh4 Rh6 30.Rf4 Bg4 31.Rxf7+ Kb6 32.g3 Bf3+ 33.Rxf3 Qxf3+ 34.Kh2 Qf2+ 35.Rg2 Qf3 36.b3 c3 37.Bd7 Ka5 38.a3 Kb6 39.Bf5 Rh8 40.Kh3 Rg8 41.Kh2 Qf1 42.Rg1 Qe2+ 43.Rg2 Qd1 44.b4 Kb5 45.Bf6 Rf8 46.Bxc3 Rf7 47.Rd2 Qh5+ 48.Kg2 Rxf5 49.exf5 Qxf5 50.Bd4 Qe4+ 51.Kf2 Ka4 52.Be3 Qf5+ 53.Ke1 d5 54.Rd4 Qe5 55.c3 Qxe3+ 56.Kf1 Qxc3 57.Rf4 Qxg3 58.Ke2 Qxf4 59.Kd3 Qe4+ 60.Kc3 Qc4+ 61.Kd2 Qb3 62.Ke2 Qxa3 63.Kd2 Qxb4+ 64.Kd3 Kb5*

65.Ke3 a5 66.Kf3 a4 67.Kg3 a3 68.Kf2 a2 69.Ke3 a1Q 70.Ke2 Qaa3 71.Kd1 Qbb2 72.Ke1 Qaa1# 0-1 (72) Paravyan,D (2612)-Le Tuan,M (2557) chess.com INT 2023 *)* 15.Qh4 *(15.Qh5 cxb3 16.axb3 Bb7 17.Bg5 Qb6+ 18.Kh1 Bxe4 19.Nc3 d5 20.Rae1 Qd4 21.Nxe4 dxe4 22.Rf4 Qd2 23.Rfxe4 Qxg5 24.Rxe7+ Qxe7 25.Qh4 Qxe1+ 26.Qxe1+ Kd7 27.Qd1+ Kc6 28.Qf3+* 1-0 (28) foo0k (2608)-khvichachess (2661) Blitz 2025*)* 15...cxb3 16.axb3 Qb6+ 17.Rf2 Bb7 Kuzmin, Alexey: '↑']

12.Qg3 N5g6

[12...c4 13.fxe5 cxb3 14.Qxg7 Rf8 15.Bh6 Ng6 16.Qxh7 Qh4 17.Nd2 Be6 18.g3 Qh3 19.exd6 0-0-0 20.Qg7 Rh8 21.Rxf7 Bxf7 22.Qxf7 Rd7 23.Qc4+ Kb8 24.Qxb4+ Rb7 25.Qd4 Qxh6 26.Nf3 bxc2 27.Qc5 Rc8 0-1 (27) Barry_Lindon (2652)-spectraline (2617) Blitz 2023]

13.f5 Ne5 14.Bf4 0-0 15.Bh6 g6 16.f6 N7c6 17.Qg5 Re8 18.Bg7 Be6 19.Qh6 Ng4 20.Qg5 c4 21.h3 Qb6+ 22.Kh1 Nf2+ 23.Kh2 cxb3 24.Qh6 Bxh3 25.gxh3 Nd8 26.axb3 Nxe4 27.Nd2 Nxd2 28.Qxd2 Ne6 29.Bh6 d5 30.Rae1 d4 31.Bf4 Rad8 32.Be5 Rd5 33.Qh6 Qc5 34.Bg3 Qf8 35.Qd2 a5 36.Qd3 Ng5 37.Qf3 0-1 (37) swimmerchess (2730)-FraDoNicks (2758) Blitz 2021

11.Qe3 Ng4 12.Qg3 c4 13.f5 Qb6+ 14.Kh1 h5 15.h3 Bb7 16.Bg5 f6 17.Bh4 cxb3 18.hxg4 hxg4 19.Qxg4 bxc2 20.Nc3 0-0-0 21.Rac1 Kb8 22.Rxc2 g5 23.fxg6 Nxg6 24.g3 Rdg8 25.Qh3 b4 26.Nd5 Qd4 27.Nxf6 Bxe4+ 28.Nxe4 Qxe4+ 29.Qg2 Qxg2+ 30.Rxg2 Nxh4 31.gxh4 Rxh4+ 32.Kg1 Rxg2+ 33.Kxg2 Kc7 34.Kf3 Rh2 35.Rb1 Kc6 36.Ke3 Kc5 37.Kd3 d5 38.a3 a5 39.axb4+ axb4 40.b3 Rh3+ 41.Kc2 Rc3+ 42.Kb2 Kd4 43.Rd1+ Rd3 44.Re1 Rd2+ 45.Kc1 Kc3 46.Re5 Rd3 47.Re6 Kxb3 48.Rd6 d4 49.Rd8 Rc3+ 50.Kb1 Rh3 51.Rd7 Rh1# 0-1 (51) Fratz71 (2655)-wyssegga (2500) Blitz 2024

[23] **11...Ng4** 12.c4

[12.h3 Nf6 *(12...h5 13.Bd5 Nxd5 14.Qxd5 Be6 15.Qc6+ Kf8 16.f5 Bc4 17.Rd1 Ne5 18.Qxd6+ Qxd6 19.Rxd6 Ke7 20.Rd1 Rad8 21.Nc3 b4 22.Nd5+ Bxd5 23.exd5 Kf6 24.Be3 Rc8 25.a3 Nc4 26.Bf2 Nxb2 27.Rdb1 Nc4 28.axb4 cxb4 29.Rxa6+ Kxf5 30.Rxb4 Rhd8 31.Rc6 Ne5 32.Rxc8 Rxc8 33.Rb2 Ke4 34.d6 Rc6 35.Rb4+ Kd5 36.Rd4+ Ke6 37.Rd2 Rxd6 38.Rxd6+ Kxd6 39.Bg3 Kd5 40.Bxe5 Kxe5 41.Kf2 Kd4 42.Ke2 Kc3 43.Kd1 g5 44.g3 f5 45.Kc1 h4 46.gxh4 gxh4 47.Kd1 f4 48.Ke2 Kxc2 49.Kf3 Kd3 50.Kxf4 Kd4 51.Kg4 Ke5 52.Kxh4 Kf6 53.Kh5 Kg7 54.Kg5 Kh7 55.h4 Kg7 56.h5 Kh7 57.Kf4 Kg7 58.Ke3 Kh6 59.Kd2 Kxh5* ½-½ (59) HelloItsDmitri (2684)-Dekelija (2742) Blitz 2024*)* 13.e5 dxe5 14.Qxd8+ Kxd8 15.fxe5 Nd7 16.Bxf7 Nxe5 17.Bg5 Rf8 18.Rd1+ Bd7 19.Be6 h6 20.Bh4 Ke8 21.Bxd7+ Nxd7 22.Nc3 g5 23.Bg3 Rf6 24.Ne4 Re6 25.Nd6+ Kd8 26.Nb7+ Ke8 27.Rxd7 1-0 (27) ilqar_7474 (2804)-Dekelija (2782) Blitz 2024]

12...0-0 13.f5

[13.Nc3 f5 14.cxb5+ Kh8 15.h3 Nf6

16.e5 dxe5 17.fxe5 Ne4 18.Qxd8 Rxd8 19.Nxe4 fxe4 20.Bg5 1-0 (20) HelloItsDmitri (2668)-spectraline (2587) Blitz 2023]
13...Nf6 14.Bg5 Nc6 15.Nc3 h6 16.Bh4 Ne5 17.Nd5 bxc4 18.Bc2 Bb7 19.Nxf6+ gxf6 20.Qd2 Kh7 21.Rad1 Rg8 22.Qxd6 Qxd6 23.Rxd6 Rad8 24.Rxd8 Rxd8 25.Bxf6 Rd2 26.Bb1 Nd3 27.Bc3 Re2 28.Rf3 Bxe4 29.Rg3 h5 30.h4 Bxf5 31.Rg7+ Kh6 32.Rxf7 Be4 33.Rg7 Ne1 34.Kf1 1-0 (34) ilqar_7474 (2867)-spectraline (2596) Blitz 2025
11...N5c6 12.c4
[12.c3 Be6 *(12...c4 13.Bc2 f5 14.Be3 0-0 15.Nd2 d5 16.exd5 Nxd5 17.Bc5 Re8 18.Nf3 Nxf4 19.Nd4 Nxd4 20.cxd4 Nd5 21.Qf3 Re3 22.Qf2 g6 23.Rae1 Qe8 24.g4 f4 25.Qh4 Bxg4 26.Bd6 Rxe1 27.Rxe1 Qd7 28.Be5 Bf5 29.Bd1 Qd8 30.Qh6 Qf8 31.Qh4 Qd8 32.Qh6 Qf8 33.Bf3 Qxh6 34.Bxd5+ Kf8 35.Bd6+ Kg7 36.Re7+ Kf6 37.Rf7+ Kg5 38.Bxa8 Qh3 39.Re7 f3 40.Kf2 Qg2+ 41.Ke1 f2+ 42.Kd1 f1Q+ 43.Re1 Bc2+ 44.Kc1 Qxe1#* 0-1 (44) Corre_por_tu_vida (2714)-IMFAR (2718) Blitz 2022*)* 13.Bc2 *(13.f5 Bxb3 14.axb3 f6 15.Bf4 d5 16.Nd2 0-0 17.exd5 Qxd5 18.g4 Rad8 19.Qf3 Ne5 20.Qxd5+ Rxd5 21.Bxe5 Rxd2 22.Bg3 Rxb2 23.Bd6 Re8 24.Rfe1 Kf7 25.Rxa6 Rd2 26.Bxc5 Rd5 27.b4 Rd7 28.Rae6 g6 29.Kf2 gxf5 30.gxf5 Rc7 31.R1e4 Rd7 32.Ke2 Ra7* 1-0 (32) T-Stevenson (2672)-mocaspoke (2629) Blitz 2021*)* 13...0-0 14.f5 Bc8 15.f6 Ng6 16.fxg7 Re8 17.Nd2 Nce5 18.Qe1 Qh4 19.Qxh4 Nxh4 20.Rf2 Bb7 21.Nf1 Nhg6 22.Ng3 Ng4 23.Rf1 N6e5 24.Nf5 Re6 25.h3 Nf6 26.Bf4 Nxe4 27.Rad1 1-0 (27) Dominguez Perez,L (2748)-Dyachuk,A (2249) chess.com INT 2024]
[12.a4 Rb8 13.axb5 axb5 14.c3 0-0 15.Qh5 c4 16.Bc2 f5 17.Be3 d5 18.exd5 Qxd5 19.Rd1 Qe6 20.Bc5 Bb7 21.Na3 g6 22.Qh6 Rf7 23.Rd6 Qe2 24.Bf2 Nd8 25.Re1 Qg4 26.Qg5 Qxg5 27.fxg5 Bc6 28.Re5 Nb7 29.Rde6 Kf8 30.Bd4 Bd7 31.Rb6 Nc8 32.Ra6 Nd8 33.b3 1-0 (33) Karlmessinger (2700)-Stoichess (2559) Blitz 2021]
12...0-0 13.Be3 Na5 14.f5 Nec6 15.f6 Be6 16.Qh5 Ne5 17.fxg7 Re8 18.Bg5 Qd7 19.Nd2 bxc4 20.Bd1 Rab8 21.Rf4 Ng6 22.Rf1 Rxb2 23.Qh6 c3 24.Nf3 Bg4 25.Rc1 Bxf3 26.Bxf3 Nc4 27.Rxc3 Nce5 28.h3 Qb5 29.Bh5 Rxg2+ 30.Kxg2 Qb2+ 31.Bd2 Qxa2 32.Bxg6 Nxg6 33.Rcf3 Re7 34.Kg1 a5 35.Rf6 Rd7 36.Rxg6 a4 37.Qxh7+ Kxh7 38.g8Q# 1-0 (38) THE_PUZZLE_KING (2851)-Ciderdrinker (2851) Blitz 2024
12.fxe5 Qb6+ 13.Kh1 dxe5 Kuzmin, Alexey: '∞' '=' 14.Qf3
[14.Bxc4 bxc4 15.Qe2 Be6 16.Nc3 0-0 17.Rb1 Rad8 18.Be3 Qa5 19.Qf2 Rb8 20.Bc5 Rfe8 21.Bd6 Rbd8 22.Qc5 Qxc5 23.Bxc5 Nc6 24.Rbd1 Nd4 25.Rf2 f6 26.h3 Kf7 27.Rfd2 Nc6 28.Rd6 Rxd6 29.Rxd6 Rc8 30.Nd5 Bxd5 31.exd5 Nd4 32.Rd7+ Kg6 33.Bb4 Nxc2 34.Bc3 Rc5 35.d6 Rd5 36.Rd8 e4 37.Re8 e3 38.Re6 Kf5 39.Re7 Rxd6 40.Kh2 Kg6 41.g4 Rd2+ 42.Kg3 Rd3 43.Kg2 Nd4 44.h4 h5 45.gxh5+ Kxh5 46.Rxg7 e2 47.Re7 Kxh4 48.Kf2 Rf3+ 49.Kg2 Rd3 50.Kf2

Kg4 51.Re4+ Kf5 52.Rxd4 Rxd4 53.Bxd4 Ke4 54.Bxf6 Kd3 55.Bc3 Kc2 56.a4 a5 57.Kxe2 Kb3 58.Ke3 Kxa4 59.Kd4 Kb3 60.Kd5 a4 61.Bh8 Kb4 62.Kc6 a3 63.bxa3+ Kxa3 64.Kc5 Kb3 65.Be5 c3 66.Bf4 c2 67.Bc1 Kc3 68.Kd5 Kd3 69.Kc5 Kc3 70.Kb5 Kb3 71.Kc5 Ka2 72.Kd5 Kb1 73.Bf4 Ka2 74.Kc4 Kb2 75.Kd3 Kb1 76.Kc3 Ka2 77.Kxc2 ½-½ (77) ilqar_7474 (2787)-slouuurps (2713) Blitz 2025]

[14.Bg5 f6 *(14...Be6 15.Nc3 Rd8 16.Nd5 Bxd5 17.Bxe7 Kxe7 18.exd5 Rd6 19.Qg4 g6 20.a4 cxb3 21.axb5 axb5 22.cxb3 Rxd5 23.Qf3 Qe6 24.Ra6 Rd6 25.Qb7+ Ke8 26.Rxd6 Qxd6 27.Qxf7+ Kd8 28.h3 Re8 29.Qb7 e4 30.Rc1 Qd7 31.Qb8+ Ke7 32.Qe5+ Kf7 33.Qf4+ Kg8 34.Rc7 Qe6 35.Qh6 Re7 36.Rxe7 Qxe7 37.Qe3 b4 38.Kg1 Qe6 39.Qd4 Qxb3 40.Qd8+ Kf7 41.Qd7+ Kf6 42.Qd6+ Kf5 43.g4+ Kg5 44.Qe7+ Kf4 45.Qf6+ Kg3 46.Qf2+ Kxh3 47.Qh2+ Kxg4 48.Qxh7 Qg3+ 49.Kf1 Kf3 50.Qf7+ Qf4 51.Qb3+ e3 52.Ke1 Qg3+ 53.Kd1 Qg1+ 54.Kc2 Qf2+ 55.Kb1 Qd2 56.Qf7+ Ke2 57.Qc4+ Qd3+ 58.Ka1 Qxc4 59.b3 Qc3+ 60.Kb1 Kd2 61.Ka2 e2 62.Kb1 g5 63.Ka2 Qc2+* 0-1 (63) JohnWarosa (2622)-RondoDeBendicion (2556) Blitz 2022*)* 15.Bd2 cxb3 16.axb3 0-0 17.Bb4 Qb7 18.Nc3 Be6 19.Qd6 1-0 (19) Corre_por_tu_vida (2702)-Chessi9 (2704) Blitz 2022]

[14.Qh5 Be6 *(14...Ng6 15.Nc3 Bb7 16.Rf3 cxb3 17.axb3 Qe6 18.Be3 Rd8 19.Raf1 Rd7 20.Bc5 Nf4 21.Qh4 Qg6 22.Rg3 Qh6 23.Qg4 Ne6 24.Bb4 a5 25.Bxa5 0-0 26.Bb4 Re8 27.Nxb5 Ba6 28.c4 Bxb5 29.cxb5 Rb7 30.Qf5 Nf4 31.Bc3 Qe6 32.Rxf4 Qxf5 33.Rxf5 Rbe7 34.b4 g6 35.h3 Kf8 36.Rf2 Kg7 37.Kh2 f6 38.Rgf3 Re6 39.g4 h6 40.Kg3 g5 41.h4 Rd8 42.h5 Rde8* 0-1 (42) ice2breaker (2676)-alfredogto (2634) Blitz 2024*)* 15.Qxe5 0-0 16.Nc3 cxb3 17.axb3 Nc6 18.Qg3 Qd4 19.Be3 Qe5 20.Qxe5 Nxe5 21.Nd5 Bxd5 22.exd5 Rfc8 23.c3 Nd7 24.Bd4 f6 25.Rfe1 Kf7 26.Re6 a5 27.Rae1 Re8 28.Kg1 a4 29.bxa4 bxa4 30.Kf2 Rab8 31.c4 Rec8 32.Re7+ Kg6 33.Rxd7 Rxc4 34.Rd1 Rc2+ 35.Kf3 Rb3+ 36.Kf4 Rxg2 37.d6 h5 38.Ra7 Rg4# 0-1 (38) notkevich (2693)-Samira_Chess2010 (2738) Blitz 2024]

14...0-0 15.Be3 Qc6 16.Nc3 Bb7 17.Qg3 cxb3 18.cxb3 Qe6 19.Bc5 Rac8 20.b4 Rfd8 21.Rad1 Ng6 22.h3 Nf4 23.Qf3 h6 24.Kh2 Ng6 25.Nd5 Bxd5 26.exd5 Qd7 27.Qe4 Ne7 28.Qxe5 Nxd5 29.Rf5 Qc7 30.Rxd5 Rxd5 31.Qxc7 Rxc7 32.Rxd5 1-0 (32) toomanymanoevres (2946)-uSeRnAmEnOtAvAiL (2725) Blitz 2023

[24] **6...b5** 7.Bb3 d6

[7...0-0 8.c3 d6 9.d4 Bb6 10.h3 Kh8 11.Be3 Ng6 12.a4 Rb8 13.axb5 axb5 14.Qd3 f5 15.dxe5 Ncxe5 16.Nxe5 Nxe5 17.Qe2 f4 18.Bxb6 f3 19.Qe3 Rxb6 20.Nd2 Qh4 21.Ra8 d5 22.Nxf3 Nxf3+ 23.Qxf3 Rbf6 24.Qe3 dxe4 25.Bd5 Bf5 26.Rxf8+ Rxf8 27.Re1 Re8 28.Bc6 Re5 29.Qd4 Qe7 30.Rd1 h6 31.Qd8+ Qxd8 32.Rxd8+ Kh7 33.Rd5 Rxd5 34.Bxd5 c5 35.b4

cxb4 36.cxb4 Kg6 37.Bc6 Kf6 38.Bxb5 Ke5 39.Kf1 Kd4 40.Be8 e3 41.fxe3+ Kxe3 42.b5 Kd4 43.b6 Be4 44.g4 Kc5 45.Kf2 Kxb6 46.Ke3 Bg2 47.h4 g5 48.hxg5 hxg5 49.Kd4 Kc7 50.Ke5 Kd8 51.Bb5 Bh3 52.Kf5 Bxg4+ 53.Kxg4 Ke7 54.Kxg5 ½-½ (54) AlexD64 (2608)-itdBsoMTwome (2602) Blitz 2023]

8.Be3 0-0 9.h3 h6 10.a4 Rb8 11.axb5 axb5 12.Nc3 Nd4 13.Bxd4 exd4 14.Ne2 Nc6 15.Bd5 Nb4 16.Nexd4 Nxd5 17.exd5 Bd7 18.Re1 Qf6 19.c3 b4 20.Qc1 bxc3 21.bxc3 Rfe8 22.Rxe8+ Rxe8 23.Qd2 Qg6 24.Kh2 Qh5 25.Re1 Qxd5 26.Rxe8+ Bxe8 27.Qe2 Kf8 28.c4 Qh5 29.Qe4 Qg6 30.Nf5 Qe6 31.Qg4 Qf6 32.d4 Bb6 33.Qe4 h5 34.h4 g6 35.Ne3 Qe6 36.Qf4 c6 37.Ng5 Qe7 38.Kg1 Kg7 39.Ne4 Bc7 40.d5 c5 41.Ng5 Ba5 42.Qg3 Kh8 43.Nf3 Bc3 44.Qf4 Kg7 45.g3 Bd7 46.Kg2 Bf6 47.Ng5 Bxg5 48.hxg5 f6 49.gxf6+ Qxf6 50.Qe4 Kf7 51.Qb1 Qd4 52.Qb7 Ke7 53.Qb8 h4 54.gxh4 Qxh4 55.Qg8 Qg5+ 56.Kf1 Qf6 57.Qh7+ Kd8 58.Qg8+ Kc7 59.Qh7 g5 60.Qe4 Qa1+ 61.Kg2 Qf6 62.Qf3 Qd4 63.Qf7 g4 64.Qe7 Qf4 65.Qh4 Qf3+ 66.Kg1 Qf4 67.Qg3 Qe4 68.Qg2 Qf4 69.Qf1 Qd4 70.Qg2 Qf4 71.Qg3 Qe4 72.Ng2 Qd4 73.Nf4 Qa1+ 74.Kg2 Qd4 75.Ne6+ Bxe6 76.dxe6 Qe4+ 77.Kg1 Qxe6 78.Qd3 Kd7 79.Qh7+ Qe7 80.Qf5+ Qe6 81.Qh7+ Qe7 82.Qb1 Qe6 83.Qb7+ 1-0 (83) zzzsleep (2931)-DarkAlekhine (2747) Blitz 2023

6...Ba7 7.Bb3

[7.Be3 0-0 *(7...Ng6 8.Bxa7 Rxa7 9.d4 b5 10.Bb3 0-0 11.d5 Nce7 12.d6 cxd6 13.Qxd6 Nc6 14.Nc3 Qe7 15.Rfd1 Re8 16.g3 Nd4 17.Qxe7 Nxf3+ 18.Kg2 Ne1+ 19.Rxe1 Rxe7 20.a4 bxa4 21.Rxa4 Bb7 22.Nd5 Bxd5 23.Bxd5 h5 24.Rea1 Rc7 25.c3 h4 26.Rxa6 Kh7 27.Ra7 d6 28.Rxc7 Rxc7 29.Ra6 Rd7 30.b4 hxg3 31.hxg3 Kg8 32.Ra8+ Kh7 33.b5 Ne7 34.Bxf7 Rc7 35.c4 Kh6 36.Ra6 Kg5 37.Rxd6 g6 38.b6 Rb7 39.c5 Rb8 40.Re6 Rb7 41.c6 Nxc6 42.Rxg6+ Kh5 43.Rxc6+ Kg5 44.Bd5 Rg7 45.Rc7 Kh5 46.Rxg7 Kh6 47.Rg4 Kh5 48.Kf3 Kh6 49.b7 Kh5 50.b8Q Kh6* 1-0 (50) Kartvelii (2673)-Calzonesdesuperman (2569) Blitz 2023*; 7...Bxe3 8.fxe3 0-0 9.c4 d6 10.Nc3 h6 11.Bxc6 Nxc6 12.Nd5 Be6 13.Rc1 Qd7 14.Kh1 Ne7 15.Nh4 c6 16.Nb6 Qc7 17.Nxa8 Rxa8 18.Nf5 Ng6 19.b3 Qd7 20.d4 exd4 21.exd4 d5 22.cxd5 cxd5 23.Ne3 Rd8 24.e5 Qe7 25.Qh5 Qb4 26.Qd1 Qe7 27.Nf5 Qg5 28.Nd6 f6 29.Nxb7 Rb8 30.Nc5 Bg4 31.Qe1 fxe5 32.dxe5 Nxe5 33.Qg3 Qh5 34.Rce1 Ng6 35.Qxb8+* 1-0 (35) Mavi_Alpha (2629)-solxe (2643) Blitz 2024*)* 8.Nc3 *(8.Bxc6 Nxc6 9.Bxa7 Rxa7 10.Nc3 d6 11.d4 Bg4 12.d5 Nd4 13.Kh1 Nxf3 14.gxf3 Bh3 15.Rg1 Qh4 16.Rg3 f5 17.Qd2 f4 18.Rgg1 Rf6 19.Nb1 Rh6 20.Qc3 Bf1 21.Rg2 Bxg2+ 22.Kxg2 Qxh2+ 23.Kf1 Qh1+ 24.Ke2 Rf6 25.b3 Rf7 26.Nd2 Qh3 27.Rg1 Ra8 28.Qa1 b6 29.a4 a5 30.Rh1 Qd7 31.Nc4 Rf6 32.Na3 Rg6 33.Nb5 Rf8 34.Qc3 Rf7 35.Na7 Rg5 36.Nc6 h5 37.Qc4 Kh7 38.c3 Kh6 39.b4 Rf8 40.bxa5 bxa5 41.Nxa5 Rb8 42.Nc6 Rb2+ 43.Kd3 Rg2 44.Qa6 Qe8 45.Qa7 Rgxf2 46.a5 Rxf3+ 47.Kc4 Qg6 48.Qxc7 Qxe4+ 49.Nd4 Rxc3+*

50.Kxc3 Qxd4# 0-1 (50) tumaridodiegoni (2636)-spectraline (2504) Blitz 2024*)* 8...d6 9.Ne2 Ng6 10.Bxc6 bxc6 11.d4 h6 12.c3 Qf6 13.Ng3 Bg4 14.h3 Bxf3 15.Qxf3 Qxf3 16.gxf3 Nh4 17.Rfd1 Nxf3+ 18.Kg2 Nh4+ 19.Kf1 f5 20.exf5 Nxf5 21.Nxf5 Rxf5 22.Ke2 Rb8 23.Rd2 Re8 24.Rg1 exd4 25.cxd4 c5 26.dxc5 Bxc5 27.Rg5 0-1 (27) yearsusers (2709)-Calzonesdesuperman (2693) Blitz 2024]

[7.Nc3 Ng6 8.Be3 *(8.Bg5 f6 9.Be3 0-0 10.Bb3+ Kh8 11.Bxa7 Rxa7 12.Nd5 d6 13.a3 Bd7 14.Ne3 Qe8 15.c3 Nd8 16.d4 Ne6 17.Bxe6 Bxe6 18.d5 Bd7 19.Qc2 Nf4 20.Rfe1 Qg6 21.Nh4 Qh5 22.Nhf5 g6 23.Ng3 Qg5 24.c4 h5 25.Kh1 h4 26.Ngf1 h3 27.g3 Bg4 28.Nxg4 Qxg4 29.Nd2 Ng2 30.Rf1 f5 31.c5 f4 32.cxd6 cxd6 33.Qc7 Raa8 34.Qxd6 Rae8 35.Rac1 fxg3 36.hxg3 Qg5 37.Rc7 Qxd2 38.Qxg6* 1-0 (38) newalna (2638)-alfredogto (2648) Blitz 2024 *)* 8...0-0 9.Bxa7 *(9.h3 d6 10.Bxc6 bxc6 11.Bxa7 Rxa7 12.d4 f6 13.Qd3 Kh8 14.Rad1 Qe8 15.Qe3 Ra8 16.Rfe1 a5 17.a4 Be6 18.b3 Nf4 19.Kh2 Qh5 20.Ng1 Bd7 21.Nce2 Ne6 22.Nf3 c5 23.dxc5 Nxc5 24.Ng3 Qf7 25.Nd2 f5 26.exf5 Bxf5 27.Qc3 Bg6 28.Re2 h5 29.Kg1 Ne6 30.f3 Nd4 31.Rf2 Bxc2 32.Rc1 Bxb3 33.Qxc7 h4 34.Nge4 Qxc7 35.Rxc7 Bxa4 36.Nxd6 Bc2 37.N2c4 a4 38.Na3 Bd3 39.Nf7+ Kg8 40.Nxe5 Bf5 41.Rd2 Rad8 42.Nec4 Rfe8 43.Kf2 Be6 44.Ne3 Bb3 45.Rc3 Ne6 46.Rcd3 Rxd3 47.Rxd3 Nf4 48.Rd2 g5 49.Ng4 Kg7 50.Ne3 Rc8 51.Ng4 Be6 52.Ne5 Rc3 53.Nc2 a3 54.Nxa3 Rxa3 55.Ng4 Bxg4 56.hxg4 Kf6 57.Rd6+ Ke5 58.Rd2 Rc3 59.Ra2 Rb3 60.Ra5+ Kf6 61.Ra6+ Kf7 62.Ra7+ Ke6 63.Ra6+ Kd7 64.Ra2 Kd6 65.Kg1 Ke5 66.Kh2 Nd5 67.Re2+ Kf6 68.Rd2 Ne3 69.Ra2 Rc3 70.Ra6+ Kf7 71.Ra7+ Kf6 72.Ra6+ Ke5 73.Ra5+ Nd5 74.Ra2 Re3 75.Ra4 Re2 76.Ra5 Ke6 77.Ra6+ Ke7 78.Ra7+ Kf6 79.Ra6+ Ke5 80.Ra5 Kd4 81.Ra4+ Ke3 82.Ra3+ Kf2 83.Ra5 Rd2 84.Ra4 Nf4 85.Ra1 Nxg2 86.Rg1 Ne1* 0-1 (86) Bartel,M (2647)-Le,T (2567) chess.com INT 2024 *)* 9...Rxa7 10.Bxc6 dxc6 11.d4 Bg4 12.dxe5 Qe7 13.Qd4 Raa8 14.Qe3 Bxf3 15.Qxf3 Nxe5 16.Qg3 Nc4 17.b3 Nd6 18.Rfe1 Rad8 19.Rad1 Nb5 20.Nxb5 axb5 21.Rxd8 Rxd8 22.Qc3 b4 23.Qc4 Rd2 24.h3 Qf6 25.Rf1 Qc3 26.Qxc3 bxc3 27.Rc1 Kf8 28.g3 Ke7 29.Kg2 Kd6 30.Kf3 Kc5 31.a3 Kd4 32.h4 c5 33.h5 h6 34.g4 f6 35.a4 b6 0-1 (35) Retro23 (2699)-Calzonesdesuperman (2660) Blitz 2024]

7...h6 8.Nbd2 0-0 9.c3 d6 10.Nc4 Kh8 11.d4 Bg4 12.dxe5 Bxf3 13.Qxf3 Nxe5

[13...dxe5 14.Qh5 Ng6 15.Bxh6 gxh6 16.Qxh6+ Kg8 17.Nb6 Qf6 18.Nxa8 Rxa8 19.Rad1 Bb6 20.Rd7 Rf8 21.g3 Nb8 22.Rd3 a5 23.Kg2 Na6 24.Rfd1 Nc5 25.Rf3 Nf4+ 26.Qxf4 exf4 27.Rxf4 Qe5 28.Rd5 Qg7 29.Bc2 f6 30.b3 Ne6 31.Rf3 Ng5 32.Rf4 Qe7 33.h4 Ne6 34.Rg4+ Kf7 35.b4 Rd8 36.Bb3 Rxd5 37.exd5 Nf4+ 38.Rxf4 Qd6 39.h5 axb4 40.cxb4 Ke7 41.h6 Qe5 42.h7 Qh5 43.Rh4 Qe8 44.d6+ 1-0 (44) Renier07 (2674)-spectraline

(2618) Blitz 2023]
14.Nxe5 dxe5 15.Rd1 Qe8 16.Bd2 Ng6 17.Bc2 Rd8 18.Qe2 Qe6 19.g3 Qf6 20.Kg2 Rd6 21.Be1 Rfd8 22.Rxd6 Rxd6 23.Rd1 Qd8 24.Rxd6 Qxd6 25.Bb3 f6 26.Qg4 Kh7 27.Qf5 Qe7 28.h4 1-0 (28) seojungmin (2739)-spectraline (2603) Blitz 2023

6...h6 7.Be3 Ba7 8.Bxa7 Rxa7 9.c3 0-0 10.d4 d6 11.h3 Ra8 12.Nbd2 Bd7 13.Bb3 Ng6 14.Kh2 Qf6 15.g3 exd4 16.cxd4 Nxd4 17.Nxd4 Qxd4 18.Qc2 Ne5 19.f4 Nc6 20.Nf3 Qc5 21.Qxc5 dxc5 22.Rac1 b6 23.Rfd1 Rad8 24.Ba4 b5 25.Bb3 c4 26.Bc2 Nb4 27.a3 Nxc2 28.Rxc2 Bc6 29.Re1 f6 30.b3 Rd3 0-1 (30) mrchess2013 (2622)-spectraline (2593) Blitz 2022

[25] **7.Be3** d6 8.Nc3
[8.Bxc5 dxc5 9.Bxc6 Nxc6 10.Nbd2 Be6 11.Qe1 f6 12.Qe3 b6 13.c3 Qd6 14.Rfd1 Rad8 15.Nf1 Rd7 16.h3 Rfd8 17.Rd2 Qe7 18.Ng3 Rd6 19.b3 a5 20.Rad1 a4 21.Nf5 Bxf5 22.exf5 axb3 23.axb3 Qd7 24.Qe4 Ne7 25.g4 Qb5 26.Qc4+ Qxc4 27.bxc4 Ra8 28.d4 e4 29.dxc5 bxc5 30.Rxd6 cxd6 31.Nd2 d5 32.cxd5 Nxd5 33.Nxe4 Nf4 34.Kh2 c4 35.Rd7 Ra2 36.Kg3 Nd3 37.Nd6 h5 38.Ne8 hxg4 39.hxg4 Nxf2 40.Nxg7 Ne4+ 41.Kf4 Nxc3 42.Nh5 Rf2+ 43.Ke3 Rg2 44.Nxf6+ Kf8 45.Rc7 Rxg4 46.Rc8+ 1-0 (46) alicja92 (2611)-mocaspoke (2588) Blitz 2021]
8...Kh8
[8...Bg4 9.h3 Bh5 *(9...Bxf3 10.Qxf3 b5 11.Bb3 Nd4 12.Bxd4 Bxd4 13.Rab1 Ng6 14.Ne2 Bb6 15.g3 Qd7 16.Kg2 a5 17.a3 a4 18.Ba2 c6 19.h4 h6 20.h5 Ne7 21.g4 Kh8 22.Ng3 Ng8 23.Nf5 Bd8 24.d4 g6 25.Ng3 Bg5 26.dxe5 dxe5 27.Rbd1 Qe7 28.Rd3 Rad8 29.Rfd1 Rxd3 30.Qxd3 Nf6 31.f3 Qc5 32.c3 Kg7 33.hxg6 fxg6 34.Qd7+ Nxd7* 0-1 (34) Brocha (2616)-mocaspoke (2627) Blitz 2021 *)* 10.g4 Bg6

A) 11.Ne2 Bxe3 *(11...f6 12.Ng3 Bf7 13.Bb3 Kh8 14.Kg2 Qd7 15.Nh4 Nd4 16.Bxf7 Rxf7 17.c3 Ne6 18.Kh2 Bb6 19.Bxb6 cxb6 20.c4 b5 21.b3 bxc4 22.dxc4 b5 23.cxb5 axb5 24.Nhf5 Nxf5 25.Nxf5 Rd8 26.a4 bxa4 27.bxa4 g6 28.Ne3 Nf4 29.a5 d5 30.Nxd5 Nxd5 31.Qxd5 Qxd5 32.exd5 Rxd5 33.a6 Ra7 34.Ra4 Kg7 35.Rb1 Rd6 36.Rba1 Kh6 37.Kg2 Kg5 38.Kg3 f5 39.h4+ Kf6 40.g5+ Ke6 41.f3 Rb6 42.Ra5 Rd6 43.Re1 Rd5 44.Rxd5 Kxd5 45.Ra1 Kc5 46.Ra5+ Kd4 47.Ra4+ Kc5 48.Ra5+ Kd4 49.Ra4+ Kc5 50.Ra5+* ½-½ (50) tumaridodiegoni (2607)-Dictator02 (2678) Blitz 2024*)* 12.fxe3 b5 *(12...d5 13.Ng3 dxe4 14.dxe4 f6 15.Qe2 Qd6 16.Nh4 Bf7 17.Nhf5 Nxf5 18.Nxf5 Qc5 19.Rad1 Rad8 20.Bb3 Bxb3 21.axb3 g6 22.Ng3 Kg7 23.Kg2 Ne7 24.Qf3 Qc6 25.c3 a5 26.h4 Nc8 27.h5 Rxd1 28.Rxd1 Nd6 29.Rh1 Nf7 30.Rd1 Ng5 31.Qe2 Nxe4 32.Qf3 Nxg3 33.Qxc6 bxc6 34.Kxg3 Rb8 35.Rd7+ Kh6 36.hxg6 hxg6 37.Rxc7 Rxb3 38.Rxc6 Rxb2 39.Rxf6 Rb3 40.Rc6 a4 41.Kf3 Kg5 42.Ke4 a3 43.Kxe5 a2 44.Ra6 Rxc3 45.e4 Rc2 46.Kd4 Rd2+ 47.Ke3 Rb2 48.e5 Kxg4 49.e6 Kf5 50.e7 Rb8 51.Rxa2 Re8 52.Ra7 Kf6 53.Kf4 Rxe7*

54.Ra6+ Re6 55.Ra7 g5+ 56.Kg4 Re4+ 57.Kf3 Re5 58.Ra6+ Kf5 59.Ra8 g4+ 60.Kf2 Kf4 61.Rf8+ Rf5 62.Ra8 g3+ 63.Kg2 Kg4 64.Rg8+ Kf4 65.Rg7 Rg5 66.Rf7+ Kg4 67.Rf3 Rf5 68.Rxg3+ Kf4 69.Ra3 Ke4 70.Ra4+ Ke5 71.Ra7 Kf6 72.Ra6+ Kg5 73.Ra4 Kg6 74.Kg3 Kf7 75.Ra7+ Kg6 76.Ra6+ 1-0 (76) Jogirel (2710)-pozvonochek (2848) Blitz 2021*)* 13.Bb3 d5 14.Ng3 dxe4 15.dxe4 Kh8 16.Nf5 f6 17.Bd5 Bxf5 18.gxf5 Rb8 19.Nh4 Qe8 20.Be6 Nd8 21.Bb3 c5 22.Bd5 Nxd5 23.exd5 Nb7 24.e4 Nd6 25.Qe2 Rb7 26.Kh2 g5 27.fxg6 hxg6 28.Rf3 Rh7 29.Ng2 f5 30.exf5 gxf5 31.Raf1 f4 32.a4 Qd7 33.Qxe5+ Qg7 34.Qxg7+ Kxg7 35.Rxf4 Rxf4 36.Nxf4 Rh8 37.Ne6+ Kg6 38.axb5 axb5 39.Nxc5 Rh5 40.Nd3 Kg7 41.Nf4 Rf5 42.Ne6+ Kf6 43.Rxf5+ Kxf5 44.Nc7 b4 45.Kg3 Nc4 46.b3 1-0 (46) tryhard122 (2730)-gmmitkov (2597) Blitz 2022;

B) 11.Bxc6 Nxc6 12.Bxc5 dxc5 13.b3 f6 14.Nd5 Bf7 15.Ne3 Be6 16.Kh2 b5 17.Rg1 Nd4 18.Nh4 g6 19.c3 Nc6 20.Qe2 Kh8 21.Rad1 Qe7 22.Rg3 Rad8 23.Nhg2 Rd6 24.h4 Rfd8 25.h5 g5 26.Ne1 Qd7 27.Rc1 c4 28.dxc4 Rd2 29.Qf3 Qe7 30.Nd5 Bxd5 31.cxd5 Na5 32.Rc2 Rxc2 33.Nxc2 c6 34.Ne3 1-0 (34) Seanser (2917)-ma_long_ma (2692) Blitz 2024]

9.Bxc6 Nxc6 10.Nxe5 Nxe5 11.d4 Ng4 12.dxc5 Nxe3 13.fxe3 Qg5 14.cxd6 Bg4 15.Qd5 Qxe3+ 16.Kh1 Be6 17.Qxb7 cxd6 18.Qe7 Rfb8 19.Rae1 Qc5 20.e5 Ra7 21.Qxd6 Qxd6 22.exd6 Rd7 23.Ne4 Rxb2 24.Nc5 Rd8 25.Rxe6 fxe6 26.Nxe6 Rdb8 27.d7 Kg8 1-0 (27) RebeccaHarris (2944)-chabo_ftw (2755) Blitz 2021

7.c3 Ng6 8.Bg5

[8.Nbd2 d6 9.Re1 f5 10.h3 Ba7 11.Bxc6 bxc6 12.Nf1 Qf6 13.Bg5 Qf7 14.Be3 fxe4 15.dxe4 Bxe3 16.Rxe3 Nf4 17.Ng3 a5 18.Ne2 a4 19.Nxf4 Qxf4 20.Qc2 Be6 21.Ne1 Qg5 22.Nd3 c5 23.a3 Bb3 24.Qd2 Rf7 25.Rae1 Raf8 26.R3e2 Qe7 27.Qe3 Bc4 28.Rd2 h6 29.Qg3 Qe8 30.Re3 Qb5 31.Ne1 Be6 32.Nf3 Qc4 33.Nh4 Rf6 34.Ng6 R8f7 35.h4 Kh7 36.h5 Qa2 37.Kh2 Qb1 38.Rdd3 Qxb2 39.Rf3 Qc1 40.Rxf6 Rxf6 41.Rf3 Rxf3 42.Qxf3 Bg8 43.Nf8+ Kh8 44.Ng6+ Kh7 45.Nf8+ Kh8 46.Ng6+ Kh7 ½-½ (46) Kerryxyn (2709)-ma_long_ma (2659) Blitz 2023]

8...f6 9.Be3 Bxe3 10.fxe3 d6 11.Nbd2 f5 12.exf5 Bxf5 13.Qb3+ Kh8 14.e4 Bd7 15.Bxc6 Bxc6 16.d4 exd4 17.Nxd4 Qd7 18.Rxf8+ Rxf8 19.Rf1 Rxf1+ 20.Kxf1 Ne5 21.N2f3 h6 22.Nxe5 dxe5 23.Nxc6 Qxc6 24.Qd5 Qf6+ 25.Ke2 c6 26.Qd7 Qf4 27.Qc8+ Kh7 28.Qf5+ g6 29.Qd7+ Kg8 30.Qc8+ Kg7 31.Qxb7+ Kg8 32.Qc8+ Kg7 33.Qd7+ Kg8 34.Qd3 Qxh2 35.Qc4+ Kg7 36.Qxc6 Qxg2+ 37.Kd3 Qxb2 38.Qc7+ Kf6 39.Qd6+ Kf7 40.Qd7+ Kf6 41.Qd6+ Kf7 42.Qd7+ Kf6 43.Qd6+ ½-½ (43) fripSide (2739)-IMFAR (2810) Blitz 2022

7.Re1 Ng6 8.Nbd2 d6 9.Nf1 Bd7 10.Ng3 h6 11.c3 Ba7 12.d4 Re8 13.Be3 Qf6 14.dxe5 Ngxe5 15.Nxe5 Rxe5 16.Bxa7 Rxa7 17.Re3 Ra8 18.Bb3 Rf8 19.Qd2 Ne7 20.Rf1 Ng6

21.Rf3 Qe7 22.Rd3 Bb5 23.c4 Bd7 24.f4 Rc5 25.Rd4 Bc8 26.Bc2 a5 27.a3 b5 28.b4 Rxc4 29.bxa5 Rxd4 30.Qxd4 c5 31.Qb2 Qa7 32.Qxb5 Ba6 33.Qb6 Qxb6 34.axb6 Bxf1 35.Nxf1 Rb8 36.Ne3 Rxb6 37.Nc4 Ra6 38.a4 Ne7 39.a5 d5 40.exd5 Nxd5 41.Ba4 Nc3 42.Bb3 Ne2+ 43.Kf2 Nxf4 44.Ba4 Nd3+ 45.Ke3 Nb4 46.Bb5 Ra8 47.Ke4 Kf8 48.Ke5 Ke7 49.Nb6 Rxa5 50.Nc8+ Kd8 51.Nd6 Nd3+ 52.Kd5 Nf4+ 53.Kc6 Nxg2 54.Nb7+ Ke7 55.Nxa5 f5 56.Nc4 f4 57.Nd6 f3 58.Nc8+ Kd8 59.Nb6 f2 60.Bf1 Ne3 61.Be2 f1Q 62.Bxf1 Nxf1 63.Nd5 Nxh2 64.Kxc5 g5 65.Kd4 g4 66.Nc3 g3 67.Nb5 g2 68.Nd6 g1Q+ 69.Kd5 Kd7 70.Nf7 1-0 (70) Gutemaus2019 (2698)-TheWallofChess (2626) Blitz 2022

[26] **7...Ng6** 8.Be3 Bxe3
[8...Be7 9.Nd5 d6 10.c4 f5 11.exf5 Bxf5 12.Ne1 Kh8 13.Nc2 Bf6 14.f3 Nce7 15.Nxe7 Qxe7 16.Qd2 Qf7 17.Bb3 Rae8 18.Rae1 c6 19.d4 e4 20.fxe4 Bxe4 21.Na3 d5 22.Bc2 Qd7 23.Bxe4 Rxe4 24.cxd5 Qxd5 25.b3 Rfe8 26.Bf2 h6 27.Rxe4 Rxe4 28.Nc2 Nf4 29.Be3 Bg5 30.Bxf4 c5 31.Bxg5 hxg5 32.Rd1 Rg4 33.dxc5 Qxc5+ 34.Ne3 Re4 35.Re1 Qe5 36.Qf2 Rf4 37.Qe2 Re4 38.h3 Kg8 39.Qd2 Rd4 40.Qf2 Re4 41.Nc2 a5 42.Rxe4 Qxe4 43.Ne3 b5 44.Ng4 a4 45.Qf3 Qb1+ 46.Kh2 Qxa2 47.bxa4 bxa4 48.Qa8+ Kh7 49.Qe4+ Kg8 50.Qe8+ Kh7 51.Qh5+ Kg8 52.Qxg5 a3 53.Qd8+ Kh7 54.Qh4+ Kg8 55.Qd8+ Kh7 56.Qd3+ Kg8 57.Ne5 Qe6 58.Qd8+ Kh7 59.Qh4+ Kg8 60.Qd8+ Kh7 61.Qd3+ Kg8 62.Qxa3 Qxe5+ 63.Qg3 Qf6 64.h4 Qf7 65.Kh3 Qf6 66.Qg4 Qf7 67.g3 Qe7 68.Qf4 Qf7 69.Qg4 Qf8 70.Qf4 Qf7 71.Qxf7+ Kxf7 72.Kg4 Kg8 73.Kg5 Kh7 74.h5 Kh8 75.Kg6 Kg8 76.h6 Kh8 77.hxg7+ Kg8 78.Kh6 Kf7 79.Kh7 Kf6 80.g8Q Kf5 81.Qg4+ Ke5 82.Kg6 Kd5 83.Qf5+ Kc6 84.Kg5 Kb7 85.Kg4 Ka8 ½-½ (85) miki_train (2652)-Alfredo2345 (2606) Blitz 2025]
9.fxe3 d6 10.Bb3
[10.Qe1 b5 11.Bb3 Na5 12.Qg3 Nxb3 *(12...b4 13.Nd1 Nxb3 14.axb3 Ne7 15.d4 f6 16.Nf2 c5 17.dxc5 dxc5 18.Rad1 Qc7 19.Ng4 Be6 20.Nh4 Kh8 21.Nf5 Bxf5 22.exf5 Rad8 23.e4 Qc6 24.Qf3 Rd4 25.Nf2 Rfd8 26.c3 R4d6 27.Rxd6 Rxd6 28.Rd1 Nc8 29.Rd5 Nb6 30.c4 Nxd5 31.exd5 Qc7 32.Ne4 Rd8 33.g4 h6 34.Qe3 Qa5 35.Nxc5 Qa1+ 36.Kg2 Qxb2+ 37.Kg3 a5 38.Ne6 Ra8 39.d6 a4 40.bxa4 Qa3 41.Kf3 Qxa4 42.Qd3 Qc6+* 0-1 (42) Bartel,M (2657)-Le Tuan,M (2567) chess.com INT 2024*)* 13.axb3 Bd7 14.h4 h6 15.h5 Ne7 16.Nh4 b4 17.Ne2 f5 18.exf5 Nxf5 19.Nxf5 Bxf5 20.e4 Be6 21.Rxf8+ Qxf8 22.Rf1 Qe8 23.Qf3 Qe7 24.Ng3 Rf8 25.Nf5 Bxf5 26.exf5 Qg5 27.g4 Qd2 28.Qf2 Qxf2+ 29.Kxf2 Rb8 30.Ke3 Kf7 31.d4 exd4+ 32.Kxd4 Rb5 33.Re1 Rc5 34.Kd3 a5 35.c3 Rd5+ 36.Kc2 bxc3 37.bxc3 Re5 38.Rg1 Kf6 39.Kd3 Rd5+ 40.Kc4 Re5 41.Kd4 c5+ 42.Kc4 Kg5 43.Kb5 Re3 44.Rc1 Kxg4 45.Kxa5 Kxf5 46.b4 cxb4 47.cxb4 Kg5 48.Rc7 Kxh5 49.Rxg7 Ra3+ 50.Kb6 d5 51.Kc5 Rd3 52.b5 Rd1 53.b6 d4 54.b7 Rb1 55.Kc6 d3 56.Rd7 Rc1+ 57.Kb6 Rb1+ 58.Kc7 Rc1+ 59.Kd8

Rb1 60.Rd5+ Kh4 61.Kc8 Rc1+ 62.Kb8 Rb1 63.Rd4+ Kg3 64.Rxd3+ Kf2 65.Rd8 h5 66.Rg8 h4 67.Rh8 Rc1 68.Rxh4 Kg3 69.Rh8 Kg4 70.Rg8+ 1-0 (70) Platy2 (2672)-IMFAR (2607) Blitz 2021]

10...Kh8

[10...Na5 11.Ne2 Nxb3 12.axb3 c6 13.Ng3 d5 14.Qd2 Be6 15.exd5 c5 16.dxe6 1-0 (16) Naroditsky,D (2619)-Praggnanandhaa R (2747) chess.com INT 2024]

11.a3 f5

[11...Be6 12.Bxe6 fxe6 13.Qe1 Qe7 14.Qg3 Rf6 15.Rf2 Raf8 16.Raf1 Nb8 17.h4 Kg8 18.h5 Nh8 19.d4 exd4 20.exd4 Nd7 21.e5 dxe5 22.dxe5 Rf5 23.Ne4 Nf7 24.Nd4 Rxf2 25.Rxf2 Nfxe5 26.Rxf8+ Qxf8 27.Nxe6 Qe7 28.Nxc7 Nf7 29.Qf4 Nc5 30.Nd5 Qf8 31.Nec3 Ne6 32.Qe3 Nfg5 33.Qe5 Qc5+ 34.Kf1 Qc4+ 35.Ke1 Qh4+ 36.Kd2 Qf2+ 37.Qe2 Qd4+ 38.Kc1 h6 39.Kb1 Kh7 40.Nb4 Kh8 41.Nd3 Qg1+ 42.Ka2 Qd4 43.Qe5 Qxe5 44.Nxe5 Nf4 45.Ng6+ Nxg6 46.hxg6 Ne6 47.Ne4 Nf4 48.Nc5 Nxg2 49.Nxb7 h5 50.Nd6 h4 51.Ne4 h3 52.Nf2 h2 53.c4 Nf4 54.b4 Nxg6 55.b5 axb5 56.cxb5 Ne5 57.a4 g5 58.a5 g4 59.a6 g3 60.a7 gxf2 61.a8Q+ Kg7 62.Qg2+ Ng6 63.b6 Kf6 64.Qxf2+ Ke6 65.Qxh2 1-0 (65) Bartel,M (2625)-Makarian,R (2546) chess.com INT 2023]

12.Qe1 f4 13.exf4 Nxf4 14.Qg3 Qe7 15.Rae1 Be6 16.Nd5 Bxd5 17.exd5 Nd8 18.d4 e4 19.Ng5 Qf6 20.Rf2 Qxd4 21.Qe3 Qe5 22.Qg3 Nf7 23.Rxf4 Nxg5 24.Rxf8+ Rxf8 25.Qxe5 dxe5 26.h4 Nf7 27.Rxe4 Re8 28.Rc4 Nd8 29.d6 cxd6 30.Rc8 e4 31.Bf7 Rf8 32.Bd5 e3 33.Bf3 g6 34.Kf1 Kg7 35.Ke2 b5 36.Kxe3 Ne6 37.Rxf8 Kxf8 38.b4 Nc7 39.Bb7 Ke7 40.Kf4 Kf6 41.g4 Ke6 42.Kg5 Kf7 43.Kf4 Kf6 44.g5+ Ke6 45.Ke4 d5+ 46.Kd4 Kd6 47.Bc8 Kc6 48.Ke5 d4 49.Kxd4 Kd6 50.c3 Kc6 51.Ke5 Nd5 52.Bb7+ Kxb7 53.Kxd5 Kc7 54.Ke6 Kc6 55.Kf7 Kd5 56.Kg7 Kc4 57.Kxh7 Kxc3 58.h5 a5 59.hxg6 1-0 (59) neslraCsungaM77 (2834)-may6enexttime (2995) Blitz 2023

7...b5 8.Bb3 d6 9.a4 b4 10.Nd5 Na5 11.Ba2 Nxd5 12.Bxd5 c6 13.Ba2 Rb8 14.d4 exd4 15.Nxd4 Qf6 16.Nb3 Nxb3 17.Bxb3 Be6 18.Qe2 Bxb3 19.cxb3 a5 20.Qa6 Rfe8 21.Qxc6 Qd4 22.Be3 Qxe4 23.Qxe4 Rxe4 24.Bxc5 dxc5 25.Rac1 Rc8 26.Rfd1 Kf8 27.Kf1 c4 28.Rd5 c3 29.bxc3 bxc3 30.Rxa5 Rd4 31.Rc2 Re8 32.g3 Rd1+ 33.Kg2 Rc8 34.Kf3 Rb1 35.Rb5 Rb2 36.Rc1 c2 37.Ke3 Rd8 38.Rc5 Rxb3+ 39.Ke2 Ra3 40.a5 Ra8 41.R1xc2 R3xa5 42.Rxa5 Rxa5 43.h4 h5 44.Kf3 g6 45.Kg2 ½-½ (45) gaizca (2648)-Paradoxxx1 (2642) Blitz 2023

[27] **8.h3** h6

[8...b5 9.Bb3 Na5 10.a4 Nxb3 11.cxb3 b4 12.Ne2 Bb7 13.Bd2 f6 14.Rc1 a5 15.Qc2 Bb6 16.d4 exd4 17.Nexd4 d5 18.Ne6 Qd6 19.Nxf8 dxe4 20.Bf4 Qxf4 21.Ne6 Qe5 22.Nxe5 1-0 (22) abking1 (2656)-mocaspoke (2579) Blitz 2021]

9.Bb3

[9.a3 f5 10.b4 Ba7 11.Bb3+ Kh8 12.Ng5 Qe8 13.Ne6 Bxe6 14.Bxe6 Bd4 15.Bb2 Qg6 16.exf5 Nxf5 17.Bxf5 Rxf5 18.Na4 Raf8 19.Bxd4 Nxd4 20.c3 Nf3+ 21.Kh1 Nh4 22.Qg4 Qxg4 23.hxg4 Rxf2 24.Rxf2

Rxf2 25.Rg1 b5 0-1 (25) satlan (2649)-solxe (2598) Blitz 2023]
9...Kh8 10.Be3 Bxe3 11.fxe3 f5 12.exf5 Nxf5 13.Qd2 Ng3 14.Rf2 Qe8 15.Kh2 Nf5 16.Raf1 Bd7 17.Nd5 Rc8 18.Ng1 e4 19.d4 h5 20.g4 hxg4 21.hxg4 Qd8 22.gxf5 Qh4+ 23.Nh3 1-0 (23) Voltamper (2765)-solxe (2669) Blitz 2023

8.Ne2 f5 9.Bb3+ Kh8 10.c3 fxe4 11.dxe4 Bg4 12.Be3 Bxf3 13.gxf3 Rxf3 14.Ng3 Rf6 15.Bg5 Rg6 16.Qh5 Qd7 17.Bf7 Rf8 18.Bxg6 Nxg6 19.Kh1 Nf4 20.Bxf4 Rxf4 21.f3 Ne7 22.b4 Bb6 23.Rad1 Ng6 24.Nf5 Qb5 25.Qg5 c6 26.Rf2 d5 27.Nd6 Qa4 28.Rg1 Rf8 29.Rfg2 Rxf3 30.Re1 d4 31.cxd4 exd4 32.Nc4 Bc7 33.e5 Rf8 34.e6 Qb5 35.e7 Re8 36.Qc1 Qd5 37.Nd2 Nf4 38.Rf1 Qxg2# 0-1 (38) deboitoss (2699)-runner24 (2460) Blitz 2024

[28] **12.Qd1** f5 13.Ne2 Nxe2+ 14.Qxe2 f4 15.Bxc5 dxc5 16.Qf3 Ng6 17.Bb3 Nh4 18.Qg4 g6 19.Rf1 h5 20.Qe2 f3 21.Qe3 Kg7 22.g3 Ng2 23.Qxc5 Nf4 24.Qxe5+ Kh6 25.gxf4 1-0 (25) winx_m (2948)-ikica77 (2789) Blitz 2022

[29] **6...Ba7** 7.Nd5 0-0 8.c3 Ng6 9.d4 b5 10.Bc2 d6 11.h3 Nce7 12.a4 c6 13.Ne3 Qc7 14.Re1 Nf4 15.Ng4 Neg6 16.dxe5 Bxg4 17.hxg4 dxe5 18.Be3 Rfd8 19.Qc1 Bxe3 20.Qxe3 Ne6 21.g3 c5 22.Kg2 c4 23.Rh1 Rab8 24.axb5 axb5 25.Rh5 b4 26.Rah1 Ngf4+ 27.gxf4 Nxf4+ 28.Kg3 Nxh5+ 29.Rxh5 b3 30.Bb1 Rd1 31.Ng5 h6 32.Nf3 Rxb1 33.g5 Rb6 34.gxh6 Rg6+ 35.Kh2 gxh6 36.Nh4 Rxb2 37.Nxg6 fxg6 38.Rxh6 Qf7 39.Kg2 Kg7 40.Rh1 Qf4 41.Qa7+ Kf6 42.Rh3 Qxe4+ 43.Rf3+ Kg5 44.Qe7+ Kh5 45.Qh7+ Kg5 46.Qe7+ Kh5 47.Qh7+ Kg5 48.Qh3 Qg4+ 49.Rg3 Qxg3+ 50.Qxg3+ Kf6 51.Qf3+ Ke6 52.Qc6+ Kf5 53.Qxc4 Rb1 54.Qd3+ Ke6 55.Qxb1 1-0 (55) kreativ3 (2644)-xoca86 (2431) Rapid 2023

6...d6 7.d4 exd4 8.Nxd4 b5 9.Nxc6 Nxc6 10.Bb3 Na5 11.Bd5 c6 12.b4 cxd5 13.Nxd5 0-0 14.bxc5 dxc5 15.a4 Be6 16.Be3 Bxd5 17.exd5 Qd6 18.axb5 axb5 19.Qf3 Nc4 20.Bf4 Qd7 21.d6 Rxa1 22.Rxa1 Re8 23.h4 h6 24.Qd5 Rb8 1-0 (24) satlan (2629)-Nebonik (2405) Blitz 2024

6...Ng6 7.Nd5 0-0 8.c3 d6 9.d4 Ba7 10.dxe5 Ncxe5 11.Nxe5 dxe5 12.Qh5 c6 13.Nb4 Be6 14.Bg5 f6 15.Rad1 Qa5 16.Rd6 fxg5 17.Rxe6 Nf4 18.Bb3 Kh8 19.Qxg5 Nxe6 20.Bxe6 Rf6 21.Bf5 Raf8 22.Nd3 Qd8 23.Nxe5 g6 24.Ng4 gxf5 25.Nxf6 Qxf6 26.Qxf6+ Rxf6 27.exf5 Rxf5 28.g3 Rd5 29.Kh1 Kg7 30.f4 Rd2 31.g4 Rxb2 32.Rd1 Be3 33.f5 h6 34.Rd7+ Kf6 35.Rd6+ Kf7 0-1 (35) drawingchest (2618)-huangjiafangdan (2650) Blitz 2024

[30] **7.Nd5** d6 8.c3 Nxd5 9.exd5 Ne7 10.d4 exd4 11.Bc2 dxc3 12.bxc3 Bf5 13.Rb1 Bxc2 14.Qxc2 Nxd5 15.c4 Nb6 16.Ng5 g6 17.Ne4 Bd4 18.Rd1 Be5 19.c5 Nd7 20.cxd6 cxd6 21.Nxd6 b5 22.Qc6 Nf6 23.Bh6 Bxh2+ 24.Kf1 Ng4 25.Bxf8 Qh4 26.Qf3 Rxf8 27.Ne4 f5 28.g3 Qh3+ 29.Qg2 Qxg2+ 30.Kxg2 fxe4 31.Rd2 h5 32.Re1 e3 33.fxe3 h4 34.Rd4 Bxg3 35.Re2 Ne5 0-1 (35) Wish_You_Were_Here (2609)-bojarin1982 (2534) Blitz 2024

[31] **8.a3** Kh8 9.Ba2 f5 10.h3 f4 11.Ne2 Qe8 12.d4 Ba7 13.dxe5 dxe5 14.Kh2 Qh5 15.Nc3 Bg4 16.Nd5 Nxd5 17.Bxd5 Nd4 18.Qd3 Nxf3+ 19.gxf3 Qxh3+ 20.Kg1 Bxf3 0-1 (20) Professor_Coach (2683)-doreality (2710) Blitz 2022

[32] **12.h3** Bh5 13.g4 Bxe3 14.fxe3 Bf7 15.Qe1 d5 16.Qg3 dxe4 17.Nxe4 Bg6 18.Nf2 Qd6 19.Rae1 Rad8 20.Nh4 f5 21.gxf5 Nxf5 22.Nxf5 Bxf5 23.Ng4 e4 24.Qxd6 cxd6 25.d4 h5 26.Nf2 d5 27.Kh2 Rc8 28.c3 Rc6 29.h4 Rb6 30.b4 Rbf6 31.Nh1 Bg4 32.Rxf6 Rxf6 33.Ng3 Rf2+ 34.Kg1 Rxb2 35.Rc1 b5 36.Ra1 Rc2 37.Ra3 Kh7 38.Kf1 Rh2 39.Rxa6 Rxh4 40.Rd6 Rh3 41.Kg2 h4 42.Nf1 Rf3 43.Nh2 Bh3+ 44.Kg1 Rg3+ 45.Kh1 Rg2 46.Rxd5 Rc2 47.Kg1 Rg2+ 48.Kh1 g5 49.Rxb5 Kg6 50.Rb6+ Kh5 51.Rb8 Rc2 52.Rh8+ Kg6 53.Rg8+ Kf6 54.Kg1 Rxc3 55.d5 Rxe3 56.d6 Rd3 0-1 (56) Caviar2068 (2956)-Fandorine96 (2858) Blitz 2022

[33] **6.d3** Nge7
[6...Bg4 7.Be3 Nge7 8.h3 Bh5 9.Bb3 0-0 10.c3 Kh8 11.g4 Bg6 12.Nbd2 Bxe3 13.fxe3 d5 14.Nh4 dxe4 15.Nxg6+ Nxg6 16.Nxe4 Qe7 17.Qe2 Rad8 18.Rad1 Nh4 19.Ng3 g6 20.Qf2 f5 21.gxf5 gxf5 22.Kh2 f4 23.Ne4 Ng6 24.Rg1 fxe3 25.Qxe3 Nf4 26.Rg4 Na5 27.Bc2 Rg8 28.Rdg1 Rxg4 29.Rxg4 Rg8 30.Qg3 Rxg4 31.Qxg4 Qe6 32.Qh4 Qg8 33.Ng5 Qg6 34.Qg4 h5 35.Qg3 Nc6 36.Nf3 Qf6 37.Qg5 Qd6 38.Kg3 Ne2+ 39.Kf2 Nf4 40.Kf1 Qe6 41.Qg3 Qxh3+ 42.Qxh3 Nxh3 43.Ba4 Nf4 44.Bxc6 bxc6 45.Nxe5 h4 46.d4 c5 47.dxc5 Kg7 48.Kf2 Kf6 49.Nc6 Ke6 50.Nb4 a5 51.Nc2 Kd5 52.b4 Nd3+ 53.Ke3 Nxb4 54.cxb4 axb4 55.Nxb4+ Kxc5 56.Nc2 1-0 (56) Aggressive-Python (2736)-KKlie4 (2871) Blitz 2023]
7.Be3
[7.h3 0-0 8.Be3 Bb6 9.Bxb6 cxb6 10.d4 Qc7 11.Nc3 b5 12.Bb3 Na5 13.dxe5 dxe5 14.Nd5 Nxd5 15.Bxd5 Nc4 16.Bxc4 bxc4 17.Qd5 Re8 18.Rfd1 h6 19.c3 Rb8 20.a4 b5 21.axb5 axb5 22.Qd6 Qxd6 23.Rxd6 Bb7 24.Rb6 Bxe4 25.Rxb8 Rxb8 26.Nxe5 Rd8 27.f3 Bc2 28.Nc6 Rd2 29.Rf1 Ba4 30.Rf2 Rd1+ 31.Kh2 Kf8 32.Re2 Rd3 33.Nb4 Rd6 34.g4 f6 35.Kg3 Kf7 36.f4 g5 37.f5 Bd1 38.Re1 h5 39.Nc6 h4+ 40.Kf2 Rd2+ 41.Kg1 Bf3 42.Nd4 Bd5 43.Re2 Rd1+ 44.Kf2 Rh1 45.Nxb5 Rh2+ 46.Ke1 Rxh3 47.Nd6+ Kg7 48.Re7+ Kf8 49.Re8+ Kg7 50.Re7+ Kf8 51.Re8+ Kg7 52.Re7+ ½-½ (52) Arystanner23 (2605)-zvonokchess (2732) Blitz 2021]
7...Ba7 8.Bxa7 Rxa7 9.d4 0-0 10.c3 Bg4 11.d5 Nb8 12.h3 Bh5 13.g4 Bg6 14.Bc2 c6 15.c4 b5 16.b3 bxc4 17.bxc4 cxd5 18.cxd5 Nd7 19.Nbd2 Nc5 20.Qe2 f6 21.Nb3 Rc7 22.Rac1 Be8 23.Nxc5 Rxc5 24.Bd3 Rxc1 25.Rxc1 Ng6 26.Qe3 Nf4 27.Bf1 h5 28.Nh4 hxg4 29.hxg4 g6 30.Ng2 Nxg2 31.Kxg2 f5 32.Be2 f4 33.Qh3 Qf6 34.Rh1 Qg7 35.g5 Bd7 36.Bg4 f3+ 37.Kg3 Bxg4 38.Qxg4 Qf7 39.Rh6 Kg7 40.Rh4 Qf4+ 41.Qxf4 exf4+ 42.Rxf4 Rb8 43.Rf6 Rb4 44.Re6 Ra4 45.Kxf3 Kf7 46.Rxd6 Kg7 47.Kf4 Ra3 48.f3 Rxa2 49.Rc6 Ra5 50.d6 Kf7 51.d7 Ke7 52.Rxg6 Kd8 53.Rf6 Kxd7 54.Rf5 Ke7 55.Rxa5 1-0 (55)

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6.Bxc6+ bxc6 7.d4 exd4 8.Nxd4 Ne7 9.Nc3

[9.Bg5 f6 10.Be3 0-0 11.Re1 Rb8 12.b3 f5 13.Nxf5 Nxf5 14.Bxc5 Nh4 15.Be3 Qf6 16.Nd2 Qg6 17.g3 Bg4 18.Qc1 Nf3+ 19.Nxf3 Bxf3 20.Bd4 Rb5 21.Re3 Rh5 22.Qd2 Qg4 23.Rxf3 Rxf3 24.Kg2 Rf7 25.f4 g5 26.Rf1 gxf4 27.Rxf4 Qh3+ 28.Kg1 Rxf4 29.gxf4 Qg4+ 30.Qg2 Rh4 31.Be3 Kf7 32.Qxg4 Rxg4+ 33.Kf2 Rg8 34.h3 Re8 35.Kf3 d5 36.exd5 cxd5 37.Bd4 Ke6 38.Be5 Kf5 39.Bxc7 Re1 40.Be5 Rc1 41.c4 Rc2 42.Ke3 dxc4 43.bxc4 Rxc4 44.Kd3 Ra4 0-1 (44) Retro23 (2745)-titanshahmat2003 (2701) Blitz 2023]

[9.Be3 0-0 10.Nd2 Bxd4 *(10...f5 11.Nxf5 Bxf5 12.Bxc5 dxc5 13.exf5 Nxf5 14.Ne4 Qd4 15.Qxd4 cxd4 16.Rad1 Rad8 17.Nc5 Rd5 18.Nxa6 Ra5 19.Nxc7 Rxa2 20.Ne6 Re8 21.Nxd4 Nxd4 22.Rxd4 Rxb2 23.Rc4 Re6 24.h4 h6 25.Rd1 Kh7 26.Rd7 h5 27.Rc5 Kh6 28.Rc7 Rb6 29.Rg5 Rg6 30.Rxg6+ Kxg6 31.Kh2 Kf6 32.Kg3 g6 33.Kf3 Ke5 34.Ke3 Kd5 35.Rd7+ Ke6 36.Rg7 Kf6 37.Rc7 Ke5 38.g3 Kd5 39.Rd7+ Ke6 40.Rg7 Kf5 41.Rc7 Ke6 42.f3 Ra6 43.Kf4 Kf6 44.c4 Rb6 45.Ke4 Ke6 46.Kd4 Ra6 47.Kc5 Ra3 48.Rxc6+ Kf5 49.Rc8 Ra5+ 50.Kb6 Ra3 51.c5 Ke6 52.Rf8 Ke7 53.Rf4 Rb3+ 54.Kc7 Rc3 55.c6 Ke6 56.Re4+ Kd5 57.Kd7 Rxf3 58.Re1 Rxg3 59.c7 Rc3 60.c8Q Rxc8 61.Kxc8 Kd4 62.Rg1 Kd3 63.Rxg6 Ke4 64.Rg5 Kf4 65.Rxh5 Kg4 66.Rh8 Kf5 67.h5 Kf6 68.h6 Kg6 69.Kd8 Kf7 70.Kd7 Kg6 71.Ke8 Kf6 72.Kf8 Kg6 73.Rg8+ Kxh6 74.Rg1 Kh5 75.Kf7 Kh4 76.Kf6 Kh3 77.Kf5 Kh2 78.Rg8 Kh3 79.Kf4 Kh2 80.Kf3 Kh3 81.Rh8#* 1-0 (81) Lav_eli_mi_kri1920 (2716)-zvonokchess (2871) Blitz 2023*; 10...Ba7 11.Re1 Kh8 12.Nf1 f5 13.exf5 Bxd4 14.Bxd4 Nxf5 15.Bc3 Qg5 16.Ng3 Nh4 17.Qh5 Qd8 18.Re2 Ng6 19.Qh6 Ne5 20.Bxe5 dxe5 21.Qe3 Rb8 22.b3 a5 23.Qxe5 a4 24.Rae1 axb3 25.axb3 Ba6 26.Re3 Qd2 27.Nf5 Rf7 28.Qe8+ Rf8 29.Qxb8 Qxe1+ 30.Rxe1 Rxb8 31.Nd4 c5 32.Ne6 Re8 33.Re3 c4 34.Nxc7 Rd8 35.Re8+ Rxe8 36.Nxe8 cxb3 37.cxb3 Kg8 38.Nc7 Be2 39.f3 Kf7 40.Kf2 Bd1 41.b4 Ke7 42.Ke3 Ba4 43.Kd4 Kd6 44.Nd5 Bb5 45.Ne3 g6 46.f4 Be2 47.h4* 1-0 (47) Sjugirov,S (2696)-Narayanan,S (2559) chess.com INT 2022*)* 11.Bxd4 f5 12.Re1 c5 13.Bc3 Bb7 14.Qh5 Qe8 15.Qg5 Qf7 16.exf5 Nxf5 17.Re2 h6 18.Qg4 Rae8 19.Rae1 Re7 20.h3 Rfe8 21.Rxe7 Rxe7 22.Rxe7 Nxe7 23.Nf1 Nd5 24.Bd2 Nf6 25.Qf5 Be4 26.Qc8+ Kh7 27.Qxa6 Bxc2 28.Ne3 Ne4 29.Qe2 Bb1 30.a4 Qb3 31.a5 Qxb2 32.Nc4 Qb5 33.Qd1 Bd3 34.Na3 Qb2 35.Bc1 Qxf2+ 36.Kh2 Qg3+ 37.Kg1 Qf2+ 38.Kh2 c4 39.Qf3 Qxf3 40.gxf3 Nc5 41.Nb5 d5 42.Nxc7 d4 43.a6 Nxa6 44.Nxa6 Be2 45.Kg3 c3 46.Kf2 Bxa6 47.Ba3 d3 48.Ke1 d2+ 49.Kd1 Bc4 50.Kc2 Bb3+ 51.Kxb3 d1Q+ 52.Kxc3 Qxf3+ 53.Kb4 Qxh3 54.Bb2 Qc8 55.Bd4 Qb7+ 56.Kc3 Qe4 57.Kc4 g5 58.Kc5 Qxd4+ 59.Kxd4 Kg6 60.Ke3 h5 61.Kf2 Kf6 62.Kg3 Kf5 63.Kf3 g4+ 64.Kf2 Kg5 65.Kg3 h4+ 66.Kg2

Kf4 67.Kh2 g3+ 68.Kg1 Kg4 69.Kg2 h3+ 70.Kf1 Kf4 71.Ke2 g2 72.Kf2 Kg4 73.Ke3 Kg3 74.Ke4 ½-½ (74) Lav_eli_mi_kri1920 (2721)-zvonokchess (2866) Blitz 2023]

9...0-0 10.Re1 f5 11.Nb3 Bb6 12.e5 Ng6 13.exd6 cxd6 14.Qh5 f4 15.Bd2 Rf5 16.Qf3 Ne5 17.Qe4 d5 18.Qa4 Ng4 19.Qxc6 Bd7 20.Qd6 Bc7 21.Qe7 Bb6 22.Qxd8+ Rxd8 23.Rf1 f3 24.Nd1 fxg2 25.Kxg2 Bb5 26.Re1 Nxf2 27.Be3 Nxd1 28.Raxd1 d4 29.Bxd4 Bc6+ 30.Kg1 Rg5+ 31.Kf2 Rf8+ 32.Ke3 Rf3+ 33.Kd2 Rg2+ 1-0 (33) MothAndTheFlame (2877)-zvonokchess (2871) Blitz 2023

6.d4 exd4 7.Nxd4 Nge7

[7...Bd7 8.Be3 Bxd4 9.Bxd4 Nf6 10.Bxc6 Bxc6 11.Nc3 0-0 12.Qf3 Nd7 13.Qg3 f6 14.Rad1 Re8 15.Rfe1 Qe7 16.b3 Qf7 17.f3 Re7 18.Ne2 Rae8 19.Nf4 Ne5 20.h4 f5 21.exf5 Qxf5 22.Nd3 Bxf3 23.Rf1 Qg4 24.Qxg4 Bxg4 25.Rd2 Nxd3 26.cxd3 Re2 27.Rf2 Rxd2 28.Rxd2 c5 29.Bc3 Re1+ 30.Kf2 Rc1 31.Bb2 Rb1 32.d4 b5 33.dxc5 dxc5 34.Kg3 h5 35.Kf4 c4 36.bxc4 bxc4 37.Ke5 Re1+ 38.Kd5 Be2 39.Bc3 Bf1 40.Kc5 Re4 41.a4 Rxh4 42.Kb6 Rg4 43.Kxa6 Rxg2 44.Rd8+ Kh7 45.Rd1 Be2 46.Rc1 h4 47.Kb6 h3 48.Be5 h2 49.Rh1 Rg6+ 50.Kc5 Rh6 51.a5 c3 52.Rxh2 c2 53.Rxh6+ Kxh6 54.Bb2 Kg5 55.Kd4 Kf4 56.Kc3 Kf3 57.Kxc2 g5 58.Be5 g4 59.Kd2 Ba6 60.Kc3 g3 61.Kb4 g2 62.Bd4 Ke2 63.Kc5 Kf1 64.Kc6 Be2 65.Kd5 g1Q 66.Bxg1 Kxg1 67.Ke4 Kf1 68.Ke3 Ke1 69.Kd4 Kd2 70.Ke4 Bd3+ 71.Kd4 Kc2 72.a6 Bxa6 ½-½ (72) Tabatabaei,M (2655)-Matinian,N (2421) chess.com INT 2025]

8.Nxc6

[8.Be3 b5 9.Nxc6 Nxc6 10.Bb3 0-0 11.Bxc5 *(11.Qd5 Bxe3 12.fxe3 Qd7 13.Nc3 Bb7 14.Rf4 Rab8 15.Qg5 Ne5 16.Raf1 a5 17.a3 b4 18.axb4 axb4 19.Nd5 Bxd5 20.Bxd5 Qd8 21.Qh5 Qe7 22.Rh4 h6 23.Rhf4 c6 24.Bb3 Rb7 25.Qh3 Kh7 26.Qg3 Qg5 27.Qf2 g6 28.h3 Kg7 29.Rf6 Rd7 30.Be6 Re7 31.Bb3 Rd7 32.Qe2 Qxf6 33.Rxf6 Kxf6 34.g4 Kg7 35.h4 c5 36.Bd5 Ra7 37.Kh2 Ra1 38.Kg2 Rb1 39.b3 Rc1 40.Qd2 Ra1 41.Qf2 Rc1 42.g5 hxg5 43.hxg5 Re8 44.Qf6+ Kg8 45.Qxd6 Rxc2+ 46.Kg3 Re2 47.Kf4 Rf2+ 48.Kg3 Rf3+ 49.Kg2 Rxe3 50.Bc6 Re2+ 51.Kf1 Nxc6 52.Kxe2 Nd4+ 53.Kd3 Ne6 54.Qd7 Rd8 55.Qxd8+ Nxd8 56.Kc4 Ne6 57.Kd5 Nxg5 58.e5 Ne6 59.Kd6 g5 60.Ke7 g4 61.Kf6 g3 62.Ke7 g2 63.Kf6 g1Q 64.Ke7 Qd4 65.Kf6 Qxe5+ 66.Ke7 Qd5 67.Kf6 Qd4+ 68.Ke7 Qc3 69.Kd7 Qxb3 70.Ke7 Qc3 71.Kd7 b3 72.Ke7 b2 73.Kd7 b1Q 74.Ke7 Qb7+ 75.Ke8 Qd4 ½-½ (75) klimkoj (2706)-zvonokchess (2866) Blitz 2022)* 11...dxc5 12.Bd5 Bd7 13.Bxc6 *(13.Nd2 Qe7 14.a4 Rad8 15.axb5 axb5 16.c3 Ne5 17.Ra7 c6 18.Ba2 c4 19.Nf3 Qc5 20.Qd4 Nxf3+ 21.gxf3 Qg5+ 22.Kh1 Bh3 23.Rg1 Rxd4 24.Rxg5 Rd1+ 25.Rg1 Rfd8* 0-1 (25) CashVampire (2623)-zvonokchess (2728) Blitz 2021*)* 13...Bxc6 14.Qxd8 Raxd8 15.f3 f5 16.exf5 Rxf5 17.Nc3 b4 18.Rad1 Re8 19.Nb1 Rfe5 20.h3 Bb5 21.Nd2 Bxf1 22.Kxf1 Re2 23.b3 h5 0-1 (23) doreality (2752)-KKlie4 (2815) Blitz 2021]

8...Nxc6
[8...bxc6 9.Nd2 0-0 10.Nb3 Bb6 11.Re1 Bd7 12.Be3 Rb8 13.Qd3 Qc8 14.c3 Ng6 15.Bxb6 Rxb6 16.Qd2 Re8 17.Na5 c5 18.Bxd7 Qxd7 19.Nc4 Rbb8 20.f3 Qe6 21.Ne3 Ne7 22.b3 f5 23.exf5 Nxf5 24.Nd5 Qf7 25.g3 h6 26.Kg2 c6 27.Ne3 Nxe3+ 28.Rxe3 Rxe3 29.Qxe3 Re8 30.Qd3 Qf6 31.Rf1 a5 32.c4 Qd4 33.Rd1 Qxd3 34.Rxd3 Re6 35.f4 Re2+ 36.Kh3 Re6 37.Kg4 Kf7 38.f5 Rf6 39.Kf4 Ke7 40.g4 Kd7 41.h4 Rf8 42.g5 hxg5+ 43.hxg5 Rh8 44.g6 Rh1 45.Rf3 Ke7 46.Re3+ Kf8 47.Re6 Rd1 48.Kg5 Rg1+ 49.Kf4 Rd1 50.Kg5 Rd2 51.Kf4 Rd1 ½-½ (51) Rescatador (2650)-BrokyLoveKFC (2747) Blitz 2024]
9.Nc3 0-0 10.Bb3 Be6 11.Kh1 Qh4 12.Nd5 Bxd5 13.Bxd5 Rae8 14.f4 Kh8 15.c3 f5 16.Qf3 fxe4 17.Bxe4 Ne5 18.Qg3 Qxg3 19.hxg3 Ng4 20.Bf3 Nf2+ 21.Kh2 Re6 22.f5 Rxf5 23.Bd2 Ne4 24.Bg4 Rxf1 25.Rxf1 Rf6 26.Re1 d5 27.Bf4 Bd6 28.Bxd6 Rxd6 29.c4 c6 30.cxd5 cxd5 31.Rc1 g6 32.Rc8+ Kg7 33.Rc7+ Kf6 34.Bf3 b5 35.Rxh7 Ng5 36.Rc7 Nxf3+ 37.gxf3 d4 38.Kg2 d3 39.Rc1 Ke5 40.Kf2 Kd4 41.Rc7 Re6 42.Rd7+ Kc4 43.Rc7+ Kd4 44.Rd7+ Kc4 45.Rc7+ Kd4 ½-½ (45) hansi_flick (2810)-pozvonochek (2798) Blitz 2025

6.h3 Nge7 7.c3 0-0 8.d4 Ba7 9.Be3 f5 10.Bb3+
[10.dxe5 Bxe3 11.fxe3 fxe4 12.Ng5 Nxe5 13.Bb3+ Kh8 14.Rxf8+ Qxf8 15.Qh5 h6 16.Nxe4 Bf5 17.Nbd2 Bg6 18.Qh4 Nf5 19.Qf2 Qe7 20.Rf1 Re8 21.Bc2 Bh7 22.g4 Nh4 23.Bb1 d5 24.Ng3 Bxb1 25.Rxb1 Rf8 26.Qe2 Nef3+ 27.Nxf3 Rxf3 28.Kh2 Rxe3 29.Qc2 Qe5 30.Ra1 0-1 (30) Shukh_Nikolay (2675)-Brigello (2754) Blitz 2022]
[10.exf5 Nxf5 11.Bg5 Qe8 12.dxe5 Be6 13.exd6 Nxd6 14.Re1 Kh8 15.Nbd2 Qg6 16.Be3 Bxe3 17.Rxe3 Nf5 18.Re4 Rad8 19.Bxc6 bxc6 20.Qe2 Rfe8 21.Re1 Bf7 22.Ne5 Rxe5 23.Rxe5 h5 24.Ne4 Bd5 25.Qf3 Rf8 26.Qf4 Kh7 27.Ng5+ Kg8 28.c4 Bxg2 29.Kxg2 Nd6 30.Qg3 h4 31.Qg4 Nf7 32.Nxf7 1-0 (32) Beta99 (2625)-BadBidhop (2560) Blitz 2022]
10...Kh8 11.dxe5 fxe4 12.Ng5 Nxe5 13.Bxa7 Rxa7 14.Nxe4 N7g6 15.Nbd2 Qh4 16.f4 Nxf4 17.Nf3 Nxh3+ 18.gxh3 Qxe4 19.Nxe5 Qe3+ 20.Kh1 Qxh3+ 21.Kg1 Qe3+ 22.Kh1 Bf5 23.Ng4 Qh3+ 24.Nh2 Be4+ 0-1 (24) NoRageJustCalm (2702)-pozvonochek (2829) Blitz 2025

[34] **6...Ba7** Praggnanandhaa, Rameshbabu: '0-1 (53) Carlsen,M (2863)-Nakamura,H (2736) chess24.com INT 2020' 7.h3
[7.d4 Qf6 *(7...exd4 8.cxd4 Bd7 9.Nc3 Nge7 10.Bg5 h6 11.Bh4 0-0 12.Nd5 f6 13.Ne3 Ng6 14.Bg3 Kh8 15.Rc1 Bb6 16.Bb3 Qe7 17.Nd5 Qxe4 18.Re1 Qg4 19.h3 Qh5 20.Nxb6 cxb6 21.Bxd6 Rfe8 22.Bf7 Rxe1+ 23.Qxe1 Bxh3 24.gxh3 Qxf3 25.Bxg6 Qxh3 26.Qe4 Rd8 27.d5 Ne5 28.Bxe5 fxe5 29.Rc3 Qd7 30.Rd3 Qd6 31.Rf3 Rc8 32.Rf7 Rc1+ 33.Kg2 Qd8 34.Qf5 Rc8 35.Rd7 Qh4 36.d6 Kg8 37.Qf7+* 1-0 (37) Puntano (2608)-BohmianMechanics (2578) Blitz 2022 *)* 8.Be3 Bg4 9.Nbd2 Nge7

10.h3 Bxf3 11.Nxf3 0-0 12.Bg5 Qg6 13.d5 f6 14.dxc6 fxg5 15.cxb7 Rab8 16.Qd3 a5 17.Qc4+ Kh8 18.Qxc7 Qxe4 19.Qxe7 Qxa4 20.Nxg5 Qe8 21.Qxe8 Rbxe8 22.Rad1 Bb8 23.Ne4 Re6 24.Rd5 h6 25.Rfd1 Rf7 26.Rb5 Kg8 27.b3 Rc7 28.c4 a4 29.Rxd6 Rxd6 30.Nxd6 axb3 31.axb3 Kf8 32.Rxe5 Re7 33.Rxe7 Kxe7 34.c5 Kd7 35.b4 Kc6 36.g4 g6 37.Kg2 Kd5 38.Kf3 Kd4 39.Nf7 Kc4 40.Nd8 Kb5 41.Ke4 h5 42.Kd5 hxg4 43.hxg4 Ka6 44.Nc6 Kxb7 45.Nxb8 Kxb8 46.b5 Kc7 47.b6+ Kb7 48.Kd6 Kc8 1-0 (48) rasulovvugar (2691)-aradhyagarg2000 (2669) Blitz 2021]

7...Bd7 8.d4 Nge7 9.dxe5

[9.Be3 0-0 10.d5 Nb8 11.Bxa7 Rxa7 12.c4 f5 13.Bxd7 Nxd7 14.Nc3 Nc5 15.b4 fxe4 16.Ng5 Nf5 17.Qh5 h6 18.bxc5 Qxg5 19.Qxg5 hxg5 20.Nxe4 dxc5 21.Nxc5 Nd4 22.Ne4 b5 23.c5 Rd8 24.d6 cxd6 25.cxd6 Rad7 26.Kh2 Nf5 27.Rfe1 Nxd6 28.Nxd6 Rxd6 29.Rxe5 Rd5 30.Rxd5 Rxd5 31.Kg3 Kf7 32.f3 Rd2 33.a3 Rd3 34.Kg4 Kg6 35.h4 Rd4+ 36.Kh3 Rxh4+ 37.Kg3 Ra4 38.Rc1 Rxa3 39.Rc6+ Kf5 40.Rc5+ Kf6 41.Rc6+ Kf7 42.Rb6 Ra4 43.Kh3 g6 44.Kg3 Kg7 45.Kh3 Kh6 46.Kg3 b4 47.Rb7 a5 48.Kf2 Ra2+ 49.Kg3 Ra3 50.Rb5 b3 0-1 (50) Kamsky,G (2661)-Aradhya,G (2295) chess.com INT 2022]

9...Nxe5 10.Bxd7+ Qxd7 11.Nxe5 dxe5 12.Qe2 0-0 13.Rd1 Qe6 14.Be3 Bxe3 15.Qxe3 Ng6 16.Nd2 Rad8 17.b3 Rd7 18.Nf1 Rfd8 19.Rxd7 Qxd7 20.a4 Nf4 21.Ng3 Qd3 22.Nf5 g6 23.Ne7+ Kg7 24.Qc5 Qd6 25.Qxd6 Rxd6 26.c4 c6 27.c5 Rd3 28.Rb1 Ne2+ 29.Kf1 Nc3 30.Re1 Na2 31.Rb1 a5 32.Nc8 Nc3 33.Re1 Rd4 34.Nd6 Rb4 35.g3 Rxb3 36.Re3 Rb1+ 37.Kg2 Nxa4 38.Rf3 f5 39.exf5 Nxc5 40.f6+ Kf8 41.Re3 Rd1 42.Nc4 e4 43.Nxa5 Kf7 44.Rc3 Rd5 45.Nc4 Kxf6 46.Ne3 Ke5 47.Rc4 b5 48.Rc1 Kd6 49.Rb1 Rd2 50.Kg1 Nd3 51.Rf1 c5 52.Ra1 c4 53.Ra6+ Kc5 54.Ra8 b4 55.Rc8+ Kb5 56.Nxc4 Rxf2 57.Nd6+ Ka4 58.Nxe4 Re2 59.Ng5 b3 60.Ra8+ Kb4 61.Rb8+ Kc3 62.Nf3 b2 63.Kf1 Rc2 64.Kg1 1-0 (64) Tuzakli_Egitim (2865)-BrokyLoveKFC (2739) Blitz 2024

6...Bd7 7.d4 Kuzmin, Alexey: 'is stronger.' 7...Ba7

[7...Bb6 8.Re1 Nf6 9.Na3 0-0 10.Nc4 Ba7 11.dxe5 Nxe5 12.Ncxe5 Bxa4 13.Qxa4 dxe5 14.Nxe5 Re8 15.Nf3 Ng4 16.Re2 Qd3 17.Rd2 Rxe4 18.Rxd3 Rxa4 19.Be3 Nxe3 20.fxe3 Re8 21.Nd4 c5 22.b3 Ra5 23.Nc2 c4 24.bxc4 Rc5 25.Rb1 Rc7 26.Nd4 Kf8 27.Kf2 Bc5 28.Ke2 Rce7 29.Nf5 Rc7 30.Rd5 g6 31.Nd4 b6 32.Kd3 Rce7 33.Re1 f5 34.g4 fxg4 35.e4 h5 36.e5 Kg7 37.e6 Bxd4 38.cxd4 Rxe6 39.Rd7+ Kh6 40.Rxe6 Rxe6 41.c5 bxc5 42.dxc5 h4 43.Kc4 g5 44.Rd6 Rg6 45.Rxg6+ Kxg6 46.c6 g3 47.c7 gxh2 0-1 (47) EraserGodzilla (2724)-uliKidz (2520) Blitz 2024]

8.Re1

[8.Be3

A) 8...Nge7 9.Nbd2 0-0 Kuzmin, Alexey: 'Compared with positions in the variation 5.c3 ♘ge7 6.0-0 ♗a7 7.d4 ♘g6, here Black has already played ♗d7 - this is not always useful. However, Black has not played ♘g6 yet, so it can be a kind of compensation.' 10.Re1

A1) 10...f6 11.h3 Kh8
A1a) 12.Nf1 Be8N *(Predecessor: 12...Qe8 13.Bc2 Nd8 14.Ng3 Ne6 15.Qd2 Ng6 16.Ne2 Rd8 17.Rad1 Bc8 18.h4 c6* 0-1 (32) Kamalidenova,M (2351)-Koneru,H (2586) Warsaw 2021*)* 13.Ng3 exd4 14.Nxd4 Nxd4 15.Bxd4 Bxa4 16.Qxa4 Qe8 17.Qxe8 Rfxe8 18.Rad1 Kg8 19.f3 Kf7 20.Ne2 a5 21.a4 Nc6 22.Bxa7 Rxa7 23.Nf4 Rb8 24.c4 b6 ½-½ (24) Sevian,S (2687)-Praggnanandhaa,R (2691) chess.com INT 2023;
A1b) 12.Qc2 Qe8 13.Bb3 Na5 14.Kh1 Nxb3 15.axb3 Ng6 16.c4 Qe7 17.Qc3 Be6 18.Rad1 Qf7 19.Kh2 Bb8 20.dxe5 dxe5 21.b4 c6 22.Kh1 Bc7 23.b3 h6 24.c5 f5 25.exf5 Qxf5 26.Nc4 Bd5 27.Bc1 Qh5 28.Rxd5 cxd5 29.Nd6 e4 30.Bb2 Rg8 31.Nd4 Qe5 32.N4f5 Qxc3 33.Bxc3 Kh7 34.g4 Nf4 35.Rd1 Nd3 36.Kg1 a5 37.bxa5 Bxa5 38.Bd4 Bb4 39.Nxb7 Rab8 40.c6 Rbc8 41.Nbd6 Rxc6 42.Nf7 Rf8 43.Ne5 Nxe5 44.Bxe5 Rf7 45.Rxd5 Rc1+ 46.Kg2 Rc2 47.Bd4 Bc3 48.Be3 Bf6 49.Ng3 Re7 50.Nh5 Be5 51.Ng3 Rb2 52.Nf5 Re8 53.Ne7 Rxe7 54.Rc5 Rxb3 55.Rd5 Rxe3 56.Rxe5 Rxe5 57.fxe3 Re7 58.Kg3 Rf7 0-1 (58) happywarcraft (2697)-BrokyLoveKFC (2775) Blitz 2024;

A2) 10...Bg4 11.h3 Bh5 12.g4 Bg6 13.Bc2 exd4 14.Nxd4 Nxd4 15.Bxd4 Bxd4 16.cxd4 d5 17.e5 f5 18.exf6 Rxf6 19.Nf1 Qd6 20.Ng3 Raf8 21.Re2 Rxf2 22.Rxf2 Qxg3+ 23.Rg2 Qxh3 24.Qd2 Bxc2 0-1 (24) Unknown404 (2621)-spectraline (2575) Blitz 2022;
A3) 10...exd4 'N' 11.cxd4 d5 12.e5 Bg4 13.h3 Bh5 14.Qc1 h6 15.Qc3 f6 16.Bd1 fxe5 17.Nxe5 Bxd1 18.Nxc6 Nxc6 19.Raxd1 Qd7 20.Nb3 Rae8 21.Nc5 Bxc5 22.dxc5 d4 23.Qb3+ Qf7 24.Qxf7+ Rxf7 25.Bd2 Rfe7 26.b4 ½-½ (26) Yu Yangyi (2728)-Safarli,E (2616) Sant Boi ESP 2022;
B) 8...Nf6 9.Nbd2 *(9.dxe5 Nxe5 10.Nxe5 dxe5 11.Bxa7 Rxa7 12.Nd2 0-0 13.Nf3 Bxa4 14.Qxa4 Qd3 15.Nxe5 Qxe4 16.Qxe4 Nxe4 17.Rfe1 Nd6 18.Rad1 Raa8 19.c4 Rad8 20.c5 Nb5 21.c6 b6 22.f4 f6 23.Nf3 Na7 24.Rd7 Nxc6 25.Rxc7 Rc8 26.Rb7 Rb8 27.Rxb8 Rxb8 28.Rc1 Nb4 29.Rc7 Nd5 30.Ra7 a5 31.f5 Rc8 32.Nd4 Rc7 33.Ra8+ Kf7 34.Ne6 Rd7 35.Rf8+ Ke7 36.Rh8 Ne3 37.Nxg7 Kf7 38.Nh5 Rd1+ 39.Kf2 Nxf5 40.g4 Nd6 41.Rxh7+ Ke6 42.Rh6 Ne4+ 43.Kf3 Ke5 44.Rh8 Rd3+ 45.Ke2 Rd2+ 46.Ke3 Rxh2 47.Re8+ Kd5 48.Nf4+ Kd6 49.Re6+ Kd7 50.Kxe4 Rxb2 51.Rxf6 Rxa2 52.Rxb6 Ra4+ 53.Kf5 Ke7 54.Ra6 Ra1 55.g5 a4 56.g6 a3 57.Ra7+ Kf8 58.Kf6 Ke8 59.g7 Rg1 60.Rxa3 Kd7 61.Ra8* 1-0 (61) Vladimirovich9000 (2636)-aradhyagarg2000 (2430)

Rapid 2023; *9.Bxc6 Bxc6 10.dxe5 dxe5 11.Qxd8+ Kxd8 12.Bxa7 Rxa7 13.Nxe5 Re8 14.Nxc6+ bxc6 15.f3 Rb7 16.Rf2 Ke7 17.Na3 Rd8 18.Nc4 g5 19.Re1 c5 20.g3 h5 21.Kg2 h4 22.gxh4 gxh4 23.Kh3 Rh8 24.Rd2 Rbb8 25.e5 Nh5 26.Re4 Rbg8 27.Ne3 Rg5 28.Nd5+ Ke6 29.Nxc7+ Kf5 30.e6 Nf4+ 31.Rxf4+ Kxf4 32.exf7 Rf5 33.Ne6+ Ke3 34.Rd7 Rxf3+ 35.Kg4 Rf6 36.Re7 Kd2 37.Nxc5 Kc1 38.b4 Rf8 39.Nd3+ Kd2 40.Ne5 Kxc3 41.Rb7 Kd4 42.Re7 Kd5 43.Kg5 Rf1 44.Kxh4 Kd6 45.Re8 R1xf7 46.Nxf7+ Rxf7 47.Ra8 Kc6 48.Rxa6+ Kb5 49.Rg6 Kxb4 50.Kg5 Ra7 51.h4 Kc5 52.h5 Kd5 53.h6 Rxa2 54.h7 Rg2+ 55.Kf6 Rh2 56.Kg7 Rxh7+ 57.Kxh7 Ke5 58.Kg7 Kf5 59.Kf7 Ke4 60.Kf6 Kd5 61.Rg4* 1-0 (61) Jumabayev,R (2628)-Aradhya,G (2236) chess.com INT 2022 *)* 9...0-0 10.h3 Re8 11.Bc2 exd4 12.cxd4 Nb4 13.Bb1 c5 14.d5 a5 15.Re1 b5 16.a4 bxa4 17.Nc4 Bb5 18.Nfd2 Bxc4 19.Nxc4 Nxe4 20.Bf4 Qh4 21.g3 Nxg3 22.Bxg3 Qxh3 23.Nxd6 Rxe1+ 24.Qxe1 c4 25.Nf5 Nd3 26.Bxd3 cxd3 27.Qe4 g6 28.Ne7+ Kf8 29.Qe5 Bb8 30.d6 Ke8 31.Nc6+ Kd7 32.Nxb8+ Rxb8 33.Qe7+ Kc6 34.Qc7+ Kd5 35.Qxb8 1-0 (35) swimmerchess (2772)-aradhyagarg2000 (2684) Blitz 2023]

[8.Bxc6 Bxc6 9.dxe5 dxe5 10.Nxe5 Qxd1 11.Rxd1 Bxe4 12.Re1 Nf6 13.Nd2 Rd8 14.Kf1 Rxd2 15.Bxd2 0-0 16.Bg5 Bd5 17.Bxf6 gxf6 18.Nd7 Bc4+ 19.Kg1 Rd8 20.Rad1 Kg7 21.b3 Bb5 22.Nxf6 Rxd1 23.Nh5+ Kh6 24.Rxd1 Kxh5 25.Re1 Kg6 26.Re7 Bb6 27.g3 a5 28.h4 Bc6 29.Re5 h6 30.Kf1 Bd7 31.Re7 Be6 32.Re8 a4 33.c4 axb3 34.axb3 Bc5 35.Rb8 b6 36.Kg2 Bf5 37.Kf3 Bc2 38.Rc8 Bxb3 39.Rxc7 Bxc4 40.g4 Bd5+ 41.Ke2 Be6 42.f3 Bc4+ 43.Kd2 Bd5 44.Ke2 Be6 45.Kd3 Bd5 46.Ke2 Kf6 47.f4 Bd6 48.g5+ Ke6 49.gxh6 Be4 50.Rb7 Bxf4 51.Rxb6+ Ke5 52.Rb5+ Ke6 53.Rb4 Ke5 54.Rb5+ Ke6 55.Rb4 Ke5 56.Rb5+ ½-½ (56) yoseph2013 (2716)-aradhyagarg2000 (2650) Blitz 2022]

[8.dxe5 Nxe5 9.Nxe5 dxe5 10.Bxd7+ Qxd7 11.Qxd7+ Kxd7 12.Nd2 Nf6 13.Nc4 Ke6 14.Re1 b5 15.Na5 Bb6 16.Nb3 Ng4 17.Re2 Rad8 18.Bd2 Rd3 19.h3 Nf6 20.Rae1 Rhd8 21.Bg5 a5 22.Kf1 h6 23.Bxf6 Kxf6 24.Nc1 R3d6 25.g3 a4 26.Rc2 Ke6 27.Ne2 Rd2 28.Rec1 Rxc2 29.Rxc2 Rd1+ 30.Kg2 h5 31.a3 g6 32.c4 bxc4 33.Nc3 Rd4 34.Kf3 f5 35.exf5+ gxf5 36.Nxa4 Rd3+ 37.Ke2 Rd4 38.f3 e4 39.fxe4 fxe4 40.Nxb6 cxb6 41.g4 hxg4 42.hxg4 Ke5 43.g5 b5 44.g6 Rd6 45.b3 Rxg6 46.Rc3 Kd4 47.Rh3 Rg2+ 48.Kd1 Ra2 49.bxc4 bxc4 50.Kc1 e3 51.Kd1 Rxa3 52.Rh4+ Kd3 53.Kc1 Ra1+ 54.Kb2 Rd1 55.Rh3 c3+ 56.Kb3 c2 57.Rh8 c1Q 58.Rd8+ Ke2 0-1 (58) ApesTutoring (2696)-guirepa (2762) Blitz 2021]

[8.Bg5 Nge7 9.d5 Nb8 10.Nbd2 0-0 11.Bc2 f6 12.Bh4 Ng6 13.Bg3 f5 14.exf5 Bxf5 15.Bxf5 Rxf5 16.Qc2 Rf7 17.Ne4 Nf4 18.Neg5 Ng6 19.Nxf7 Kxf7 20.Qf5+ Kg8 21.Ng5 Nd7 22.Qe6+ 1-0 (22) aljalad (2620)-DrElen (2566) Blitz 2023]

8...Nge7
[8...Nf6 9.h3 0-0 10.Bg5 h6 11.Bh4 g5 12.Nxg5 hxg5 13.Bxg5 Kg7 14.Qf3 exd4 15.Bxc6 Bxc6 16.Nd2 Qe7 17.Qg3 Qe6 18.e5 Nh5 19.Bf6+ Kh7 20.Qg5 Qxh3 21.gxh3 Rg8 22.h4 dxc3 23.bxc3 Nf4 24.Kh2 Rxg5 25.hxg5 Kg6 26.exd6 cxd6 27.Ne4 d5 28.Ng3 Bc5 29.Ne2 Nd3 30.Rf1 Nxf2 31.Nf4+ Kh7 32.Kg2 d4+ 33.Kxf2 dxc3+ 34.Kg3 1-0 (34) swimmerchess (2789)-aradhyagarg2000 (2722) Blitz 2023]
[8...exd4 9.cxd4 Nf6 10.e5 dxe5 11.Bg5 0-0 12.dxe5 h6 13.Bh4 g5 14.exf6 gxh4 15.Nc3 Be6 16.Bxc6 bxc6 17.Qa4 Qxf6 18.Qxc6 Rfd8 19.Ne4 Qg7 20.Nxh4 Rab8 21.Rad1 Rxd1 22.Rxd1 Rxb2 23.Qxc7 Bb6 24.Qf4 Bd4 25.Nf5 Bxf5 26.Qxf5 Rxa2 27.g3 a5 28.Qd5 Ra4 29.Rc1 Ra1 30.Rxa1 Bxa1 31.Qxa5 Bd4 32.Qf5 Qg6 33.Qd5 Qg7 34.Kg2 Kh7 35.Nd6 Kg8 36.Nf5 Qe5 37.Nxh6+ Kg7 38.Nf5+ Kf6 39.Qxe5+ Bxe5 40.Ne3 Bc7 41.Ng4+ Kf5 42.Kf3 Kg5 43.Ne3 Bb6 44.h4+ Kg6 45.Ng2 Kg7 46.Nf4 Bc7 47.Nh5+ Kg6 48.Nf4+ Kg7 49.Nh3 Kf8 50.Kg4 Ke7 51.Kf5 Kf8 52.f4 Bd8 53.h5 Kg7 54.Ng5 Bc7 55.g4 Bb8 56.Ne4 Ba7 57.Nf6 Bb8 58.Ne8+ Kf8 59.Nf6 Kg7 60.g5 Bc7 61.h6+ Kh8 62.Ng4 Bd8 63.Ne5 Be7 64.Nxf7+ Kg8 65.Ne5 Kh7 66.Nf7 Bd8 67.g6+ Kg8 68.h7+ Kg7 69.h8Q# 1-0 (69) CXCX83 (2720)-Arucas (2563) Blitz 2022]
9.d5
[9.Nbd2 exd4 10.cxd4 Nxd4 11.Nxd4 Bxd4 12.Nf3 Ba7 13.e5 0-0 14.exd6 Bxa4 15.Qxa4 Qxd6 16.Bf4 Qc6 17.Qxc6 Nxc6 18.Bxc7 Rfe8 19.Rad1 f6 20.a3 Rac8 21.Bg3 Rxe1+ 22.Rxe1 Kf7 23.Rd1 Ne7 24.h4 Nf5 25.Kh2 Nxg3 26.fxg3 Rc7 27.g4 Ke6 28.Nd4+ Ke5 29.Nf5 Ke4 30.Kg3 g6 31.Nd6+ Ke3 32.Ne8 Rc2 33.Nxf6 Rxb2 34.Nxh7 Rb3 35.Rd7 Ke2+ 36.Kf4 Be3+ 37.Ke4 b5 38.Nf6 Rxa3 39.Nd5 Ra4+ 40.Ke5 Rxg4 41.Nxe3 Kxe3 42.Ra7 Ra4 43.g4 Rxg4 44.Rxa6 Kd3 45.Ra1 b4 46.Rd1+ Kc2 47.Rd6 b3 48.Rc6+ Kb1 49.Rb6 b2 50.Kf6 Kc1 51.Ke5 b1Q 52.Rxb1+ Kxb1 53.h5 gxh5 54.Kf5 Kc2 0-1 (54) secretaccounthabibi (2681)-BrokyLoveKFC (2764) Blitz 2024]
[9.Bg5 f6 10.Be3 0-0 11.Nbd2 Kh8 12.Nf1 Qe8 13.d5 Nb8 14.Bxd7 Nxd7 15.Bxa7 Rxa7 16.Ng3 Ra8 17.c4 h6 18.Nh4 g6 19.Qd2 Kh7 20.b4 f5 21.exf5 Nxf5 22.Nhxf5 gxf5 23.f4 Qg6 24.c5 Rae8 25.Rac1 exf4 26.Qxf4 Ne5 27.Re3 Qg4 28.Rf1 Qxf4 29.Rxf4 Kg6 30.h3 Kg5 31.Ne2 Ng6 32.Rff3 f4 33.Rxe8 Rxe8 34.Kf2 Re5 35.Rd3 Ne7 36.Nc3 Kf5 37.Kf3 Re1 38.Kf2 Re5 39.Kf3 Ng6 40.Ne2 Re4 41.Nd4+ Ke5 42.Ne2 Rxb4 43.Nc3 dxc5 0-1 (43) Papolabestia123 (2647)-gmmitkov (2600) Blitz 2024]
9...Nb8 10.Bc2 0-0 11.Nbd2 Ng6 12.Nf1 a5 13.b4 Na6 14.a3 Qe7 15.Be3 Bxe3 16.Nxe3 Nf4 17.Qd2 g6 18.g3 Nh5 19.Nh4 Bh3 20.Bd3 Nb8 21.Bf1 Bxf1 22.Rxf1 Nd7 23.Ng4 Kh8 24.Qh6 Ndf6 25.h3 Nxe4 26.Rae1 Nef6 27.f4 Nxg4 28.hxg4 Nf6 29.Qg5 Nxd5 30.Qxe7 Nxe7 31.fxe5 dxe5 32.Rxe5 Nc6 33.Rc5 axb4 34.axb4 Rac8 35.g5 Kg7 36.Nf3 Rfe8 37.b5 Nd8 38.Rd5 Ne6 39.Rd7 Rcd8

40.Rfd1 Rxd7 41.Rxd7 Rd8 42.Rxd8 Nxd8 43.Kf2 Ne6 44.Ke3 Kf8 45.Ke4 Ke7 46.Ke5 b6 47.c4 Nc5 48.Nd4 Ne6 49.Nc6+ Ke8 50.Kf6 Nc5 51.Kg7 Ne4 52.Kh6 Nxg3 53.Kxh7 Ne4 54.Kh6 f6 55.gxf6 Nxf6 56.Kxg6 Ne4 57.Ne5 Nd6 58.Kf6 Ne4+ 59.Ke6 Nc5+ 60.Kd5 Kd8 61.Kc6 Ne6 62.Kb7 Nd4 63.Nc6+ Kd7 64.Nxd4 Kd6 65.Nc6 1-0 (65) Jakebr8 (2833)-BrokyLoveKFC (2780) Blitz 2024

6...b5 7.d4 exd4 8.cxd4 Nxd4 9.Nxd4 bxa4 10.Nf5 Qf6

[10...g6 11.Nd4 Qf6 12.Nf3 Qg7 13.Nc3 Nf6 14.Nxa4 Ba7 15.b3 0-0 16.Bb2 Be6 17.Rc1 g5 18.Rxc7 Bb8 19.Rb7 Qh6 20.Qd4 Kg7 21.Nb6 Ra7 22.Nd7 Bxd7 23.Rxb8 Ra8 24.Rb6 Be6 25.Rxd6 Rac8 26.Ne5 Kh8 27.Nd7 Bxd7 28.Rxf6 Qg7 29.Qxd7 Rb8 30.e5 Rbd8 31.Qf5 Kg8 32.e6 Rde8 33.Ba3 Rxe6 34.Rxe6 fxe6 35.Qxf8+ Qxf8 36.Bxf8 Kxf8 37.b4 Ke7 38.Rc1 h5 39.a4 h4 40.b5 axb5 41.axb5 g4 42.b6 g3 43.hxg3 e5 44.gxh4 e4 45.b7 Kd8 46.b8Q+ Kd7 47.Qe5 Kd8 48.Rd1+ Kc8 49.Qe7 Kb8 50.Rd8# 1-0 (50) odonata-bot (2808)-Lynx_BOT (2596) Blitz 2025]

11.Nc3 Ne7 12.Nxe7 Qxe7 13.Qxa4+ Bd7 14.Qc2 Bc6 15.Re1 0-0 16.Be3 Qe5 17.Rac1 Rfe8 18.Bxc5 Qxc5 19.Qd2 Qb4 20.f3 a5 21.Red1 Qb6+ 22.Qf2 Qb7 23.h3 a4 24.a3 Ra5 25.Rd4 Rc5 26.Rb4 Qa8 27.Kh2 h6 28.Qd2 Kh7 29.Rc2 Kh8 30.Qd4 f5 31.exf5 Rxf5 32.Ne4 Re6 33.Ng3 Rf7 34.Rbc4 d5 35.Rc5 Qe8 36.Nh5 Rd6 37.Nf4 Re7 38.Rc1 Qd7 39.Nd3 Re2 40.Nf4 Re7 41.Nd3 Re2 42.R5c3 Qe8 43.Nf4 Re7 44.R3c2 Rf6 45.Nxd5 Bxd5 46.Qxd5 Rg6 47.Rf2 Rd6 48.Qc4 Qd7 49.Qg4 Qb5 50.Qc8+ Re8 51.Qxc7 Qe5+ 52.f4 Qf6 53.Rc4 Kh7 54.Rxa4 Rc6 55.Qd7 Rd8 56.Qg4 Rc1 57.Re4 Rd6 58.Re5 Ra1 59.Qe2 Rdd1 60.Qe4+ Qg6 61.Qxg6+ Kxg6 62.Rc5 Kh7 63.f5 Rd7 64.Rf3 Ra7 65.Rc4 Ra2 66.Rb4 h5 67.f6 Rf7 68.fxg7 Rxf3 69.gxf3 Kxg7 70.Kg3 Kf6 71.a4 Ke5 72.Rb5+ Kd4 73.b3 Ra1 74.Rxh5 Ke3 75.Re5+ Kd4 76.f4 Rg1+ 77.Kf3 Rf1+ 78.Kg4 Rg1+ 79.Kf5 Rh1 80.Kg6 Rxh3 81.Rb5 Ke3 82.f5 Rg3+ 83.Kf7 Kd3 84.f6 Kc3 85.a5 Re3 86.a6 Rh3 87.Ke6 Rh8 88.f7 Kb2 89.a7 Ra8 90.Rb7 Kb1 91.Ke7 Kc2 92.f8Q Rxf8 93.Kxf8 Kd3 94.a8Q Ke3 95.Re7+ Kf2 96.Qe4 Kg3 97.Rg7+ Kf2 98.Rg2+ Kf1 99.Qe2# 1-0 (99) odonata-bot (2821)-Lynx_BOT (2563) Blitz 2025

[35] **7.d4** Bxf3

[7...exd4 8.cxd4 Ba7 9.Bxc6+ bxc6 10.Be3 Ne7 11.h3 Bh5 12.Nbd2 0-0 13.Qc2 Qd7 14.Nh4 d5 15.Nf5 Rae8 16.Rac1 dxe4 17.Nxe7+ Rxe7 18.Qxc6 Bxd4 19.Qxd7 Rxd7 20.Bxd4 Rxd4 21.Nb3 Rd7 22.Nc5 Rd2 23.g4 Bg6 24.Nxa6 e3 25.Nc5 Rxb2 26.fxe3 Rxa2 27.Nd7 Re8 28.Rxc7 f6 29.Rf2 Ra1+ 30.Rf1 Rxf1+ 31.Kxf1 Rxe3 32.Kg2 Be4+ 33.Kh2 Bd5 34.Rc2 Kf7 35.Nb6 Bb3 36.Rd2 Be6 37.Nd5 Re4 38.Kg3 g5 39.Kf3 Ra4 40.Ne3 h5 41.Rb2 Ra3 42.Rb7+ Kg6 43.gxh5+ Kxh5 44.Rb6 f5 45.Rxe6 f4 46.Rb6 Rxe3+ 47.Kg2 Re2+ 48.Kg1 Kh4 49.Rh6+ Kg3 50.Kf1 Rf2+ 51.Kg1 Ra2 52.Kf1 f3 0-1 (52) Hou,Y (2628)-Grischuk,A (2745) Astana KAZ 2023]

[7...b5 8.dxc5 bxa4 9.Qxa4 Nge7 10.cxd6 cxd6 11.Nfd2 0-0 12.Qc2

d5 13.exd5 Nxd5 14.Ne4 Nf4 15.Bxf4 exf4 16.f3 Bf5 17.Rd1 Qb6+ 18.Qf2 Qxf2+ 19.Kxf2 Bxe4 20.fxe4 Rab8 21.b3 g5 22.Nd2 Ne5 23.h3 Rbc8 24.c4 Rfd8 25.Nf3 f6 26.Nd4 Rd7 27.Rd2 Rcd8 28.Rad1 Kf7 29.Nf3 Rxd2+ 30.Rxd2 Rxd2+ 31.Nxd2 Nd3+ 32.Ke2 Nc1+ 33.Kf3 Nxa2 34.Kg4 Kg6 35.Kf3 h5 36.g3 fxg3 37.Kxg3 f5 38.exf5+ Kxf5 39.Kf3 Nb4 40.Nf1 Ke5 41.Ng3 g4+ 42.hxg4 hxg4+ 43.Kxg4 Kd4 44.Kf3 Kc3 45.Ne4+ Kd4 46.Kf4 Nd3+ 47.Kf3 Ne5+ 48.Kf4 Nd3+ 49.Kf3 Nc1 50.c5 Kd5 51.Ke3 Nxb3 52.Kd3 Nc1+ 53.Kc2 Ne2 54.Nc3+ Nxc3 55.Kxc3 Kxc5 56.Kb3 Kb5 57.Ka3 Ka5 58.Ka2 Kb4 59.Ka1 Ka4 60.Ka2 Kb4 61.Ka1 Ka3 62.Kb1 Kb3 63.Ka1 a5 64.Kb1 Ka3 65.Ka1 Kb3 66.Kb1 a4 67.Ka1 Ka3 68.Kb1 Kb3 69.Ka1 a3 70.Kb1 a2+ 71.Ka1 Ka3 ½-½ (71) Night2950 (2624)-Gannikus21 (2626) Blitz 2022]

8.gxf3

[8.Qxf3 exd4

A) 9.e5 Nge7 10.exd6 *(10.Bg5 0-0 11.Bxc6 bxc6 12.exd6 Qxd6 13.Bxe7 Qxe7 14.Qxc6 Rab8 15.b4 Bb6 16.a3 a5 17.Nd2 dxc3 18.Qxc3 Rfd8 19.Nf3 axb4 20.axb4 h6 21.Rad1 Qe2 22.Rde1 Qd3 23.Qxd3 Rxd3 24.Ne5 Rb3 25.Nc6 Ra8 26.g3 Ra2 27.Re8+ Kh7 28.Rf8 f6 29.Kg2 Rbb2 30.Nd8 Bxf2 31.Kh3 h5 32.Ne6 Bc5 33.Rf7 Rxh2#* 0-1 (33) yesview (2699)-zvonokchess (2864) Blitz 2023*)* 10...Qxd6 11.Nd2 *(11.Bf4 Qd5 12.Qg3 0-0 13.Rd1 Nf5 14.Qg4 Ne5 15.Qh3 Qe4 16.Bg5 d3 17.b4 Bxf2+ 18.Kxf2 Ng4+ 19.Kg1 h6 20.Nd2 Qe2 21.Re1 Qf2+ 22.Kh1 Qxe1+ 23.Rxe1 Nf2+ 24.Kg1 Nxh3+ 25.gxh3 hxg5 26.Kf2 b5* 0-1 (26) notkevich (2682)-zvonokchess (2855) Blitz 2023 *)* 11...Ba7 12.Ne4 Qg6 13.h4 0-0 14.h5 Qf5 15.h6 Qxf3 16.gxf3 dxc3 17.bxc3 b5 18.hxg7 Kxg7 19.Bb3 Na5 20.Bc2 Ng6 21.f4 Nh4 22.Kh1 f5 23.Rg1+ Kh6 24.Ng5 Rae8 25.Ba3 Rf6 26.Rae1 Rxe1 27.Rxe1 Ng6 28.Re8 Nxf4 29.Nf3 Re6 30.Ra8 Bxf2 31.Bxf5 Re3 32.Rxa6+ c6 33.Bg4 Nc4 34.Bc1 Kg7 35.Bxe3 Nxe3 36.Bd7 h5 37.Rxc6 b4 38.cxb4 h4 39.b5 h3 40.b6 Ne2 41.Bxh3 Ng3+ 42.Kh2 Ne2 43.b7 Bg3+ 44.Kh1 Nd1 45.Rc7+ Kf6 46.Rc6+ 1-0 (46) Poirot_Hercule (2715)-pozvonochek (2891) Blitz 2023;

B) 9.Nd2 dxc3 10.bxc3 Nge7 11.Qg3 0-0 12.Nf3 Ng6 13.Rb1 b5 14.Bb3 Na5 15.Bc2 Nc4 16.h4 Re8 17.h5 Nge5 18.Nd4 Kh8 19.a4 c6 20.Kh2 Rc8 21.Nf5 Rg8 22.Bg5 f6 23.Bc1 Qe8 24.Bd1 g5 25.hxg6 Qxg6 26.Qxg6 Nxg6 27.axb5 axb5 28.Bh5 Rge8 29.f3 Ra8 30.Bh6 Kg8 31.Ra1 Kf7 32.Bf4 Nce5 33.Bg3 Reb8 34.f4 Nc4 35.Nh6+ Ke7 36.Ng4 Ne3 37.Rfe1 Nxg4+ 38.Bxg4 Rxa1 39.Rxa1 Nf8 40.Bh4 Ne6 41.e5 Nxf4 42.Bxf6+ Kf7 43.Rf1 Ng6 44.e6+ Ke8 45.Bh5 d5 46.Be5 Rb7 47.Rf6 Re7 48.Bxg6+ hxg6 49.Rxg6 Kf8 50.Bf4 d4 51.Bh6+ Rg7 52.Rxg7 Ke8 53.e7 Bd6+ 54.Kh3 Bxe7 55.Rg8+ Kd7 56.Rg7 1-0 (56) VladislavKrasikov_FM (2693)-

zvonokchess (2830) Blitz 2022;
C) 9.cxd4 Bxd4 10.Nc3 *(10.Bxc6+ bxc6 11.e5 Ne7 12.exd6 cxd6 13.Nc3 0-0 14.Bf4 d5 15.Rad1 Bf6 16.Na4 Ng6 17.Bg3 Re8 18.b3 Ne5 19.Qf5 Qd7 20.Qc2 Qg4 21.h3 Qg6 22.Qc5 h5 23.Kh1 h4 24.Bf4 Qf5 25.Be3 Re6 26.Qb4 Rae8 27.Nc5 R6e7 28.Qa4 g5 29.f3 Ng6 30.Bd4 Nf4 31.Bxf6 Qxf6 32.Rf2 Re2 33.Rdf1 Rxf2 34.Rxf2 Re1+ 35.Kh2 Qa1 0-1 (35) Eugenerougon (2656)-pozvonochek (2827) Blitz 2021)* 10...Nge7 11.Rd1 Be5 12.Bg5 f6 13.Be3 0-0 14.Qe2 Kh8 15.f4 Bxc3 16.bxc3 f5 17.e5 Ng6 18.Qf3 Qe7 19.Bxc6 bxc6 20.Qxc6 dxe5 21.Bc5 Qe8 22.Rd7 Rf7 23.Qxa8 Qxa8 24.Rxf7 h6 25.Rd1 Qc6 26.Bb4 Nxf4 27.Rd8+ Kh7 0-1 (27) Prettyfly (2662)-zvonokchess (2861) Blitz 2022;
D) 9.Qg3 Qf6 10.Bf4 Nge7 11.e5 Qg6 12.exd6 Bxd6 13.Bxd6 cxd6 14.Rd1 0-0 15.Qxg6 hxg6 16.cxd4 b5 17.Bb3 Na5 18.Nd2 Rac8 19.Rac1 Nec6 20.Nf3 Nxb3 21.axb3 Na5 22.b4 Nc4 23.b3 Nb2 24.Rf1 Nd3 25.Ra1 Nxb4 26.g3 Rc3 27.Nd2 Rd3 28.Rfd1 Rxd4 29.Nf3 Rxd1+ 30.Rxd1 d5 31.Ne5 Rc8 32.Rd4 a5 33.Kf1 Rc3 34.Rf4 f6 35.Nxg6 Rxb3 36.h4 a4 0-1 (36) BrittaBagels (2792)-pozvonochek (2859) Blitz 2023]

8...b5
[8...Ba7 9.Bxc6+ *(9.Be3 Nge7 10.f4 exd4 11.cxd4 d5 12.Nc3 0-0 13.e5 Nf5 14.Ne2 Qh4 15.Ng3 Ncxd4 16.Bc2 Nxe3 17.fxe3 Nxc2 18.Qxc2 Bxe3+ 19.Kh1 Bxf4 20.Nf5 Qg4 21.Rf2 Bxe5 22.Nh6+ gxh6 23.Rg2 Qg6 24.Re1 Rae8 25.Qf5 Bg7 26.Rxg6 hxg6 27.Qf1 Rxe1 28.Qxe1 d4 29.b4 Rd8 30.Kg2 d3 31.Qd1 d2 32.Kf3 Bc3 33.Ke2 Re8+ 34.Kd3 Re1* 0-1 (34) Elfugitivo (2674)-pozvonochek (2798) Blitz 2021 *)* 9...bxc6 10.dxe5 Ne7 11.exd6 cxd6 12.Bf4 d5 13.exd5 Nxd5 14.Bg3 h5 15.Re1+ Kf8 16.c4 h4 17.Be5 Rh6 18.cxd5 Qg5+ 19.Kh1 Rg6 20.Rg1 Qxe5 21.Rxg6 fxg6 22.Nc3 cxd5 23.Qxd5 Qxd5 24.Nxd5 Rc8 25.Ne3 h3 26.Rd1 Kg8 27.b3 Bb8 28.Kg1 Kh7 29.Nc4 g5 30.Rd5 Bf4 31.Rd3 a5 32.a4 Kg6 33.Rd7 Kh6 34.Rd3 Kg6 35.Rd7 Re8 36.Kf1 Bxh2 37.Nxa5 g4 38.fxg4 Re4 39.Rd3 Bc7 40.Rxh3 Bxa5 41.Rh5 Bc3 42.Rc5 Bd4 43.Rd5 Rxg4 44.a5 Rf4 45.Ke2 Rxf2+ 46.Kd3 Bf6 47.b4 Ra2 48.Kc4 Kf7 49.Rd1 g5 50.Kb3 Rb2+ 51.Ka3 Rh2 52.Kb3 Be7 53.b5 Rh3+ 54.Kc4 Ra3 55.a6 Ke6 56.Re1+ Kd7 57.Rd1+ Kc8 58.Kd5 Rb3 59.Ke6 Re3+ 60.Kf7 Ba3 61.Kg8 Kc7 62.Kf7 Rb3 63.Rd5 g4 64.Ke6 Normal ½-½ (64) abcbot (2762)-expositor (2680) Blitz 2024]

9.dxc5
[9.Bb3 exd4 10.cxd4 *(10.Bd5 Nge7 11.cxd4 Bxd4 12.Bg5 f6 13.Bh4 Bxb2 14.Nd2 Bxa1 15.Qxa1 Nxd5 16.exd5 Ne7 17.Qd4 0-0 18.Qd3 Ng6 19.Bg3 f5 20.f4 Qe7 21.Rc1 Rae8 22.Nf3 Qe4 23.Qa3 Nxf4 24.Bxf4 Qxf4 25.Rxc7 Rf6 26.Kf1 Qe4 27.Rc1 Rg6 28.Qb3 Qe2#* 0-1 (28) TheGiantInsideMe (2670)-zvonokchess (2844) Blitz 2022*)* 10...Nxd4 11.Bd5 c6 12.Be3 cxd5

13.Bxd4 Bxd4 14.Qxd4 Qg5+ 15.Kh1 Nf6 16.Nc3 Qf4 17.Qe3 Qxe3 18.fxe3 dxe4 19.fxe4 0-0 20.Rad1 b4 21.Nd5 Nxe4 22.Nxb4 a5 23.Nc6 Rfe8 24.Rd4 a4 25.Kg2 g6 26.Rc1 f5 27.Rcc4 Ra6 28.Nb4 Rb6 29.Nd3 Nc5 30.Nxc5 dxc5 31.Rd2 Reb8 32.Rcc2 Rb4 33.Kf3 Kg7 34.a3 Rb3 35.h4 Re8 36.Rc3 Rxc3 37.bxc3 Rb8 38.Rd7+ Kh6 39.Ra7 Rb3 40.Rxa4 Rxc3 41.Ra5 c4 42.Rc5 Rc1 43.a4 c3 44.Kg2 Kh5 45.Rc7 c2 46.Rxh7+ Kg4 47.Rc7 Kxh4 48.Rc4+ Kh5 49.a5 g5 50.a6 Ra1 51.Rxc2 Rxa6 52.Kf3 Ra3 53.Rh2+ Kg6 54.Rb2 f4 55.Rb6+ Kh5 56.Rb5 Rxe3+ 57.Kg2 Kg4 58.Rb8 Re2+ 59.Kf1 Kf3 60.Rg8 g4 61.Rb8 g3 62.Rb3+ Re3 63.Rb2 g2+ 64.Rxg2 Re1+ 65.Kxe1 Kxg2 66.Ke2 f3+ 67.Kd3 f2 68.Ke4 f1Q 69.Ke3 Qf3+ 70.Kd2 Kf2 71.Kc2 Qe3 72.Kb2 Ke2 73.Kc2 Qd3+ 74.Kc1 Qc3+ 75.Kb1 Kd2 76.Ka2 Qb4 77.Ka1 Kc2 78.Ka2 Qa4# 0-1 (78) smihir6 (2697)-pozvonochek (2851) Blitz 2025]

9...bxa4 10.cxd6

[10.Qxa4 Nge7

A) 11.Be3 0-0 12.cxd6 Qxd6 13.Nd2 f5 14.exf5 *(14.Qc4+ Kh8 15.Bc5 Qxd2* 0-1 (15) Toro123 (2668)-zvonokchess (2843) Blitz 2022 *)* 14...Nxf5 15.Ne4 Qg6+ 16.Kh1 Qh5 17.Ng5 Nxe3 18.fxe3 Qxg5 19.Qxc6 Qxe3 20.Rae1 Qd2 21.Rxe5 Qxb2 22.Re7 Qb6 23.Rg1 g6 24.Rxg6+ Kh8 25.Rgg7 Qb1+ 26.Rg1 Qf5 27.Rxc7 Qxf3+ 28.Qxf3 Rxf3 29.Rgg7 Rxc3 30.Rxh7+ Kg8 31.Rhg7+ Kh8 32.Rh7+ Kg8 33.Rxc3 Kxh7 34.Kg2 Rd8 35.Ra3 Rd6 36.Ra5 Kg6 37.h4 Rd4 38.Kg3 Rd3+ 39.Kg4 Rd4+ 40.Kg3 Rd3+ 41.Kf2 Rd4 42.h5+ Kh6 43.Ke3 Rh4 44.a4 Rb4 45.Kd3 Rh4 46.Kc3 Rh3+ 47.Kb4 Rh4+ 48.Kb3 Rh3+ 49.Kc4 Rh4+ 50.Kc5 Rxh5+ 51.Kb6 Rh1 52.Kxa6 Kg6 53.Re5 Kf6 54.Re2 Rh8 55.a5 Ra8+ 56.Kb6 Rb8+ 57.Ka7 Rb1 58.a6 Rb5 59.Ka8 Rb1 60.a7 Kf7 61.Re3 Kf6 62.Re8 Kf7 63.Rb8 Ra1 64.Rb7+ 1-0 (64) IsolatedMushroom (2740)-pozvonochek (2846) Blitz 2023;

B) 11.Bg5 f6 12.Be3 d5 13.Rd1 Qd7 14.exd5 Rd8 15.c4 0-0 16.Nc3 Qh3 17.Ne4 Nf5 18.Nd2 Nh4 0-1 (18) GrafDeMonteKritz (2701)-zvonokchess (2778) Blitz 2022;

C) 11.Rd1 0-0 12.Na3 Qd7 13.Kg2 Qe6 14.Be3 d5 15.Qc2 f5 16.exd5 Nxd5 17.c4 Ndb4 18.Qe2 Rf6 19.Nc2 Nxc2 20.Qxc2 f4 21.Bd2 Rg6+ 0-1 (21) Iran-first (2674)-KKlie4 (2867) Blitz 2023;

D) 11.cxd6 Qxd6 12.Na3 0-0 13.Be3 Qg6+ 14.Kh1 Qh5 15.Qd1 Rad8 16.Qe2 f5 17.exf5 e4 18.Qc4+ Kh8 19.Qxe4 Nxf5 20.Qxc6 Rd6 21.Qe4 Nxe3 22.fxe3 Rd2 23.h4 Re8 24.Qg4 Qe5 25.f4 Qe4+ 26.Kg1 Re6 27.Qf3 Rg6+ 28.Kh1 Rg3 29.Qxe4 Rh3+ 30.Kg1 Rg3+ 31.Kh1 Rh3+ 32.Kg1 Rg3+ 33.Kh1 Rh3+ 34.Kg1 Rg3+ 35.Kh1 Rh3+ 36.Kg1 Rg3+ 37.Kh1 ½-½ (37) Woodbury2023 (2771)-zvonokchess (2815) Blitz 2022]

10...cxd6 11.Nd2

[11.Qxa4 Nge7 12.Nd2 *(12.f4 0-0*

13.f5 d5 14.Nd2 Rb8 15.Kh1 Kh8 16.Rg1 f6 17.f3 d4 18.Nb3 dxc3 19.bxc3 Qd3 20.Nd2 Qxc3 0-1 (20) azeerf (2776)-ikica77 (2770) Blitz 2024*; 12.Kh1 0-0 13.Rg1 Qd7 14.Bg5 Qh3 15.Nd2 f5 16.Bxe7 Nxe7 17.Qd7 Rf7 18.Rg3 Qh5 19.Rag1 Qh6 20.Nc4 Ng6 21.Qe6 Kf8 22.Qxd6+ Kg8 23.Qe6 Kf8 24.exf5 Ne7 25.Nxe5 Rxf5 26.Qxh6 gxh6 27.Nd7+ Kf7 28.Rg7+ Ke6 29.Re1+ Kxd7 30.Rexe7+ Kd6 31.Rd7+ Ke5 32.Rge7+ Kf4 33.Rd3 Kg5 34.Re4 Raf8 35.Kg2 h5 36.h4+ Kg6 37.Rd6+ Kg7 38.Re7+ Kg8 39.Rdd7 R8f6 40.Rg7+ Kf8 41.Rxh7 Rg6+ 42.Kf1 Kg8 43.Rhe7 Rf8 44.c4 a5 45.b3 a4 46.b4 a3 47.c5 Rb8 48.Rb7 Rd8 49.b5 Kf8 50.Rf7+ Kg8 51.Rfd7 Rf8 52.c6 Rc8 53.c7 Rf6 54.Rb8 Rff8 55.Rxc8 Rxc8 56.Rd8+ Kf7 57.Rxc8 Ke7 58.Rb8 Kd7 59.c8Q+ Kd6 60.Qc6+ Ke5 61.Re8+ Kf4 62.Qe4#* 1-0 (62) Nichega (2764)-zvonokchess (2836) Blitz 2022*; 12.Rd1 0-0 13.Be3 Qd7 14.Kg2 f5 15.Nd2 f4 16.Bb6 Rf6 17.Kh1 Rb8 18.Qb3+ Kh8 19.Rg1 Nc8 20.Nc4 Nxb6 21.Nxb6 Qd8 22.Qd5 Qxb6 23.b4 Ne7 24.Qd2 Ng6 25.a4 h6 26.Rg4 Kh7 27.Rag1 Rb7 28.Qe2 Qc6 29.Qf1 Qxc3 30.Qg2 Kg8 31.h4 Rxb4 32.h5 Rb3 33.Rxg6 Rxg6 34.hxg6 Qxf3 35.Rc1 Qxg2+ 36.Kxg2 Kf8 37.Rc6 Ke7 38.Rxa6 Rb4 39.a5 Rd4 40.Kf3 Kf6 41.Rb6 Kxg6 42.a6 Kh5 43.a7 Ra4 44.Rb7 g5 45.Ke2 Ra3 46.Kd2 g4 47.a8Q Rxa8 48.Rg7 Rg8 49.f3 Rxg7 50.fxg4+ Rxg4 51.Ke2 Rg3 52.Kf2 Kg4 53.Kf1 h5 54.Ke1 h4 55.Kd2 h3* 0-1 (55) Nadigraj (2750)-zvonokchess (2848) Blitz 2022*)*

12...0-0 13.Nc4 f5 14.Bg5 Qe8 15.Bxe7 Qg6+ 16.Kh1 Nxe7 17.Rg1 Qh5 18.Rg3 fxe4 19.Nxd6 Rxf3 20.Qxe4 Raf8 21.Qe2 Ng6 22.Rag1 R8f4 23.c4 Rh4 24.R1g2 Rf6 25.Qxh5 Rxh5 26.c5 Kf8 27.Rg4 Nf4 28.Rg5 Rh4 29.Rxe5 g6 30.Re8+ Kg7 31.Rg3 Nd3 32.Rxd3 Rxf2 33.h3 1-0 (33) dmitrijiiiGM (2864)-pozvonochek (2864) Blitz 2025]

11...Qf6 12.Nc4 Rd8 13.Kh1 Nge7 14.Rg1 0-0 15.Bg5 Qe6 16.Qxa4 f6 17.Be3 d5 18.exd5 Nxd5 19.Qxa6 Ra8 20.Qb7 Nce7 21.Qb3 Kh8 22.a4 Rab8 23.Qc2 Rfc8 24.Nd2 Nf5 25.Rae1 Nd6 26.a5 Qh3 27.Rg3 Qh5 28.Qd3 Nxe3 29.fxe3 Nf5 30.Rg2 Rxb2 31.Qd7 Rbb8 32.e4 Qh4 33.Reg1 Rd8 34.Qxf5 1-0 (34) dmitrijiiiGM (2864)-pozvonochek (2863) Blitz 2025

7.d3 Nge7 8.Nbd2 0-0 9.Re1 Kh8

[9...Ba7 10.h3 Bh5 11.Nf1 f5 12.exf5 Bxf3 13.gxf3 Nxf5 14.f4 Qh4 15.Qf3 Rf6 16.Be3 Nxe3 17.fxe3 exf4 18.d4 fxe3 19.Qd5+ Kh8 20.Rxe3 Raf8 21.Qg2 Nxd4 22.cxd4 Bxd4 23.Kh2 Rf2 0-1 (23) Gigante-Noble (2633)-Colmen (2439) Blitz 2025]

10.Nf1 f5 11.exf5 Nxf5 12.N1d2 Nh4 13.Re4 Bxf3 14.Nxf3 Nxf3+ 15.gxf3 Qf6 16.f4 d5 17.Re1 exf4 18.d4 f3 19.Kh1 Bd6 20.Re3 Bxh2 21.Kxh2 Qh4+ 22.Kg1 Qh3 23.Qf1 Qg4+ 24.Kh1 Rf5 0-1 (24) RafaelloPL (2749)-pozvonochek (2779) Blitz 2021

[36] **7...h5** 8.d4

[8.d3 Qf6 9.Nbd2 *(9.Be3 Bxf3 10.Qxf3 Qxf3 11.gxf3 Nge7 12.d4*

Ba7 13.Bxc6+ Nxc6 14.d5 Ne7 15.f4 f5 16.fxe5 dxe5 17.Nd2 0-0 18.Bxa7 Rxa7 19.Rae1 Raa8 20.Nc4 Ng6 21.Kh2 Rae8 22.f3 Nh4 23.Kg3 g5 24.Re2 fxe4 25.Rxe4 Rf4 26.Rxe5 Nf5+ 27.Kf2 Rf8 28.Rg1 Rxc4 29.Rxg5+ Ng7 30.Ke2 Rcf4 31.Re3 Kh7 32.b3 R8f7 33.c4 Kh6 34.Rge5 Nf5 35.Re6+ Kg7 36.R3e4 Nd4+ 0-1 (36) Elfugitivo (2667)-pozvonochek (2811) Blitz 2021*)*
9...Nge7 10.b4 Ba7 11.b5 axb5 12.Bxb5 Ng6 13.Nc4 Bxf3 14.Qxf3 Qxf3 15.gxf3 0-0 16.Bg5 f6 17.Be3 Nce7 18.Bd7 f5 19.Kh2 Nh4 20.Nd2 Kf7 21.Bg5 Nhg6 22.exf5 Nf4 23.Bxf4 exf4 24.Ne4 d5 25.Ng5+ Kf6 26.Nh7+ Ke5 27.Nxf8 Rxf8 28.Rg1 Kd6 29.Be6 g6 30.Rg2 gxf5 31.Re1 Rf6 32.Bg8 Ng6 33.Re6+ Rxe6 34.Bxe6 Nh4 35.Bf7 Nxg2 36.Kxg2 h4 37.Kf1 c5 38.Ke2 b5 39.Be8 b4 40.cxb4 cxb4 41.Bg6 Ke5 42.Be8 Kd4 43.Bd7 Kc3 44.Bxf5 Kb2 45.Be6 Kxa2 46.Bxd5+ b3 47.d4 Ka3 48.Bxb3 Kxb3 49.Kd3 Kb4 50.d5 Kc5 51.Ke4 Bb8 52.Kf5 Kxd5 53.Kg4 Ba7 54.Kxh4 Bxf2+ 55.Kg4 Ke5 56.h4 Be3 57.Kg5 Ke6 58.Kg6 Bd4 59.h5 Bh8 60.h6 Ke5 61.Kg5 Bf6+ 62.Kg4 Bh8 63.h7 Bf6 64.Kh5 Bh8 65.Kg6 Bf6 66.Kf7 Kf5 67.Kg8 Kg6 68.Kf8 Bh8 69.Kg8 Bg7 70.h8Q Bxh8 71.Kf8 Kg5 72.Ke7 1-0 (72) artem-us (2724)-zvonokchess (2810) Blitz 2021]

[8.Bxc6+ bxc6 9.d3 Qf6 10.Be3 Bxf3 *(10...Bb6 11.Nbd2 Ne7 12.Re1 Be6 13.d4 exd4 14.Bxd4 Bxd4 15.cxd4 0-0 16.Rc1 Rab8 17.b3 Rb5 18.Qe2 a5 19.Qe3 Ra8 20.a4 Rb4 21.Rc3 Rab8 22.Rec1 Bd7 23.Nc4 Ng6 24.Nxa5 Nf4 25.e5 Qf5 26.Nc4 Nd5 27.Qd2 Nxc3 28.Rxc3 Rxb3 29.exd6 cxd6 30.Nxd6 Qd5 31.Rxb3 Rxb3 32.Qf4 Ra3 33.Ne4 f6 34.Nc5 Ra1+ 35.Kh2 Be8 36.Qe3 Bf7 37.Qf4 Ra2 38.Nd2 Rc2 39.Nde4 Qxd4 40.a5 Ra2 41.a6 Bd5 42.Qb8+ Kh7 43.a7 Rxa7 44.Qxa7 Bxe4 45.Qa5 Qe5+ 46.g3 Bd5 47.Qd2 Qf5 48.Nd3 Qf3* 0-1 (48) KAPUTVSEMU (2675)-pozvonochek (2784) Blitz 2021*)*
11.Qxf3 Qxf3 12.gxf3 Bxe3 13.fxe3 Ne7 14.Nd2 Kd7 15.Kf2 g5 16.Rg1 Rhg8 17.Rg2 Rg6 18.Rag1 Rag8 19.Ke2 f5 20.exf5 Nxf5 21.Ne4 d5 22.Rxg5 Rxg5 23.Rxg5 Rf8 24.Nc5+ Kd6 25.d4 exd4 26.cxd4 Nh4 27.f4 Nf5 28.Kd3 Rf6 29.Rxh5 Ne7 30.Re5 Rg6 31.h4 1-0 (31) KAPUTVSEMU (2688)-zvonokchess (2762) Blitz 2021]

8...Bxf3 9.Qxf3

[9.gxf3 b5 10.dxc5 bxa4 11.cxd6 cxd6 12.Qxa4 Nge7 13.Rd1 *(13.Na3 0-0 14.Nc4 Qd7 15.Kh2 Qe6 16.Rd1 Rad8 17.Bg5 f6 18.Be3 f5 19.Bb6 fxe4 20.fxe4 Rf3 21.Bxd8 Rxh3+* 0-1 (21) DJaeggi (2671)-KKlie4 (2798) Blitz 2021*)*
13...0-0 14.Na3 Qd7 15.Nc4 Qxh3 16.Rxd6 Qxf3 17.Rxc6 Nxc6 18.Qxc6 Rae8 19.Nd2 Qg4+ 20.Kf1 Qd1+ 21.Kg2 Re6 0-1 (21) DJaeggi (2671)-KKlie4 (2788) Blitz 2021]

9...exd4 10.Bxc6+ bxc6 11.e5 Ne7 12.Bg5 dxe5 13.Bxe7 Bxe7 14.Qxc6+ Kf8 15.cxd4 exd4 16.Nd2 Rh6 17.Qc4 Rb8 18.Nb3 c5 19.Rfd1 Qd6 20.Rac1 Rg6 21.Nxc5 Qc6 22.g3 Rxb2 23.Qxd4 Rxg3+ 24.Kf1 Qg2+ 0-1 (24) Lunaticxxx (2734)-zvonokchess (2734) Blitz 2021

7...Bxf3 8.Qxf3 Nge7 9.d3 0-0 10.Bd2 f5 11.exf5 Rxf5 12.Qe2 Ng6 13.g3 Qf6 14.Be3 Bxe3 15.Qxe3 Rf8 16.Nd2 Rh5 17.Kg2 Nce7 18.Bb3+ Kh8 19.Rae1 Nf5 20.Qe2 Nfh4+ 21.Kg1 Qg5 22.Ne4 Qf5 23.gxh4 Rxh4 24.f4 Nxf4 25.Rxf4 exf4 26.Qf2 Rxh3 27.Kf1 f3 28.Qg1 Rh6 29.Nf2 Rg6 30.Qh1 Rg2 31.Re3 Qg5 32.Rxf3 Rxf2+ 33.Rxf2 Qc1+ 34.Ke2 Qxh1 35.Rxf8# 1-0 (35) Nahog (2731)-MCanonim (2772) Blitz 2022

[37] **8.d3** Nge7
[8...h6 9.Be3 Ba7 10.Bxa7 Rxa7 11.Nbd2 Nf6 12.Re1 0-0 13.Nf1 Ne7 14.g4 Bg6 15.Ng3 b5 16.Bb3 c5 17.Nh4 Bh7 18.Nhf5 Nxf5 19.Nxf5 Bxf5 20.gxf5 Kh7 21.Qf3 g6 22.Kh1 Nh5 23.a4 bxa4 24.Rxa4 Rb7 25.Bd5 Rxb2 26.Rxa6 Nf4 27.Ra7 Qh4 28.fxg6+ Kxg6 29.Rg1+ Kh7 30.Bxf7 Kh8 31.Rg3 Rd2 32.Bc4 Rd1+ 33.Kh2 Rd2 34.Rag7 Qf6 35.Ra7 Ng6 36.Qxf6+ Rxf6 37.Rg2 Rdxf2 38.Rd7 Rxg2+ 39.Kxg2 Nf4+ 40.Kh2 Rg6 41.Rd8+ Kg7 42.Rd7+ Kf8 43.Rf7+ Ke8 44.Rh7 Rf6 45.Rh8+ Kd7 46.Bb5+ Kc7 47.Rh7+ Kb6 48.Bc4 Ka5 49.Rb7 Ne2 50.Rb3 Rf2+ 51.Kh1 Nf4 52.Rb5+ Ka4 53.Rb6 Ka3 54.Rxd6 Nxh3 55.Rxh6 Nf4 56.Ra6+ Kb2 57.Ra2+ Kxc3 58.Rxf2 Kd4 59.Rxf4 exf4 60.Kg2 Ke5 61.Kf3 Kd4 62.Kxf4 Kc3 63.e5 1-0 (63) sebebsiz02 (2605)-arshia124 (2420) Rapid 2021]
9.Nbd2
[9.Re1 0-0 10.Bd2 Kh8 11.Be3 f5 12.Bxc5 fxe4 13.dxe4 Bxf3 14.gxf3 dxc5 15.Qxd8 Raxd8 16.Bxc6 Nxc6 17.Kg2 Rd6 18.Na3 Rg6+ 19.Kf1 Rxf3 20.Nc4 Rxh3 21.Rad1 Rh1+ 22.Ke2 Rxe1+ 23.Rxe1 b5 24.Ne3 Ne7 25.Kd1 0-1 (25) dr_XXL (2830)-zvonokchess (2831) Blitz 2021]
[9.Be3 0-0 *(9...f6 10.d4 Ba7 11.Nbd2 g5 12.Re1 g4 13.Nh4 b5 14.hxg4 Bf7 15.Bb3 exd4 16.Bxf7+ Kxf7 17.cxd4 Nxd4 18.Nf5 Nexf5 19.gxf5 Qg8 20.Rc1 Rc8 21.Nb3 c5 22.Nxd4 cxd4 23.Rxc8 Qxc8 24.Bxd4 Bxd4 25.Qxd4 Qc5 26.Qd1 h5 27.Qb3+ Kf8 28.Rd1 h4 29.Qe6 h3 30.Qxf6+ Kg8 31.Qg6+ Kf8 32.Qxd6+ Qxd6 33.Rxd6 h2+ 34.Kh1 Ke7 35.Rxa6 1-0 (35) Kamsky,G (2666)-Matinian,N (2425) chess.com INT 2022)* 10.Nbd2 *(10.Bxc5 dxc5 11.Bc2 f5 12.Nbd2 f4 13.Qe1 Ng6 14.Nh2 Nh4 15.f3 Qg5 16.Ng4 Bxg4 17.fxg4 h5 18.Qe2 hxg4 19.Qxg4 Qxg4 20.hxg4 Rad8 21.Nf3 Nxf3+ 22.gxf3 g5 23.Kg2 Ne7 24.Rh1 Kg7 25.Rh5 Kf6 26.Rah1 c4 27.Rd1 cxd3 28.Rxd3 Rxd3 29.Bxd3 Rd8 30.Bc4 Rd2+ 31.Kf1 Ng6 32.Rh7 Nh4 33.Be2 Rxb2 34.Rxc7 Rxa2 35.Rxb7 a5 36.c4 a4 37.c5 Rc2 38.Ra7 Rc3 39.Ra6+ Ke7 40.Kf2 a3 41.Ra7+ Kd8 42.c6 Rxc6 43.Rxa3 Rc2 44.Ra5 Ng6 45.Ra6 Ne7 46.Re6 Rc5 47.Ke1 Ke8 48.Kd2 Kf7 49.Ra6 Nc6 50.Ra4 Nd4 51.Bd1 Rb5 52.Ra6 Rb2+ 53.Ke1 Rb1 54.Kd2 Rb2+ 55.Ke1 Rg2 56.Ra7+ Ke6 57.Ra6+ Ke7 58.Rg6 Ne6 59.Rg8 Rg1+* 0-1 (59) Saltaev (2610)-zvonokchess (2875) Blitz 2021*)* 10...Kh8 11.g4 *(11.Re1 f5 12.exf5 Bxe3 13.fxe3 Bxf3 14.Nxf3 Nxf5 15.e4 Nh4 16.Rf1 Nxf3+ 17.Rxf3 Ne7 18.Qe2 Ng6 19.Raf1 Rxf3 20.Qxf3 Qe7*

21.Qg4 Rf8 22.Rf5 b5 23.Bb3 Nf4 24.d4 Rxf5 25.Qxf5 g6 26.Qg4 Kg7 27.g3 Nh5 28.d5 Nf6 29.Qe2 Nd7 30.Qe3 Nc5 31.Bd1 h5 32.b4 Nd7 33.a4 bxa4 34.Bxa4 Nb6 35.Bb3 Qf6 36.Kg2 g5 37.Bd1 h4 38.Be2 Na4 39.Bxa6 hxg3 40.Qxg3 Qf4 41.Qxf4 gxf4 42.c4 Nb2 43.c5 Nd1 44.cxd6 cxd6 45.b5 Ne3+ 46.Kf3 Nc4 47.Bc8 Nb6 48.h4 Kf6 49.Kg4 Nxc8 50.h5 Nb6 51.Kf3 Kg5 52.Kf2 Kxh5 53.Kg2 Kg4 54.Kf2 f3 55.Ke3 Kg3 56.Kd2 Kf4 57.Kc3 Kxe4 58.Kb4 Nxd5+ 59.Ka5 f2 60.b6 f1Q 61.b7 Qa1+ 62.Kb5 Qb1+ 63.Kc6 Ne7+ 64.Kc7 Qxb7+ 65.Kxb7 d5 66.Kc7 d4 67.Kd6 d3 68.Kxe7 d2 69.Ke6 d1Q 70.Kf6 ½-½ (70) chess-art-us (2735)-Gannikus21 (2598) Blitz 2025 *)* 11...Bg6 12.d4 Ba7 13.Qe2 f6 14.Bxc6 Nxc6 15.d5 Bxe3 16.Qxe3 Ne7 17.c4 c6 18.b4 b5 19.dxc6 bxc4 20.Nxc4 d5 21.exd5 Nxd5 22.Qc5 Nf4 23.Rfd1 Qc8 24.Kh2 Rb8 25.Rd7 Rb5 26.Qd6 Rd5 27.Qe7 Rf7 28.Rc7 Qg8 29.Nb6 Rxe7 30.Rxe7 Rd6 31.c7 Rxb6 32.Rd1 Bd3 33.Rd7 Rc6 34.Ne1 Rxc7 35.Rxc7 Bg6 36.Rdc1 h6 37.Rc8 Be8 38.R1c7 Qxa2 39.Rxe8+ Kh7 40.Rc2 Qd5 41.Rec8 Qe4 42.R8c3 Qxe1 43.Kg3 Ne2+ 44.Kf3 Nxc3 45.Re2 Qxe2+ 0-1 (45) IsolatedMushroom (2769)-pozvonochek (2856) Blitz 2025]

[9.Bb3 0-0 10.Nbd2 Ba7 11.g4 Bg6 12.Nh4 Kh8 13.Ndf3 f6 14.Nxg6+ Nxg6 15.d4 Qd7 16.Be3 a5 17.Bc2 exd4 18.cxd4 d5 19.Re1 Rae8 20.exd5 Qxd5 21.Rc1 Bb6 22.Bd3 Qxa2 23.h4 Qd5 24.Bf1 Qd7 25.Bh3 Qd6 26.Qd2 Re4 27.Qc2 Qd5 28.Nd2 Re7 29.Qf5 Qxf5 30.gxf5 Nxh4 31.d5 Ne5 32.Bxb6 Nef3+ 33.Nxf3 Nxf3+ 34.Kh1 Rxe1+ 35.Rxe1 Nxe1 36.Bxc7 Nd3 37.Bg2 Re8 38.d6 Re1+ 39.Kh2 Ne5 40.Bxa5 Rd1 41.Bxb7 Nc4 42.Bb4 Nxd6 43.Bf3 Rd3 44.Be2 Rd5 45.Bf3 Rxf5 46.Kg2 Rg5+ 47.Kh1 Nf7 48.Be2 Re5 49.Ba6 Rd5 50.Bc3 Nd6 51.Kg2 h5 52.Be2 Nb5 53.Bb4 g6 54.Bf3 Rd3 55.Be7 Kg7 56.b4 Nd4 57.Bd5 g5 58.Bc4 Rc3 59.Ba6 Ne6 60.Bf1 h4 61.Bd6 Rc1 62.Be2 Rc6 63.Bh2 Nd4 64.Bg4 Rb6 65.Bh3 Rxb4 66.Bd6 Rb5 67.Kh1 f5 68.Bg2 Kg6 69.Ba8 Rb3 70.Bc5 Rd3 71.Bb7 g4 72.Ba7 Nf3 73.Bxf3 Rxf3 74.Bc5 g3 75.Kg2 Rxf2+ 76.Bxf2 gxf2 77.Kxf2 h3 78.Kg3 Kg5 79.Kxh3 Kf4 80.Kg2 Ke3 81.Kg1 Ke2 82.Kh2 f4 83.Kh3 Ke3 84.Kh4 f3 85.Kg5 Kd4 86.Kf5 f2 87.Ke6 f1Q 88.Ke7 Kd5 89.Ke8 Kd6 90.Kd8 Qf8# 0-1 (90) Weiawaga (2685)-expositor (2735) Blitz 2024]

9...0-0 Vorgänger: 10.Re1

[10.g4 'N' Bg6 11.Re1 *(11.Nh4 Kh8 12.Ndf3 d5 13.Qe2 f6 14.Nxg6+ Nxg6 15.Bd2 Qd6 16.Rad1 b5 17.Bb3 d4 18.Bd5 Rad8 19.Bxc6 Qxc6 20.cxd4 Bxd4 21.Rc1 Qe6 22.Nxd4 Rxd4 23.Be3 Rd7 24.a3 Rfd8 25.Rc3 h6 26.Rfc1 c5 27.Kh2 b4 28.Rxc5 bxa3 29.bxa3 Rxd3 30.R1c3 Rxc3 31.Rxc3 Rc8 32.Rxc8+ Qxc8 33.Kg3 Qc6 34.Qd3 Kh7 35.h4 Ne7 36.h5 Qa4 37.Bc5 Nc6 38.Qd5 Nd4 39.Bxd4 exd4 40.Qf5+ Kh8 41.Qc8+ Kh7 42.Qf5+ Kh8* ½-½ (42) Ernst,H (2759)-4.e4 ♙b4 5.f3 f5 6.exf5 exf (2519) Aix les Bains 2022 CBM 72 ext [John Watson]*; 11.Kg2 f6 12.Bb3+ Bf7 13.Re1 d5 14.Qe2 Qd7 15.Nf1*

Rad8 16.Ng3 Ng6 17.Be3 d4 18.Bxf7+ Rxf7 19.cxd4 Nxd4 20.Nxd4 Bxd4 21.Rad1 Qb5 22.Nf5 Bxe3 23.fxe3 Rfd7 24.d4 Qxe2+ 25.Rxe2 exd4 26.Rxd4 Rxd4 27.Nxd4 Kf7 28.Rc2 c6 29.Rc3 Ne5 30.Kg3 Rd7 31.a4 a5 32.Kf2 c5 33.Nf5 b6 34.Ke2 g6 35.Ng3 Ke6 36.Rb3 Nc4 37.Ke1 Rd6 38.Rb5 Nxe3 39.Kf2 Nc2 40.Rb3 Nb4 41.Ke2 Ke5 42.Nf1 Kxe4 43.Rf3 Ke5 44.Ne3 Rd4 45.b3 Ke6 46.Nc4 Nd5 47.Kf2 f5 48.gxf5+ gxf5 49.Rg3 f4 50.Rg8 Rd3 51.Re8+ Kf7 52.Rd8 Ke7 53.Rd6 Nb4 54.Rxb6 Rxb3 55.Rh6 Rc3 56.Nxa5 Ra3 57.Nc4 Rxa4 58.Rxh7+ Ke6 59.Nd2 Ra2 60.Ke2 Nd5 61.Kd3 Ra3+ 62.Kc4 Rc3+ 63.Kb5 Rd3 64.Nc4 f3 65.Rh8 Rd1 66.Re8+ Kf7 67.Re5 Nf6 68.Rf5 Rd3 69.Ne5+ Ke6 70.Rxf3 Rxf3 71.Nxf3 Kf5 72.Kxc5 Kf4 73.Nd4 Kg3 74.Kd6 Kxh3 ½-½ (74) Pranav,V (2611)-Parpiev,I (2285) chess.com INT 2024*)* 11...f6 12.Nf1 Bf7 13.Ng3 d5 14.Bb3 b5 15.Kg2 a5 16.a4 b4 17.Qe2 bxc3 18.bxc3 Rb8 19.Ba2 d4 20.Bxf7+ Rxf7 21.Bd2 Rb3 22.c4 Rf8 23.Reb1 Rxb1 24.Rxb1 Bb4 25.Bc1 Qd7 26.Nh4 Nd8 27.Qd1 Ne6 28.Nhf5 Ng6 29.Nh5 Ngf4+ 30.Nxf4 exf4 31.Bd2 c5 32.Bc1 g6 33.Nh4 Qc6 34.Kg1 Ng5 35.Kh2 Qc7 36.Nf3 Nf7 37.Kg2 Re8 38.Qh1 Kg7 39.Qh2 g5 40.h4 Qd7 41.Qh3 h5 42.Nh2 f3+ 43.Qxf3 Ne5 44.Qe2 gxh4 45.gxh5 Kh7 46.Kh1 Rg8 47.Bf4 Qh3 48.Rg1 Qxd3 49.Qf1 Qxe4+ 50.f3 Qxf4 51.Rxg8 Kxg8 52.Qg2+ Qg3 53.Qf1 d3 54.h6 Kh7 55.f4 d2 56.fxe5 Qe1 57.exf6 d1Q 58.f7 Qxf1+ 59.Nxf1 Qxf1+ 60.Kh2 Be1 61.f8Q Bg3# 0-1 (61) talk_about_practice (2813)-ikica77 (2756) Blitz 2024]

[10.b4 Ba7 11.Bb3 Kh8 12.a4 Bg6 13.b5 Na5 14.Bc2 f5 15.Re1 Bb6 16.d4 exd4 17.Nxd4 Bxd4 18.cxd4 fxe4 19.Nxe4 Nd5 20.Ra3 Nc4 21.Rg3 axb5 22.axb5 Qh4 23.Bd3 Ndb6 24.Qc2 d5 25.Ng5 Bxd3 26.Qxd3 Qh5 27.Ne6 Rf7 28.Rg5 Qh4 29.Rf5 Rxf5 30.Qxf5 Qf6 31.Qxf6 gxf6 32.Nxc7 Rc8 33.Ne6 Na4 34.Nf4 Nc3 35.Re7 Nxb5 36.Nxd5 Rf8 37.Bh6 Kg8 38.Rg7+ Kh8 39.Rxb7 Ncd6 40.Rd7 Kg8 41.Bxf8 Kxf8 1-0 (41) TabletopWarrior (2669)-zvonokchess (2869) Blitz 2023]

10...Kh8

[10...b5 11.Bb3 Na5 *(11...Kh8 12.g4 Bg6 13.Nf1 Qd7 14.Ng3 Na5 15.Bc2 Nac6 16.d4 exd4 17.cxd4 Bb6 18.Be3 Rad8 19.Rc1 f6 20.d5 Ne5 21.Bxb6 cxb6 22.Nd4 Bf7 23.b3 Rc8 24.Qd2 Rc7 25.f4 N5g6 26.Bb1 Rfc8 27.Ngf5 Nxf5 28.gxf5 Ne7 29.Ne6 Rxc1 30.Rxc1 g6 31.Rxc8+ Qxc8 32.Qb2 Ng8 33.Nd4 Qc5 34.Kh2 Kg7 35.Bd3 Ne7 36.b4 Qc7 37.fxg6 hxg6 38.Qc2 Qxc2+ 39.Bxc2 f5 40.exf5 Nxd5 41.fxg6 Bxg6 42.f5 Bf7 43.a3 Ne3 44.Be4 d5 45.Bd3 Kf6 46.Kg3 Ke5 47.Nf3+ Kf6 48.Kf4 Ng2+ 49.Kg3 Ne3 50.Nd4 Nc4 51.Bxc4 bxc4 52.Kf4 Bh5 53.a4 Bd1 54.a5 bxa5 55.bxa5 c3 56.Ke3 Ke5 57.Kd3 c2 58.Nxc2 Kxf5 59.Ne3+ Kf4 60.Nxd1 Kg3 61.Kd4 Kxh3 62.Kxd5 Kg4 63.Kc6 Kf3 64.Kb6 Ke2 65.Kxa6 Kxd1 66.Kb7 Kd2 67.a6 Kc3 68.a7 Kb4 69.a8Q Kc5 70.Qa4 Kd6 71.Qb5* 1-0 (71) roberat18 (2632)-pele1397

(2461) Rapid 2021*)* 12.Bc2 Bb6 13.Nf1 f5 14.N1h2 f4 15.d4 Ng6 16.a4 1-0 (53) Grishin,P (1733)-Kalinin,S (2197) Alushta 2022]

11.g4

[11.Nf1 f5 12.Ng3 *(12.Be3 Bxe3 13.Rxe3 f4 14.Re1 Ng6 15.N1h2 Nh4 16.Qe2 Rf6 17.Kh1 Rg6 18.Rg1 Qf6 19.Rad1 Rf8 20.d4 exd4 21.Bxc6 bxc6 22.cxd4 Rh6 23.e5 Qe6 24.b3 d5 25.Qd3 Bg6 26.Qc3 Nxf3 27.Qxf3 Be4 28.Qg4 Qxg4 29.hxg4 f3 30.g3 g5 31.Rc1 Rg8 32.Rge1 Rgg6 33.Kg1 Rh3 34.e6 Kg8 35.e7 Kf7 36.e8Q+ Kxe8 37.Nxf3 Rgh6 38.Rc3* 0-1 (38) wateenellende (2706)-zvonokchess (2843) Blitz 2022*; 12.exf5 Nxf5 13.N1h2 Nh4 14.Bxc6 bxc6 15.g4 Rxf3 16.Nxf3 Qf6 17.Nxh4 Bxf2+ 18.Kg2 Qxh4 19.Qf3 Bxe1 20.gxh5 Qe7 21.Be3 Rf8 22.Qxc6 Qh4 23.Qe4 Qg3+* 0-1 (23) CasanovaSalaMarc (2703)-zvonokchess (2819) Blitz 2022*)* 12...Bxf3 13.gxf3 f4 14.Ne2 Ng6 15.d4 Ba7 16.Kh1 Qh4 17.Kg2 Qh5 18.Ng1 Nh4+ 19.Kh1 Qg5 0-1 (19) ThunderWarrior (2784)-KKlie4 (2840) Blitz 2023]

11...Bg6 12.Nf1 f6 13.Ng3 d5

[13...b5 14.Bc2 d5 15.b4 Bb6 16.a4 d4 17.axb5 axb5 18.Bb2 Rxa1 19.Bxa1 Qd6 20.Nf5 Bxf5 21.gxf5 dxc3 22.Bxc3 Nxb4 23.Bb1 Qc5 24.Qd2 Nbc6 25.Ba2 Rd8 26.Kh1 Qxf2 27.Qxf2 Bxf2 28.Rd1 b4 29.Bb2 Nd4 30.Kg2 Be3 31.Bxd4 Bxd4 32.Bc4 g6 33.fxg6 Nxg6 34.Kh2 Bc3 35.Rg1 Nf4 36.Nh4 Bd4 37.Rg4 h5 38.Ng6+ Kh7 39.Rg3 Nxg6 40.Rf3 Nf4 41.Rg3 Rb8 42.Rf3 b3 43.Rf1 b2 44.Rb1 Rb4 45.Rh1 Be3 0-1 (45) TimeTrave1 (2826)-zvonokchess (2850) Blitz 2023]

[13...Ba7 14.Nf5 Nxf5 15.exf5 Bf7 16.d4 Bd5 17.Bb3 Bxf3 18.Qxf3 exd4 19.Bd5 Ne5 20.Qd1 dxc3 21.bxc3 c6 22.Bg2 d5 23.Bf4 Re8 24.Kf1 Qa5 25.Qb3 Nd3 26.Rxe8+ Rxe8 27.Bg3 h6 28.Rd1 Nc5 29.Qc2 Qb5+ 30.Kg1 Ne4 31.c4 Qc5 32.Bxe4 Rxe4 33.Qb3 Qxc4 34.Qxb7 Qe2 35.Rf1 Bd4 36.Qxc6 Qf3 37.Kh2 Re2 38.Qxa6 Bxf2 39.Rxf2 Rxf2+ 40.Bxf2 Qxf2+ 41.Kh1 d4 42.Qc8+ Kh7 43.Qe8 Qxa2 44.Qg6+ Kh8 45.Qe8+ Qg8 46.Qd7 Qa8+ 47.Kg1 Qe4 48.Qa4 Qe3+ 49.Kg2 d3 50.Qd1 h5 51.Qf3 Qxf3+ 52.Kxf3 hxg4+ 53.hxg4 Kh7 54.Ke3 Kh6 55.Kxd3 Kg5 56.Ke3 Kxg4 57.Ke4 Kg5 58.Ke3 Kxf5 59.Kf3 g5 60.Kf2 Kg6 61.Kg2 f5 62.Kf2 Kf6 63.Kg2 Ke5 64.Kf2 f4 65.Kg2 Kf5 66.Kf2 g4 67.Ke2 Ke4 68.Kf2 Ke5 69.Kg2 Kf5 70.Kf2 Kg5 71.Kg2 Kh4 72.Kf2 f3 73.Kg1 Kg3 74.Kh1 Kf2 75.Kh2 g3+ 76.Kh3 g2 77.Kg4 g1Q+ 78.Kf4 Qg2 79.Kf5 Kg1 80.Ke5 f2 81.Ke6 f1Q 82.Kd6 Qge2 0-1 (82) Yiyi1984 (2743)-KKlie4 (2833) Blitz 2023]

14.Bc2

[14.Qe2 b5

A) 15.Bc2 d4 16.Kg2 *(16.h4 Bf7 17.h5 Be6 18.Nf5 Nxf5 19.gxf5 Bf7 20.h6 gxh6 21.Bxh6 Rg8+ 22.Kh2 Bf8 23.Qd2 Bh5 24.Nh4 Qe8 25.Rg1 Bg4 26.Ng6+ hxg6 27.Rxg4 g5 28.Bxf8 Rxf8 29.Rh1 Kg7 30.Rxg5+ fxg5 31.Qxg5+ Kf7 32.Bb3+* 1-0 (32) Avenger82 (2680)-Jero_el_siniestro (2565) Blitz 2021 *)* 16...dxc3 17.bxc3 b4

18.Bb2 Rb8 19.Rad1 bxc3 20.Bxc3 Nd4 21.Nxd4 Bxd4 22.Qd2 Bf7 23.Ne2 Bxc3 24.Qxc3 c5 25.Bb3 Bxb3 26.axb3 Qb6 27.Ra1 Qxb3 28.Rxa6 Ng6 29.Qxb3 Rxb3 30.Rd6 c4 31.Rd1 Rb2 32.Kf1 cxd3 33.R1xd3 h6 34.Rd7 Rc8 35.Rd2 Rcc2 36.Rxc2 Rxc2 37.f3 Kg8 38.Ng3 Nf4 39.Nf5 g6 40.Nxh6+ Kh8 41.h4 Rh2 42.g5 Rh1+ 43.Kf2 Rh2+ 44.Kg1 Rg2+ 45.Kf1 fxg5 46.hxg5 Rg3 47.Nf7+ Kg8 48.Nxe5 Rxg5 49.Ng4 Ne6 50.Kf2 Ra5 51.Re7 Nf4 52.Kg3 Nh5+ 53.Kh4 Kf8 54.Rb7 Nf4 55.Kg3 Nh5+ 56.Kf2 Nf4 57.Ke3 Ne6 58.Nf6 Ra3+ 59.Kf2 Nd4 60.Nh7+ Kg8 61.Ng5 Ra5 62.f4 Ra3 63.e5 Nf5 64.e6 Ra2+ 65.Kf3 Ra3+ 66.Ke4 Re3+ 67.Kd5 Re1 68.Rb8+ Kg7 69.Rb7+ Kf8 70.Rb8+ Ke7 71.Rb7+ Ke8 72.Rb8+ Ke7 73.Rb7+ Ke8 74.Rb8+ Ke7 ½-½ (74) Mr_Tony_Stark (2713)-KKlie4 (2859) Blitz 2023;

B) 15.Bb3 d4 16.Kg2 a5 17.a4 dxc3 18.bxc3 b4 19.Bb2 Rb8 20.Bc4 bxc3 21.Bxc3 Nd4 22.Nxd4 Bxd4 23.Bxd4 Qxd4 24.Rab1 Rb4 25.Rxb4 axb4 26.a5 Nc6 27.Qa2 Qc3 28.Rb1 Nd4 29.a6 b3 30.Qa3 Ra8 31.a7 Nc6 32.Qc5 Nxa7 33.Rxb3 Qd4 34.Qxc7 h6 35.Rb7 1-0 (35) abrakadabra02 (2764)-KKlie4 (2880) Blitz 2023]

14...Qd7 15.Nf5 Rad8 16.Qe2 Bf7 17.h4 Nxf5 18.exf5 Rfe8 19.Be3 d4 20.Bd2 e4 21.Nh2 dxc3 22.Bxc3 exd3 0-1 (22) InFighter (2856)-pozvonochek (2857) Blitz 2023

8.Re1 Nge7 9.d4 Bxf3 10.Qxf3 exd4 11.Qd1 0-0 12.cxd4 Bxd4 13.Nc3 b5 14.Bb3 Bxc3 15.bxc3 Na5 16.Bc2 Nc4 17.a4 Ng6 18.Bd3 Qf6 19.Qb3 Nce5 20.Bf1 c6 21.Ra2 Nf4 22.Qd1 Rad8 23.g3 Ne6 24.f4 Nc4 25.axb5 axb5 26.Qd3 Nc5 27.Qf3 Rfe8 28.Bg2 h6 29.Rae2 Nb3 30.e5 dxe5 31.Qxc6 Nxc1 32.Rxc1 Nd6 33.Rce1 e4 34.Kh2 Rc8 35.Qd5 Rxc3 36.Bxe4 Nxe4 37.Rxe4 Rc2+ 38.Kh1 Rxe4 39.Rxe4 Qa1+ 0-1 (39) Nevaljahka (2853)-zvonokchess (2872) Blitz 2023

8.g4 Bg6 9.d4 b5

[9...Ba7 10.dxe5 h5 11.Bg5 f6 12.exd6 Qd7 13.Nh4 Bf7 14.Bc1 hxg4 15.Nf5 g6 16.Nd4 Rxh3 17.Bf4 cxd6 18.Bxc6 bxc6 19.Re1 Kf8 20.Nd2 Kg7 21.Nf1 Ne7 22.b4 Rah8 23.Ne3 Rh1+ 24.Kg2 Rxe1 25.Qxe1 Bxd4 26.cxd4 g5 27.Bg3 Qe6 28.Nf1 f5 29.d5 Nxd5 30.Kg1 Nf4 31.Bxf4 gxf4 32.Qc3+ Qe5 33.Rc1 fxe4 34.Qxe5+ dxe5 35.Rxc6 Rd8 36.Rxa6 Rd1 37.Rc6 e3 38.fxe3 fxe3 39.Rc2 Bc4 40.Rg2 Rxf1+ 41.Kh2 Bd5 42.Re2 Rf2+ 43.Kg1 Rxe2 44.a4 Bf3 45.a5 Re1+ 46.Kh2 Rh1+ 47.Kg3 Rh3# 0-1 (47) weiawaga (2660)-expositor (2764) Rapid 2024]

10.Bc2

[10.Bb3 Bb6 11.Bg5 Nge7 12.Bd5 f6 13.Be3 Nxd5 14.exd5 Ne7 15.dxe5 dxe5 16.Bxb6 cxb6 17.d6 Nc8 18.Qd5 Nxd6 19.Rd1 Be4 20.Qe6+ Qe7 21.Rxd6 Bxf3 22.Nd2 Qxe6 23.Rxe6+ Kd7 24.Rxb6 Bc6 25.a4 Kc7 26.a5 h5 27.g5 Rhb8 28.Rxb8 Rxb8 29.Re1 b4 30.c4 Rd8 31.Nb3 Rd3 32.Nc5 Rxh3 33.Nxa6+ Kc8 34.f3 Bxf3 35.Kf2 e4

36.Nxb4 f5 37.Ke3 h4 38.a6 Rh1 39.Rxh1 Bxh1 40.c5 h3 41.c6 Kb8 42.Nd5 f4+ 43.Nxf4 h2 44.Nh5 Bf3 45.Ng3 h1Q 46.Nxh1 Bxh1 47.b4 Bg2 48.b5 Bf1 49.b6 Bxa6 50.Kxe4 Bb5 51.Kd5 g6 52.Kd6 Ba4 53.Kd7 Bb5 54.Kd6 Ba4 55.Kc5 Bd1 56.Kd5 Bb3+ 57.Kd6 Ba4 ½-½ (57) Lav_eli_mi_kri1920 (2719)-zvonokchess (2868) Blitz 2023]

10...Bb6 11.Bg5 Nge7 12.a4 f6 13.Be3 h5 14.g5 f5 15.exf5 Bxf5 16.Bxf5 Nxf5 17.axb5 axb5 18.Rxa8 Qxa8 19.Qb3 Ncxd4 20.Nxd4 exd4 21.Qe6+ Kd8 22.Qxf5 dxe3 23.fxe3 Re8 24.Kh2 Rxe3 25.Rf2 Qe4 26.Qxe4 Rxe4 27.Rg2 Be3 28.Nd2 Bf4+ 29.Kg1 Re1+ 30.Nf1 Be3+ 31.Rf2 Rb1 32.b4 Bxf2+ 33.Kxf2 Rb3 34.Ne3 Rxc3 35.Nf5 g6 36.Nh4 Rxh3 37.Nxg6 Ke8 38.Nf4 Rh4 39.Kf3 Rxf4+ 40.Kxf4 Kf7 41.Kf5 c5 42.bxc5 dxc5 43.Ke4 Kg6 0-1 (43) gangstyles (2730)-zvonokchess (2829) Blitz 2022

8.b4 Ba7 9.b5 axb5 10.Bxb5 Nge7 11.d3 0-0 12.Be3 f5 13.Bxc6 bxc6 14.Bxa7 fxe4 15.dxe4 Bxf3 16.Qb3+ Kh8 17.Be3 Bxe4 18.Nd2 Bd5 19.c4 Be6 20.a4 c5 21.a5 Nc6 22.Qb5 Qd7 23.a6 Rfb8 24.Qa4 Nb4 25.Rfb1 Rb6 26.a7 Rb7 27.Kh2 h6 28.Rb3 Kh7 29.h4 Qe7 30.g3 Bd7 31.Qa5 Nc6 32.Rxb7 Nxa5 33.Rxa5 Bc6 34.Rb8 Qe6 35.Ra6 Qd7 36.h5 d5 37.Nf3 Qf5 38.Rxc6 Rxa7 39.Nh4 Qxh5 40.cxd5 Ra1 41.Rxc7 Qd1 42.Rxg7+ Kxg7 43.Rb7+ Kg8 44.Rb8+ Kf7 45.Rb7+ Ke8 46.Kh3 h5 47.Nf3 Qxf3 48.Rb8+ Kd7 49.Rb7+ Kc8 50.Rb1 Rxb1 51.Bc1 Rxc1 52.Kh4 Qg4# 0-1 (52) Tulachessroom (2625)-ChessClubFenix (2630) Blitz 2023

[38] **8...Bxf3** 9.Qxf3

[9.gxf3 b5 10.dxc5 *(10.Bb3 exd4 11.Bd5 Nge7 12.cxd4 Bxd4 13.Bg5 f6 14.Be3 Bxe3 15.fxe3 Qd7 16.Kh2 Nxd5 17.Qxd5 Rc8 18.Rg1 Ne5 19.Nd2 Qf7 20.Qb7 0-0 21.Qxa6 c6 22.Qa3 d5 23.f4 Nc4 24.Nxc4 bxc4 25.Rg2 dxe4 26.Rag1 g6 27.f5 g5 28.Qc3 h6 29.Rc1 Kg7 30.Qxc4 Qc7+ 31.Kh1 Qe5 32.Rd1 Qxf5 33.Kh2 Rfd8 34.Rgd2 Rd5 35.a4 Rcd8 36.Rxd5 cxd5 37.Qc7+ Rd7 38.Qg3 Rb7 39.Rd2 Kg6 40.a5 Rb5 41.a6 Ra5 42.Qd6 Qe5+ 43.Qxe5 fxe5 44.Kg3 Kf5 45.b4 Rxa6 46.Rxd5 Ra3 47.Kf2 Ra2+ 48.Kf1 Rb2 49.Rb5 h5 50.Rb8 g4 51.hxg4+ Kxg4 52.Rg8+ Kf3 53.Rg5 Rb1#* 0-1 (53) nickVet (2681)-pozvonochek (2743) Blitz 2024*)*

10...bxa4 11.Qxa4 Nge7 12.Rd1 0-0 13.Be3 Qd7 14.Kh2 f5 15.cxd6 cxd6 16.Bc5 fxe4 17.Rxd6 Qb7 18.Qb3+ Qxb3 19.axb3 Rxf3 20.Nd2 Rf4 21.Rd7 Nf5 22.Re1 Ncd4 23.Bxd4 Nxd4 24.Kg1 Ne6 25.Nxe4 Rxe4 26.Rxe4 Nc5 27.Rxg7+ Kxg7 28.Rxe5 Nxb3 29.Re7+ Kg6 30.Kg2 Nc5 31.b4 Na4 32.c4 Rb8 33.Re6+ Kg5 34.Rxa6 Rxb4 35.Rc6 h5 36.Kf3 Rb3+ 37.Kg2 Nb2 38.c5 Nd3 39.Rd6 Nf4+ 40.Kg1 Nxh3+ 41.Kh2 Nf4 42.c6 Rh3+ 43.Kg1 Rc3 44.Kh2 Kg4 0-1 (44) chargemax23 (2691)-zvonokchess (2843) Blitz 2023]

9...exd4 10.Rd1

[10.Bxc6+ bxc6 11.e5 Ne7 12.Rd1 dxe5 13.Qg3 Qd6 14.b4 Ba7 15.Na3 0-0 16.Nc4 Qe6 17.Nxe5 Nf5 18.Qf4 dxc3 19.g4 Nh4 20.Nd3 Qe2 21.Be3 c2 0-1 (21) vistagausta (2860)-pozvonochek (2756) Blitz

2024]
[10.cxd4 Bxd4 11.e5 *(11.Bxc6+ bxc6 12.e5 Ne7 13.exd6 cxd6 14.Nc3 0-0 15.Rd1 c5 16.Be3 Bxe3 17.Qxe3 Nf5 18.Qf4 Nd4 19.Rd2 Re8 20.Ne4 d5 21.Nc3 Re6 22.Rad1 Qd7 23.b4 cxb4 24.Qxd4 bxc3 25.Qxc3 Rd6 26.Rd4 Rd8 27.Qf3 h6 28.h4 Qe6 29.g3 Qe5 30.Kg2 h5 31.R1d2 g6 32.Qb3 Kg7 33.Qf3 Rf6 34.Qb3 Rf5 35.Qb6 Rd6 36.Qc5 Rdf6 37.Qxd5 Qe1* 0-1 (37) Poirot_Hercule (2749)-pozvonochek (2796) Blitz 2024*; 11.Be3 Bxe3 12.Qxe3 Nge7 13.Nc3 0-0 14.Rad1 Ng6 15.f4 b5 16.Bb3 Na5 17.f5 Ne5 18.f6 Nxb3 19.Qg5 Ng6 20.axb3 c6 21.e5 Qb6+ 22.Kh2 dxe5 23.Ne4 Rad8 24.fxg7 Kxg7 25.Nf6 e4 26.Nh5+ Kg8 27.Qf6 Qb8+ 28.Kh1 Qe5 29.Rxd8 Qxf6 30.Nxf6+* 1-0 (30) fasak007 (2660)-zvonokchess (2839) Blitz 2021 *)* 11...Nge7 12.exd6 Qxd6 13.Nc3 0-0 14.Bf4 Qf6 15.Ne4 Qg6 16.Bxc7 Bxb2 17.Rab1 Be5 18.Rxb7 Nd5 *(18...Nd4 19.Qd3 Nec6 20.Nc5 Qxd3 21.Nxd3 Bxc7 22.Rxc7 Rfc8 23.Rxc8+ Rxc8 24.Re1 Kf8 25.Nc5 Nb4 26.Nd7+ Kg8 27.Re4 Nbc6 28.Nc5 a5 29.Nb7 g6 30.Nxa5 Nxa5 31.Rxd4 Rc3 32.Rd5 Nb7 33.Bb3 Nc5 34.Bd1 Nd3 35.Kf1 Nb4 36.Rd2 Rc1 37.Ke2 Na6 38.Bb3 Nc5 39.Ke3 Rc3+ 40.Kd4 Rxb3 41.Kxc5 Ra3 42.Kb4 Ra8 43.a4 Kf8 44.a5 Ke7 45.Rc2 Kd7 46.Kb5 Rb8+ 47.Ka4 Ra8 48.Rb2 Kc7 49.Rb6 Rd8 50.Rf6 Rd7 51.a6 Kb8 52.Kb5 Ka7 53.Kc6 Re7 54.Kd6 Re2 55.Rxf7+ Kxa6 56.Rxh7 Rxf2 57.g4 Kb6 58.Ke5 Kc5 59.Rg7 Rf3 60.Rxg6 Rxh3 61.g5 Re3+ 62.Kf6 Kd6 63.Kg7+ Ke7 64.Rf6 Rg3 65.g6 Rg4 66.Rf7+ Ke6 67.Rf6+ Ke7 68.Rf7+ Ke8 69.Kf6 Rf4+ 70.Kg7 Rg4 71.Rf8+ Ke7 72.Rf7+* ½-½ (72) satlan (2742)-KKlie4 (2787) Blitz 2023*)* 19.Bd6 Nd4 20.Qg4 Bxd6 21.Qxg6 hxg6 22.Nxd6 Rad8 23.Ne4 Nf4 24.g3 Nf3+ 25.Kh1 Rd4 26.Bc6 Ne5 27.gxf4 Nxc6 28.Re1 Nb4 29.Kg2 Nd3 30.Re3 Nxf4+ 31.Kf3 Ne6 32.Ra7 Ra4 33.Nd6 Rd8 34.Nxf7 Rf4+ 35.Kg3 Rxf7 36.Rxa6 Nf4 37.Ra4 Rdf8 0-1 (37) hansi_flick (2810)-pozvonochek (2798) Blitz 2025]
[10.e5 Nge7
A) 11.Bg5 0-0 12.Bxc6 bxc6 13.exd6 Qxd6 14.cxd4 *(14.Nd2 Qd5 15.Bxe7 Bxe7 16.Qxd5 cxd5 17.cxd4 Bf6 18.Nf3 Rfb8 19.b3 c5 20.Rad1 c4 21.bxc4 dxc4 22.Rc1 Rb2 23.Rxc4 Rxa2 24.d5 a5 25.Rd1 Rd8 26.d6 Kf8 27.d7 Ra1 28.Rxa1 Bxa1 29.Nd2 Rxd7 30.Nb3 Be5 31.f4 Bc7 32.Kf2 Bb6+ 33.Ke2 Ra7 34.Ra4 Re7+ 35.Kd2 g6 36.Ra3 Re3 37.Kc2 Rg3 38.Ra4 Rxg2+ 39.Kd1 Rf2 40.Nxa5 Bxa5 41.Rxa5 Rxf4 42.Ke2 Rf5 43.Ra7 Kg7 44.Ke3 h5 45.Ra4 g5 46.Ke2 f6 47.Ra8 Kg6 48.Rg8+ Kh7 49.Rf8 Rf4 50.Re8 Kg7 51.Re7+ Kg6 52.Re8 Rh4 53.Re3 Kf5 54.Kf3 Kg6 55.Kg2 f5 56.Re6+ Kf7 57.Ra6 g4 58.Ra7+ Kf6 59.hxg4 hxg4 60.Ra8 Kg5 61.Rg8+ Kf4 62.Ra8 Rh6 63.Ra4+ Kg5 64.Ra8 Re6 65.Kg3 Re3+ 66.Kf2 Rf3+ 67.Kg2 Rc3 68.Rg8+ Kf4 69.Ra8 Rc2+ 70.Kg1 Kg5 71.Ra5 Kh4 72.Rxf5 Kg3 73.Kf1 Rh2 74.Rf6 Rh3*

75.Ke2 Kh4 76.Rh6+ Kg3 77.Re6 Kh2 78.Kf1 g3 79.Re2+ Kh1 80.Rg2 Rh2 81.Rg1# 1-0 (81) javoue06 (2743)-KKlie4 (2859) Blitz 2022 *)* 14...Bxd4 15.Nc3 Nd5 16.Ne4 Qg6 17.h4 h6 18.Bd2 Bxb2 19.Rab1 Bd4 20.Rbc1 Rae8 21.Rfe1 Re6 22.h5 Qh7 23.Ng3 Rf6 0-1 (23) Batko2003 (2747)-zvonokchess (2836) Blitz 2021;

B) 11.b4 Ba7 12.exd6 Qxd6 13.Bf4 Qf6 14.Bxc6+ Qxc6 15.Qxc6+ Nxc6 16.Re1+ Kd7 17.a3 Rae8 18.Rd1 Kc8 19.c4 Re2 20.Nd2 d3 21.c5 b6 22.Rac1 bxc5 23.bxc5 Nd4 24.Be3 Nc2 25.Nc4 Nxe3 26.Nxe3 d2 27.Rc2 Re1+ 28.Kh2 Rxd1 29.Nxd1 Rd8 30.Kg1 Rd5 31.c6 Bc5 32.Ra2 Bb6 33.Kf1 Ba5 34.Ke2 Rc5 35.Rb2 Rxc6 36.Rb3 Re6+ 37.Kd3 Kd7 38.Kc2 Rc6+ 39.Kd3 f5 40.Ke2 Re6+ 41.Kd3 g6 42.Kc2 Rc6+ 43.Kd3 Rc5 44.Ke2 Re5+ 45.Kd3 c5 46.Rb7+ Kc6 47.Rxh7 c4+ 48.Kc2 c3 49.Rh6 Re6 50.h4 Rd6 51.h5 gxh5 52.Rxh5 Rd5 53.Rh6+ Kb5 54.Rh4 Rc5 55.Rf4 Bc7 56.Rf3 Ba5 57.Rf4 Kc6 58.Rd4 Rd5 59.Rc4+ Kd6 60.a4 Rc5 61.Rd4+ Ke5 62.Rd3 Rc4 63.g3 Rxa4 64.Nxc3 Rc4 65.Kxd2 Rxc3 66.Rxc3 Kd4 67.f3 Bxc3+ 68.Ke2 Kc4 69.g4 fxg4 70.fxg4 a5 71.Kd1 Kb3 72.g5 a4 73.g6 a3 74.g7 Bxg7 75.Ke2 a2 76.Kf3 a1Q 77.Kg4 Qe5 78.Kf3 Kc4 79.Kg4 Kd3 80.Kf3 Kd2 81.Kg2 Ke3 82.Kh3 Qg5 83.Kh2 Kf2 84.Kh1 Qh5# 0-1 (84) IsolatedMushroom (2757)-pozvonochek (2840) Blitz 2025]

10...dxc3

[10...b5 11.Bb3 Nf6 *(11...Qf6 12.Bd5 Nge7 13.Qxf6 gxf6 14.a4 Rb8 15.axb5 axb5 16.cxd4 Nxd4 17.Nc3 b4 18.Na4 Nxd5 19.exd5 Kd7 20.Nxc5+ dxc5 21.Ra6 Rb6 22.Ra7 Re8 23.Be3 Re4 24.Kf1 Rd6 25.g3 Rxd5 26.Bf4 Ke6 27.Rxc7 h5 28.h4 b3 29.Rb7 Kf5 30.Rxf7 Kg6 31.Rb7 Kf5 32.Be3 Kg4 33.Kg2 Rf5 34.Rd3 Ne2 35.Bxc5 Nf4+ 36.gxf4 Rexf4 37.Rg3+ Kxh4 38.Be7 Rg4 39.Rb6 Kg5 40.f3 Rxg3+ 41.Kxg3 h4+ 42.Kg2 h3+ 43.Kg3 h2 44.Kxh2 Rxf3 45.Bd6 Rf2+ 46.Kh3 Rxb2 47.Bc5 Kg6 48.Be3* 1-0 (48) Prettyfly (2668)-zvonokchess (2854) Blitz 2022 *)* 12.Bg5 Ne5 13.Qf5 d3 14.Nd2 h6 15.Bh4 Qd7 16.Bxf6 Qxf5 17.exf5 gxf6 18.Ne4 Ke7 19.Kh2 Rhd8 20.f4 Nc4 21.Rxd3 Nxb2 22.Rd2 Nc4 23.Bxc4 bxc4 24.Re1 Bb6 25.Nxd6+ Kf8 26.Nxc4 Rxd2 27.Nxd2 Rd8 28.Ne4 Kg7 29.Ng3 Kf8 30.Nh5 Rd6 31.Re4 Rc6 32.g4 Ba5 33.c4 Rd6 34.c5 Rd2+ 35.Kg3 Rd3+ 36.Kg2 Bc3 37.Rc4 Rd2+ 38.Kf3 Rd3+ 39.Ke4 Rxh3 40.Ra4 Rh4 41.Ra3 Bb2 42.Rb3 Ba1 43.Rb7 Rxg4 44.Rxc7 Rh4 45.Ng3 Rh3 46.Nf1 h5 47.c6 h4 48.Ne3 Rh1 49.Rb7 Rc1 50.c7 Kg7 51.Rb1 Rxc7 52.Rxa1 Rc5 53.Rg1+ Kf8 54.Rh1 Ra5 55.Rxh4 Ra4+ 56.Kd3 Rxa2 57.Nd5 Ra5 58.Kd4 Ra4+ 59.Kc5 Kg7 60.Rg4+ Kh6 61.Kd6 Ra5 62.Nxf6 Rxf5 63.Ke7 Rb5 64.Kxf7 Rb7+ 65.Ke6 Rb6+ 66.Ke5 Rb5+ 67.Nd5 a5 68.f5 1-0 (68) Robson,R (2673)-Noritsyn,N (2512) chess.com INT 2021]

11.Nxc3 Nge7 12.Bg5 0-0 13.Nd5 f6

14.Bf4 Nxd5 15.exd5 Ne5 16.Qc3 Ng6 17.Bg3 f5 18.Bc2 Qg5 19.Kf1 Rae8 20.Re1 f4 21.Bh2 Nh4 22.g4 fxg3 23.Bxg3 Rxf2+ 24.Bxf2 Qg2# 0-1 (24) Elsa05 (2922)-pozvonochek (2947) Blitz 2023

39 **12.Nbd2** 0-0 13.c4 Qc8 14.Re1 f5 15.exf5 Nxf5 16.b4 Ncd4 17.Nxd4 Nxd4 18.Bb2 Ne2+ 19.Kf1 Qf5 20.f3 Nf4 21.Re3 Qg5 22.g4 Qh4 23.gxh5 Rf5 24.Qd7 Raf8 25.h6 Rg5 26.Ne4 Rg6 27.Rd1 Rf7 28.Qc8+ Rf8 29.Qd7 Rf7 30.Qxf7+ Kxf7 31.Nxd6+ Kg8 32.Bxe5 Qxh3+ 33.Ke1 Ng2+ 34.Ke2 Nxe3 35.Kxe3 Re6 36.Ke4 Qxh6 37.f4 Qg6+ 38.Kd5 Qc2 39.Rd4 Re8 40.Nxe8 Qg2+ 41.Kd6 h5 42.Nxg7 h4 43.Nf5 h3 44.Nh6+ Kh7 45.f5 h2 46.Bxh2 1-0 (46) Wollongong2021 (3018)-Ebobochess (2809) Blitz 2022

40 **6...d6** 7.c3
[7.a4 Bb7 *(7...b4 8.c3 Ba7 9.d4 Nf6 10.dxe5 Nxe5 11.Nxe5 dxe5 12.cxb4 Qxd1 13.Bxd1 Rb8 14.b5 Nxe4 15.Nc3 Nxc3 16.bxc3 Ke7 17.Ba3+ Kf6 18.Be2 a5 19.Rad1 Be6 20.c4 Rhd8 21.c5 Bb3 22.Rxd8 Rxd8 23.b6 cxb6 24.cxb6 Bxb6 25.Rb1 Rb8 26.Bd6 Rd8 27.Bxe5+ Kxe5 28.Rxb3 Bd4 29.Kf1 Rc8 30.Bd3 g6 31.Rb5+ Rc5 32.h3 Rxb5 33.Bxb5 Ke4 34.Be8 f5 35.h4 Bc5 36.h5 g5 37.f3+ Ke3 38.Bd7 f4 39.Bf5 h6 40.Bc8 Kd3 41.Bd7 Ba3 42.Bf5+ Kd2 43.Be6 Kc1 44.Kf2 Kd2 45.Bg4 Kc1 46.Bf5 Kd2 47.Bg6 Bc5+ 48.Kf1 Kd1 49.Bb1 Bf8 50.Bh7 Kd2 51.Bg6 Kc3 52.Be8 Kd2 53.Bc6 Kc1 54.Ba8 Kd1 55.Bb7 Kc1 56.Ke1 Kc2 57.Ke2 Bb4 58.Bc6 Ba3 59.Bd7 Kc3 60.Be6 Kc2 61.Bf7 Kc3 62.Bd5 Bc1 63.Kf1 Kd3 64.Bb7 Kc2 65.Ke1 Kc3 66.Bc8 Kd3 67.Bd7 Kc3 68.Bb5 Bd2+ 69.Kd1 Be3 70.Ke2 Bc5 71.Ke1 Ba3 72.Be8 Kd3 73.Kf1 Ke3 74.Bb5 Kd2 75.Bc4 Bc1 76.Kf2 Kc2 77.Bd5 Kc3 78.Ke2 Kb4 79.Bc6 Kc3 80.Kd1 Be3 81.Ke1 Bc1 82.Ke2 Bd2 83.Bb7 Bc1 84.Kd1 Ba3 85.Ke1 Kb4 86.Bc6 Kb3 87.Kd2 Kb2 88.Bd7 Ka1 89.Ke2 Kb2 ½-½ (89) PurpleHunter (2642)-expositor (2741) Blitz 2024)* 8.d3 *(8.Nc3 b4 9.Nd5 Nge7 10.c3 bxc3 11.bxc3 0-0 12.d4 exd4 13.cxd4 Ba7 14.Bg5 h6 15.Bh4 Qd7 16.Rc1 Ng6 17.Bg3 Rac8 18.Qd2 Nce7 19.Nxe7+ Qxe7 20.Rfe1 Kh7 21.Qd3 Rce8 22.Bd5 Bxd5 23.exd5 Qd7 24.Rxe8 Rxe8 25.Qxa6 Bb6 26.a5 Qa4 27.Bxd6 Bxd4 28.Nxd4 Qxd4 29.Bxc7 Qxd5 30.h3 Nh4 31.Qc6 Re1+ 32.Kh2 Qxa5 33.Bxa5* 1-0 (33) AlexD64 (2622)-Yan_Dyomin2010 (2587) Blitz 2024*)* 8...Nge7 9.Nc3 0-0 10.axb5 axb5 11.Rxa8 Qxa8 12.Nxb5 Qb8 13.Nc3 h6 14.Be3 Bxe3 15.fxe3 Na5 16.Ba2 Bc8 17.Qc1 Ng6 18.Nd5 Be6 19.Qd2 Nc6 20.Bb3 Kh7 21.Ra1 Nd8 22.Qc3 c6 23.Nb4 Qb6 24.Re1 Nb7 25.Bxe6 fxe6 26.Qa3 Nc5 27.Na2 Rf7 28.Qb4 Qa7 29.Nc3 Rb7 30.Qa3 Qxa3 31.bxa3 Rb2 32.Rc1 d5 33.exd5 exd5 34.d4 exd4 35.Nxd4 Ne5 36.Kf2 Ncd7 37.Ke2 Nf6 38.Rb1 Rxb1 39.Nxb1 Ne4 40.a4 Nc4 41.Nxc6 Kg8 42.a5 Kf7 43.a6 Nb6 44.a7 Ke6 45.Kd3 Kd7 46.Nb4 Nf6 47.Nc3 Kc8 48.Nbxd5 Nfxd5 49.Nxd5 Na8 50.Kc4 Kb7 51.Kc5 Kxa7 52.e4 Kb7

53.Kd6 Kc8 54.e5 Kd8 55.e6 Ke8 56.c4 Kd8 57.c5 g5 58.g4 h5 59.gxh5 g4 60.h6 Nc7 61.Nxc7 g3 62.hxg3 Kc8 63.Nd5 Kb7 64.h7 Kc8 65.h8Q+ Kb7 66.Qe8 Ka6 67.Qc6+ Ka5 68.Qb6+ Ka4 69.Qb4# 1-0 (69) Just_StudentMATF (2668)-PEON_CURVA (2740) Blitz 2020]

7...Bg4

[7...h6 8.d4 exd4 9.cxd4 Bb6 10.h3 Nf6 11.Nc3 0-0 12.e5 dxe5 13.dxe5 Qxd1 14.Rxd1 Nh7 15.Nd5 Ba5 16.Bf4 Be6 17.Rac1 Nd8 18.Be3 Kh8 19.Nxc7 Bxc7 20.Rxc7 Bxb3 21.axb3 Ne6 22.Rb7 Nd8 23.Rb6 Re8 24.Rdd6 Nf8 25.Rxa6 Rxa6 26.Rxa6 Nde6 27.Rb6 Nc7 28.Rb7 Nfe6 29.Nd4 Nd5 30.Nxe6 Rxe6 31.Bd4 Nf4 32.Kf1 Kg8 33.g3 Nxh3 34.f4 Rg6 35.f5 Rxg3 36.e6 fxe6 37.fxe6 Rg5 38.Rb8+ Kh7 39.e7 Rf5+ 40.Ke1 1-0 (40) Amin,B (2640)-Diab,M (1891) El-Mahalla El-Kubra EGY 2015]

8.Bd5 Qd7 9.Bxc6 Qxc6 10.Nxe5 Bxd1 11.Nxc6 Be2 12.Re1 Bd3 13.a4 Nf6 14.axb5 Kd7 15.Nb4 Bxb4 16.cxb4 axb5 17.Rxa8 Rxa8 18.Nc3 Ra1 19.f3 c5 20.bxc5 dxc5 21.e5 Ne8 22.Nd5 b4 23.Nf4 c4 24.b3 Bc2 25.bxc4 b3 26.Kf2 Rxc1 27.Rxc1 b2 28.Re1 Nc7 29.Nd5 Nxd5 30.cxd5 b1Q 31.Rxb1 Bxb1 32.Ke3 g5 33.Kd4 h5 34.g3 h4 35.gxh4 gxh4 36.f4 Bf5 37.Kc5 Kc7 38.d4 h3 39.d6+ Kd7 40.d5 Bg4 41.Kd4 Bf5 42.Ke3 Bg4 43.Ke4 f5+ 44.Kd4 Bf3 45.Kc5 Bd1 46.e6+ Kd8 47.Kd4 Bb3 48.Ke5 Ba2 49.d7 Ke7 50.Kd4 Bb3 51.Kc5 Ba4 52.Kb6 Kd8 53.Kc5 Ke7 54.Kd4 Kd8 55.Ke5 Ke7 56.d6+ Kd8 57.Kf6 Bb3 58.e7+ Kxd7 59.Kg7 Bf7 60.Kxf7 Kxd6 61.e8Q 1-0 (61) VictorAntonBologan (2779)-Vladimirovich9000 (2884) Blitz 2021

41 **7.a4** Rb8 8.c3

[8.Nxe5 Nxe5 9.d4 Bxd4 10.Qxd4 d6 11.axb5 axb5 12.Bf4 Nc6 13.Qc3 Ne7 14.e5 dxe5 15.Bxe5 Ned5 16.Qg3 Be6 17.Rd1 0-0 18.Bxd5 Bxd5 19.Bxc7 Ne4 20.Qf4 g5 21.Qe5 Re8 22.Bxd8 Rxe5 23.Bc7 Rbe8 24.Bxe5 Rxe5 25.f3 Nf6 26.Nc3 Bc4 27.Ra5 h6 28.Kf2 Kg7 29.b3 Rc5 30.bxc4 Rxc4 31.Ne2 Rxc2 32.Rxb5 Ra2 33.Rb6 g4 34.Rdd6 gxf3 35.Kxf3 Ra3+ 36.Kf4 Ra4+ 37.Nd4 Ne8 38.Rd7 Nf6 39.Rd8 Rc4 40.Rb7 Rc1 41.Nf3 h5 42.Rb5 Nh7 43.Rxh5 Ra1 44.Rf5 Ra2 45.Rd7 Nf6 46.Rg5+ Kf8 47.Rd8+ Ke7 48.Rd2 Ra7 49.Re5+ Kf8 50.Rd8+ Kg7 51.Rg5+ Kh7 52.Ne5 Ra5 53.Kf5 Ra6 54.Rf8 Nd5 55.Rxf7+ Kh8 56.Rgg7 Ne7+ 57.Kg5 Ra2 58.Rh7+ Kg8 59.Rxe7 Rxg2+ 60.Ng4 Kf8 61.Reg7 Re2 62.Kf6 Rf2+ 63.Nxf2 Ke8 64.Rg8# 1-0 (64) AKS-Mantissa (2710)-OpeningsBot (2391) Blitz 2024]

[8.axb5 axb5 9.Nc3 d6 10.d3 Bg4 11.h3 Bh5 12.Bg5 h6 13.Bxf6 Qxf6 14.g4 Qf4 15.gxh5 Qg3+ 16.Kh1 Qxh3+ 17.Nh2 Nd4 18.Qg4 Qxg4 19.Nxg4 Nxb3 20.cxb3 c6 21.Ne3 0-0 22.Nf5 Kh7 23.Ra6 g6 24.Ne7 Rbe8 25.Nxc6 gxh5 26.Nd5 f5 27.b4 Bd4 28.Nxd4 exd4 29.Ra7+ Kh8 30.Ne7 Rf6 31.Nxf5 d5 32.f3 Rg8 33.Rg1 Rxg1+ 34.Kxg1 dxe4 35.fxe4 Rg6+ 36.Kh2 h4 37.Kh3 h5 38.Kxh4 Rg2 39.Kxh5 Rxb2 40.Kg6 Rg2+ 41.Kf6 Rd2 42.e5 Rxd3 43.e6 Rd1 44.e7 Re1 45.Ra8+ Kh7 46.e8Q Rxe8 47.Rxe8 d3 48.Rd8

d2 49.Rxd2 Kg8 50.Rd5 Kf8 51.Rxb5 Ke8 52.Rd5 1-0 (52) Van-Lang (2662)-wanyaland (2569) Blitz 2021]

8...d6 9.d4 exd4 10.cxd4 Bb6 11.a5 Nxa5 12.e5 Nxb3 13.exf6 Nxa1 14.fxg7 Rg8 15.Re1+ Kd7 16.Bg5 f6 17.Bh6 Bb7 18.Nbd2 Re8 19.Rf1 Qe7 20.Qxa1 Qf7 21.b4 Qg6 22.Bf4 Qxg7 23.Bg3 f5 24.Kh1 Rg8 25.Rg1 Rbf8 26.Bf4 Qg4 27.Bg3 f4 28.h3 Qh5 29.Bh2 Rg6 30.d5 Qxd5 31.Rd1 Rfg8 32.Nf1 Qf5 33.Rd4 Bxf3 34.gxf3 Bxd4 35.Qxd4 Qxh3 36.Ng3 fxg3 37.fxg3 Qf1+ 38.Bg1 Rh6+ 0-1 (38) ilqar_7474 (2863)-MarcKevinLabog (2718) Blitz 2025

7.c3 d6

[7...Nxe4 8.d4 exd4 9.cxd4 Bb6 10.Re1 d5 11.Bxd5 Qxd5 12.Nc3 Qh5 13.Rxe4+ Kf8 14.Qe2 Bg4 15.Be3 f5 16.Re6 Nxd4 17.Bxd4 Bxd4 18.Qd3 Bxf3 19.gxf3 c5 20.Rae1 Kf7 21.Re7+ Kg6 22.Nd5 Qh4 23.R7e6+ Kg5 24.f4+ Kg4 25.Ne3+ Bxe3 26.R1xe3 Rhd8 27.Rg3+ 1-0 (27) JohnScott (2672)-kurrrt48 (2375) Rapid 2021]

8.d4

[8.a4 Bg4 9.h3 Bh5 10.d3 Rb8 *(10...0-0 11.Be3 Bxe3 12.fxe3 d5 13.exd5 Nxd5 14.axb5 Nxe3 15.Qe1 Nxf1 16.bxc6 Bxf3 17.gxf3 Rb8 18.Bc4 Qg5+ 19.Kxf1 Rxb2 20.Ra2 Qg2# 0-1 (20) Micheliavelli (2634)-Cryptochess (2653) Blitz 2022)* 11.axb5 axb5 12.Nbd2 0-0 13.Re1 b4 14.Ba4 bxc3 15.bxc3 Ne7 16.Nf1 Nd7 17.Ng3 Bg6 18.d4 exd4 19.cxd4 Bb4 20.Re2 c5 21.d5 Ra8 22.Bb2 Nb6 23.Bb5 Qb8 24.Nh4 Rxa1 25.Qxa1 Nbxd5 26.exd5 Qxb5 27.Rxe7 Qc4 28.Bxg7 Qxh4 29.Bxf8 Kxf8 30.Ra7 Qd4 31.Qxd4 cxd4 32.Ra4 Bc5 33.Kf1 d3 34.Ke1 Kg7 35.Ne4 d2+ 36.Kxd2 Bxe4 37.Rxe4 Bxf2 38.Rg4+ Kf8 39.Kd3 Bc5 40.Ke4 1-0 (40) Shirov,A (2648)-Farahat,A (2321) chess.com INT 2025]

8...Bb6

[8...Ba7 9.Be3 *(9.h3 0-0 10.Bg5 h6 11.Bh4 g5 12.Nxg5 hxg5 13.Bxg5 exd4 14.Qf3 Ne5 15.Qxf6 Qxf6 16.Bxf6 d3 17.Rd1 Nc4 18.Rxd3 Nxb2 19.Rg3+ Kh7 20.Bc2 Re8 21.Nd2 Be6 22.Rb1 Nc4 23.e5+ Kh6 24.Bg7+ Kh5 25.Bd1+ Kh4 26.Bf6# 1-0 (26) Corre_por_tu_vida (2761)-petriashvili2 (2769) Blitz 2021)* 9...0-0 10.Nbd2 Bb7 11.d5 Ne7 12.Bxa7 Rxa7 13.Re1 Ng6 14.c4 c6 15.Rc1 bxc4 16.Nxc4 cxd5 17.exd5 Bxd5 18.Ne3 Bxb3 19.Qxb3 d5 20.Red1 Rd7 21.Rc6 d4 22.Nf5 a5 23.h3 d3 24.Qb5 Rd5 25.Qb3 e4 26.Rxf6 gxf6 27.Ne3 Rc5 28.Nd2 f5 29.Qb7 Re8 30.Nb3 Rc7 31.Qb5 f4 32.Nf5 Re5 33.Nh6+ Kg7 34.Nxf7 Kxf7 35.Qb6 Rd7 36.Nc5 Qxb6 0-1 (36) MassterofMayhem (2782)-IMFAR (2709) Blitz 2021]

9.Be3

[9.h3

A) 9...h6 10.Re1 *(10.dxe5 dxe5 11.Qxd8+ Kxd8 12.Nbd2 Be6 13.Bc2 Ke7 14.a4 Rhd8 15.b4 Na7 16.a5 Bxa5 17.Rxa5 Nc6 18.Ra1 Nd7 19.Bb3 f6 20.Bxe6 Kxe6 21.Nb3 Nb6 22.Nc5+ Kf7 23.Rxa6 1-0 (23) goltsev2000 (2628)-statham_13 (2347) Blitz 2024)* 10...0-0 11.Be3 Re8 12.Nbd2 Na5 13.Bc2 c5 14.dxe5 dxe5 15.a4 Bb7 16.Qe2 c4

17.Nf1 Qc7 18.Ng3 Rad8 19.Nf5 Kh7 20.axb5 axb5 21.N3h4 Bxe3 22.Qxe3 Nb3 23.Ra7 Ra8 24.Nxg7 Kxg7 25.Nf5+ Kg8 26.Qg3+ 1-0 (26) ScareCCrow06PL (2768)-Andrey11976 (2762) Blitz 2024;

B) 9...0-0 10.Be3 Qe7 11.dxe5 Nxe5 12.Bxb6 cxb6 13.Nxe5 dxe5 14.Nd2 Be6 15.Qe2 Rfd8 16.Rfd1 Bxb3 17.axb3 Qb7 18.b4 h6 19.Nf3 Rxd1+ 20.Rxd1 Qxe4 21.Qxe4 Nxe4 22.Nxe5 a5 23.bxa5 bxa5 24.Rd7 f6 25.Nc6 a4 26.f3 Nc5 27.Rd5 Ne6 28.Rxb5 a3 29.bxa3 Rxa3 30.Ne7+ Kf7 31.Nd5 Ra2 32.h4 Rc2 33.h5 f5 34.Rb7+ Kf8 35.Rb6 Kf7 36.Rc6 Rd2 37.c4 Nd4 38.Rc7+ Kf8 39.Nf4 Ne2+ 40.Nxe2 Rxe2 41.Rc5 Rc2 42.Rxf5+ Ke7 43.c5 Ke6 44.g4 Ke7 45.Kf1 Ke6 46.Ke1 Rc4 47.Kd2 Rd4+ 48.Kc3 Rd1 49.Kb4 Rb1+ 50.Ka5 Ra1+ 51.Kb6 Rb1+ 52.Kc7 1-0 (52) Goodgoodchess (2804)-Andrey11976 (2766) Blitz 2025]

[9.a4 Rb8 *(9...Bb7 10.Re1 h6 11.axb5 axb5 12.Rxa8 Qxa8 13.Na3 0-0 14.Nxb5 exd4 15.cxd4 Na5 16.Bc2 Nxe4 17.Qd3 Nf6 18.Nh4 Re8 19.Be3 Be4 20.Qe2 Bxc2 21.Qxc2 Qc6 22.Qxc6 Nxc6 23.Rc1 Nb4 24.Nxc7 Bxc7 25.Rxc7 Nbd5* ½-½ (25) ApesTutoring (2726)-iCe_eNerGyTeaM (2605) Rapid 2021 *)* 10.Be3 *(10.Re1 0-0 11.h3 h6 12.axb5 axb5 13.Na3 Re8 14.Nxb5 exd4 15.Nbxd4 Nxd4 16.Nxd4 Bb7 17.Ba4 Rxe4 18.Nc6 Rxe1+ 19.Qxe1 Bxc6 20.Bxc6 d5 21.b4 Ne4 22.Be3 Qf6 23.Ra3 Qxc6* 0-1 (23) diamond2021 (2719)-retardedplatypus123 (2592) Blitz 2022 *)* 10...0-0 11.h3 h6 12.Nbd2 exd4 13.cxd4 d5 14.e5 Ne4 15.axb5 axb5 16.Rc1 Na5 17.Bc2 Nxd2 18.Qxd2 Nc4 19.Qd3 f5 20.exf6 Qxf6 21.Ne5 Bf5 22.Qb3 Nxe5 23.Qxd5+ Be6 24.Qxe5 Qxe5 25.dxe5 Bxe3 26.fxe3 c5 27.Rfd1 Rfd8 28.Rd6 Kf7 29.Rcd1 Rdc8 30.Ra6 Ke7 31.Rdd6 Bc4 32.Bf5 Rc7 33.Rac6 Rbb7 34.Kf2 Bb3 35.Kg3 c4 36.Kf4 b4 37.Be4 c3 38.bxc3 bxc3 39.Rxc7+ Rxc7 40.Rg6 Kf7 41.e6+ Bxe6 42.Ke5 Rc5+ 43.Kd4 Rc4+ 44.Kd3 Rxe4 0-1 (44) Loin_sn (2754)-TheRigos (2651) Blitz 2022]

[9.Re1 0-0 *(9...Bg4 10.d5 Ne7 11.h3 Bh5 12.Nbd2 0-0 13.Nf1 Nd7 14.Ng3 Bg6 15.Nh4 Rc8 16.a4 c6 17.axb5 axb5 18.dxc6 Rxc6 19.Qe2 Nc5 20.Qxb5 Nxb3 21.Qxb3 Qc8 22.Bg5 Re8 23.Bxe7 Rxe7 24.Ngf5 Rb7 25.Qd5 Bc5 26.Qxc6 Qxc6 27.Ra8+* 1-0 (27) VladislavKrasikov_FM (2666)-Mad_Ratel (2621) Blitz 2021*)* 10.Bg5 h6 11.Bh4 g5 *(11...Bg4 12.h3 Bh5 13.Bd5 Ne7 14.Bxf6 gxf6 15.Bb3 c5 16.g4 Bg6 17.d5 h5 18.Kg2 Kg7 19.Nbd2 Rh8 20.Qe2 Qd7 21.Nh2 Rh7 22.Rh1 Rah8 23.Rag1 c4 24.Bc2 Nxd5 25.exd5 Bxc2 26.Nxc4 bxc4 27.Qxc2 Kf8 28.Qe2 Qc8 29.Nf1 f5 30.Ng3 hxg4 31.hxg4 fxg4 32.Rxh7 Rxh7 33.Qe4 f5 34.Qxf5+ Qxf5 35.Nxf5 Rf7 36.Nxd6 Rxf2+ 37.Kg3 Rxb2 38.Rf1+ Ke7 39.Nxc4 Rc2 40.Nxb6 Rxc3+ 41.Kxg4 Ra3 42.d6+ Ke6 43.d7 Ke7 44.Rf7+ Kxf7 45.d8Q Ra4+ 46.Nxa4* 1-0 (46) Corre_por_tu_vida

(2624)-AmyMacdonald (2634) Blitz 2023 *)* 12.Nxg5 Bg4 *(12...hxg5 13.Bxg5 exd4 14.Bd5 Bd7 15.e5 dxe5 16.Qf3 Kg7 17.Bxc6 Bxc6 18.Qxc6 Qd6 19.Qf3 Rae8 20.Nd2 e4 21.Nxe4 Nxe4 22.Rxe4 Rxe4 23.Qxe4 Qg6 24.Qxg6+ Kxg6 25.Bh4 dxc3 26.bxc3 Re8 27.Kf1 Re4 28.Bg3 Rc4 29.Rc1 b4 30.Ke2 bxc3 31.Kd3 Ra4 32.Rc2 f5 33.Be5 f4 34.Bxc3 Kf5 35.f3 Ra3 36.Kc4 a5 37.g4+ fxg3 38.hxg3 Ra4+ 39.Kb5 Ra3 40.Kc6 Ra4 41.Kd5 Ra3 42.g4+ Kf4 43.Be5+ Kxf3 44.g5 Rd3+ 45.Ke6 Re3 46.Kf5 Re2 47.Rxe2 Kxe2 48.g6* 1-0 (48) Ute-Manfred (2620)-alberto99 (2642) Blitz 2022*)* 13.Nf3 Kh7 14.h3 Bh5 15.dxe5 Nxe5 16.Nbd2 Rg8 17.Bg3 Rxg3 18.Qe2 Nxf3+ 19.Nxf3 Bxf3 0-1 (19) adask10 (2699)-KonMarios2010 (2384) Blitz 2024]

[9.dxe5 Nxe5 10.Nxe5 dxe5 11.Qe2 *(11.Qxd8+ Kxd8 12.Bxf7 Rf8 13.Bb3 Nxe4 14.Bd5 Nxf2 15.Bg5+ Ke8 16.Nd2 Rb8 17.Nf3 Rxf3 18.Bxf3 Nh3+ 19.Kh1 Nxg5 20.Bc6+ Ke7 21.Rae1 Kd6 22.h4 Kxc6 23.hxg5 Kd6 24.Rf8 Ba7 25.Rd1+ Ke7 26.Rdd8 Be6 27.Rxb8 Bxb8 28.Rxb8 Bxa2 29.Ra8 Bd5 30.Rxa6 c6 31.Kg1 Ke6 32.Ra7 g6 33.Rxh7 Kf5 34.Re7 e4 35.Kf2 Kxg5 36.Ke3 Kf5 37.Re8 Kf6 38.Kf4 Kf7 39.Re5 Kf6 40.g4 Kf7 41.g5 Kf8 42.Ke3 Kf7 43.Kd4 Kf8 44.Kc5 Kf7 45.b3 Bxb3 46.Kxc6 Ba4 47.Kc5 Bc2 48.Kxb5 Bd3+ 49.Kc5 Kg7 50.c4 Kf7 51.Kd4 Kg7 52.c5 Kf7 53.c6 Ba6 54.c7 Bc8 55.Kxe4 Bb7+ 56.Kd4 Bc8 57.Kc5 Bf5 58.Rxf5+ gxf5 59.c8Q Kg6 60.Qd8 f4 61.Qf6+ Kh7 62.g6+ Kh6 63.g7+ Kh7 64.Qf7 f3 65.g8Q+ Kh6 66.Qgg6#* 1-0 (66) shukh_nikolay (2641)-hakanborantoprak (2597) Blitz 2024 *)* 11...0-0 *(11...Bg4 12.Qe1 0-0 13.Be3 Qd3 14.Bxb6 cxb6 15.f3 Be6 16.Na3 Bxb3 17.axb3 b4 18.Rd1 Qxd1 19.Qxd1 bxa3 20.bxa3 Rac8 21.Qd3 b5 22.Rd1 h6 23.a4 bxa4 24.bxa4 Rc6 25.c4 Rfc8 26.Rc1 Kf8 27.c5 Ke7 28.Rc4 Nd7 29.Qd5 f6 30.h4 Nxc5 31.h5 Rd6 32.Rxc5 Rxd5 33.Rxc8 Rd4 34.Rc7+ Kf8 35.Rc8+ Kf7 36.Rc7+ Kg8 37.Rc8+ Kh7 38.a5 Ra4 39.Rc5 Kg8 40.Kh2 Kf7 41.Kg3 Ra2 42.Kh3 Ra3 43.Kg4 Ra2 44.g3 Ra4 45.Kf5 Ra3 46.Rc7+ Kf8 47.f4 Rxg3 48.Ke6 Kg8 49.fxe5 fxe5 50.Rc8+ Kh7 51.Rc5 Rf3 52.Rxe5 Rf6+ 53.Kd7 Kg8 54.Re7 Kf8 55.Re6 Rf7+ 56.Kc6 Rf4 57.Kd5 Rh4 58.Rxa6 Rxh5+ 59.e5 Rh1 60.Ke6 Kg8 61.Ra8+ Kh7 62.a6 Ra1 63.Kf7 h5 64.e6 Rf1+ 65.Ke7 h4 66.a7 Ra1 67.Kd6 h3 68.e7 Rd1+ 69.Kc5 h2 70.e8Q h1Q 71.Qh8+ Kg6 72.Qxh1 Rxh1 73.Rd8 Rc1+ 74.Kb4 Rb1+ 75.Kc3 Ra1 76.a8Q Rxa8 77.Rxa8 Kf5 78.Ra4 g5 79.Kd2 g4 80.Ke2 Kg5 81.Kf2 Kf5 82.Kg3 Kg5 83.Rf4 Kh5 84.Rxg4 Kh6 85.Kf4 Kh7 86.Kf5 Kh6 87.Rg5 Kh7 88.Rg6 Kh8 89.Kf6 Kh7 90.Kf7 Kh8 91.Rh6#* 1-0 (91) Zora287 (2651)-BughouseKnight (2681) Blitz 2021*)* 12.Be3 Bxe3 13.Qxe3 Bb7 14.Nd2 Qe7 15.Rad1 c5 16.Bc2 c4 17.h3 Rfd8 18.Rfe1 Rd6 19.Nf1 Rad8 20.Rxd6 Rxd6 21.Ng3 g6 22.Qg5 Kf8 23.Qh6+ Kg8 24.Re3 Rd2 25.Nf5 Qf8 26.Qg5 Nh5 27.Rf3 Rxc2 28.Nh6+ Kg7 29.Rxf7+ Qxf7

30.Nxf7 Kxf7 31.Qxe5 Bxe4 32.Qxe4 Rxb2 33.Qb7+ Ke6 34.Qxa6+ Kd5 35.Qb7+ Kc5 36.g4 1-0 (36) Erebuni91 (2669)-notkevich (2759) Blitz 2023]

9...Ng4

[9...0-0 10.Nbd2 Bg4 11.h3 Bh5 12.dxe5 *(12.Qc2 exd4 13.cxd4 Na5 14.Rac1 Nxb3 15.axb3 Re8 16.Rfe1 Bxf3 17.gxf3 Nh5 18.Qc6 Qh4 19.Kg2 Bxd4 20.Qd5 Bxe3 21.fxe3 Qg3+ 22.Kf1 Qxh3+ 23.Ke2 Nf6 24.Qg5 Re5 25.Qg1 c5 26.b4 c4 27.b3 d5 28.f4 Rxe4 29.Nxe4 Nxe4 30.bxc4 dxc4 31.Red1 h5 32.Rd5 Re8 33.Re5 Rxe5 34.fxe5 Qf5 35.Qh2 g5 36.Rf1 Qd7 37.Rg1 Qd2+ 38.Kf3 Qxh2* 0-1 (38) klimkoj (2676)-marmayogi (2462) Rapid 2021 *)* 12...Bxe3 *(12...Nxe5 13.Bxb6 cxb6 14.g4 Bg6 15.Nd4 Nxe4 16.f4 Qh4 17.Nxe4 Bxe4 18.Qe1 Qxh3 19.Qxe4 Nxg4 20.Qh1 Qe3+ 21.Kg2 Rae8 22.Qh3 Qd2+ 23.Kg1 Nf6 24.Rf2 Re1+ 25.Kg2 Qxf2+ 26.Kxf2 Rxa1 27.Nf5 Rb1 28.Ne7+ Kh8 29.Bxf7 Rxb2+ 30.Kf3 g5 31.fxg5 Rxf7 32.gxf6 Rxf6+ 33.Ke3 Rbf2 34.Nd5 Rf7 35.Qc8+ Rf8 36.Qd7 R2f3+ 37.Ke4 Rf1 38.Qxd6 Re8+ 39.Kd3 Rf5 40.Ne3 Rf7 41.Qd4+ Kg8 42.Ng4 Re6 43.Qd8+ Rf8 44.Qg5+ Rg6 45.Qd5+ Kg7 46.Qe5+ Kf7 47.Qd5+ Ke7 48.Qb7+ Ke8 49.Ne5 Rd6+ 50.Ke4 h6 51.Qc8+ Ke7 52.Qc7+ Ke6 53.Ng6 Re8 54.Nf4+ Kf6+ 55.Kf3 Red8 56.Qh7 Rc8 57.Qxh6+ Ke7 58.Qg7+ Ke8 59.Ng6 Re6 60.Qf8+ Kd7 61.Qf7+ Kd6 62.Qf4+ Kc6 63.Ne5+ Rxe5 64.Qxe5 Kb7 65.Ke4 Rc4+ 66.Kd5 Rc7 67.Kd6 Rc6+* Time forfeit 0-1 (67) Rumple_DarkOne (2713)-HomabiorKro (2687) Rapid 2024 *)* 13.exf6 Bxd2 14.fxg7 Kxg7 15.Qxd2 Bxf3 16.gxf3 Ne5 17.Qe3 Qh4 18.f4 Ng6 19.f5 Nf4 20.Kh2 Kh8 21.Rg1 Rg8 22.Bxf7 Rg7 23.Bb3 c5 24.Rxg7 Kxg7 25.Rg1+ Kh8 26.Rg4 Qxh3+ 27.Qxh3 Nxh3 28.Kxh3 c4 29.Bc2 d5 30.e5 d4 31.cxd4 b4 32.f6 a5 33.e6 a4 34.f7 b3 35.e7 h5 36.f8R+ Rxf8 37.exf8R# 1-0 (37) AvoNSWFins0034 (2769)-hakanborantoprak (2634) Blitz 2024]

[9...Bg4 10.Nbd2 exd4 11.cxd4 0-0 12.h3 Bh5 13.Rc1 Na5 14.Bc2 c5 15.d5 Nd7 16.g4 Bg6 17.Re1 Re8 18.b3 Rc8 19.Bg5 Qc7 20.Bf4 c4 21.b4 Nb7 22.a3 Ne5 23.Kg2 a5 24.Nh4 axb4 25.axb4 c3 26.Nb3 Qc4 27.Rb1 Ra8 28.Nf5 Ra2 29.Ne3 Bxe4+ 30.Kg3 Bxe3 31.Bxe4 Bxf2+ 0-1 (31) MassterofMayhem (2711)-VinkelPernik (2627) Blitz 2022]

10.Bg5 f6 11.Bh4 g5 12.Bd5 Bd7 13.Bg3 h5 14.h3 Nh6 15.Nxg5 fxg5 16.Qxh5+ Kf8 17.f4 exf4 18.Bxf4 gxf4 19.Rxf4+ Kg7 20.Bf7 Ne7 21.Nd2 Be8 22.Raf1 Nxf7 23.Rxf7+ Bxf7 24.Qxf7+ Kh6 25.Rf6+ Kg5 26.Qg7+ Kh5 27.Qg4# 1-0 (27) AvoNSWFins0034 (2806)-LoyLoyJR (2490) Blitz 2024

[42] **8.a4** Bg4

[8...Rb8 9.axb5 axb5 10.h3 h6 *(10...0-0 11.Nc3 Be6 12.Nd5 Bxd5 13.exd5 Ne7 14.d4 exd4 15.Nxd4 Qd7 16.Ne2 Qf5 17.Nf4 Rfe8 18.c3 b4 19.Bc2 Qd7 20.c4 Ng6 21.Nxg6 hxg6 22.Ba4 Qf5 23.Bxe8 Rxe8 24.b3 Ne4 25.Qf3 Qe5 26.Bf4 Qf6 27.Be3 Qxf3 28.gxf3 Bxe3 29.fxe3 Nd2 30.Ra4 Nxf1 31.Kxf1 Rxe3*

32.Rxb4 Rxf3+ 33.Kg2 Rc3 34.Rb8+ Kh7 35.Rb7 f5 36.Kf2 g5 37.Ke2 f4 38.Kd2 Rxh3 39.b4 g4 40.Rxc7 g3 41.Ke2 g2 42.Kf2 f3 Normal 0-1 (42) Kartvelii (2638)-Slimington (2594) Blitz 2024 *)* 11.Nc3 0-0 12.Be3 Bxe3 13.fxe3 Ne7 14.Ne2 c5 15.Ng3 c4 16.dxc4 bxc4 17.Bxc4 Rxb2 18.Bb3 Qb6 19.Qc1 Rxb3 20.cxb3 Qxb3 21.Rd1 Bb7 22.Rb1 1-0 (22) Incike (2656)-kon77 (2500) Blitz 2024]

9.c3 0-0 10.Bg5 h6 11.Bh4 g5 12.Bg3 b4 13.h3 Bh5 14.Nbd2 Rb8 15.Bc4 bxc3 16.bxc3 Na5 17.Bxa6 c6 18.Bc4 g4 19.hxg4 Nxg4 20.d4 Ba7 21.Be2 Qf6 22.Nh4 Qg5 23.Ndf3 Qd8 24.Nxe5 dxe5 25.Bxg4 Bxg4 26.Qxg4+ Qg5 27.Qxg5+ hxg5 28.Nf5 f6 29.dxe5 fxe5 30.Bxe5 Rbe8 31.Bd6 Rf6 32.Rfe1 Nc4 33.Bg3 Nd2 34.Nd6 Ree6 35.e5 Rf8 36.Rad1 Nb3 37.Ne4 Rf5 38.Rd8+ Kg7 39.Rd7+ 1-0 (39) Murzin,V (2657)-Farahat,A (2321) chess.com INT 2025

8.c3 h6 9.Re1 0-0 10.Nbd2 Ne7 11.Nf1 Ng6 12.Ng3 Be6 13.d4 exd4 14.cxd4 Bb6 15.Bxe6 fxe6 16.a4 Kh8 17.axb5 axb5 18.Rxa8 Qxa8 19.Qb3 Qe8 20.Be3 Ng4 21.Bd2 Nf4 22.h3 Nxf2 23.Kxf2 Qg6 24.Be3 d5 25.Qc2 dxe4 26.Bxf4 e3+ 27.Bxe3 Qxc2+ 28.Re2 Qg6 29.Nf1 e5 30.dxe5 Bxe3+ 31.Nxe3 Qe4 32.Ng4 Qd4+ 33.Kf1 Qd3 34.e6 Re8 35.Nge5 Qd5 36.e7 Kh7 37.Ng4 Qd7 38.Nge5 Qxe7 39.Re1 Qe6 40.Kg1 Qd5 41.Kh2 Qd6 42.Kg1 Qb6+ 43.Kh2 Qf2 44.b4 Re6 0-1 (44) Bjerre,J (2640)-Farahat,A (2321) chess.com INT 2025

8.Be3 Ba7 9.Nc3

[9.Bxa7 Rxa7 10.h3 0-0 11.d4 exd4 12.Nxd4 Nxd4 13.Qxd4 c5 14.Qe3 Re7 15.c4 Rxe4 16.Qd3 bxc4 17.Bxc4 d5 18.Bxa6 Bf5 19.Nd2 c4 20.Qf3 Re5 21.Qf4 Re2 22.Nxc4 Bd3 23.Rad1 dxc4 24.Bxc4 Re4 25.Qf3 Rxc4 26.Rxd3 Qa5 27.b3 Rc2 28.a4 h6 29.Rb1 Qb4 30.Qe3 Rfc8 31.Rd4 Qa5 32.Rd6 Qb4 33.Rb6 Qa3 34.Kh2 Nd5 0-1 (34) S_Guliev (2612)-retardedplatypus123 (2584) Blitz 2021]

9...Bb7 10.Nd5 Nd4 11.Nxd4 exd4 12.Bg5 h6 13.Bxf6 gxf6 14.Qf3 Bxd5 15.Bxd5 Rb8 16.Qh5 Qe7 17.Rae1 a5 18.f4 Kf8 19.e5 Rh7 20.Qf5 Kg7 21.Rf3 fxe5 22.fxe5 Rf8 23.Qf6+ Qxf6 24.exf6+ Kh8 25.Re7 Bb6 26.Be4 1-0 (26) tumaridodiegoni (2625)-amourmonstre (2599) Blitz 2024

8.h3 0-0 9.c3 Bb7 10.Bg5 h6 11.Bh4 g5 12.Bg3 Bb6 13.Nbd2 Ne7 14.Qe2 Ng6 15.d4 Qe7 16.dxe5 dxe5 17.a4 Nh5 18.Kh2 Nhf4 19.Qd1 Rfd8 20.Qc2 Kg7 21.axb5 axb5 22.Rxa8 Rxa8 23.Rd1 h5 24.Nf1 g4 25.Ng1 gxh3 26.Nxh3 h4 27.Bxf4 exf4 28.Bd5 c6 29.Bb3 Bc8 30.Nd2 Bxh3 31.gxh3 Bxf2 32.Nf3 Bg3+ 33.Kg2 Ne5 34.Nd4 f3+ 35.Kh1 Qg5 36.Nf5+ Kh8 37.Qd2 Bf4 38.Qf2 Rg8 39.Qxh4+ Qxh4 40.Nxh4 Rg3 41.Nf5 Rxh3+ 42.Kg1 Ng4 43.Rd8+ Kh7 44.Bxf7 f2+ 45.Kg2 Rh2+ 46.Kf3 f1Q+ 47.Kxg4 Rg2+ 48.Kh5 Qf3+ 49.Kh4 Qg4# 0-1 (49) vviageiro (2612)-dfsocial (2626) Blitz 2021

[43] **8...h6** 9.Bxf6 Qxf6 10.Bd5 Bd7 11.a4 Rb8 12.axb5 axb5 13.Nc3 Ne7 14.Bb3 c6 15.Ne2 Bg4 16.Nd2 0-0 17.Kh1 Ng6 18.f3 Bd7 19.c3 Bb6 20.Bc2 d5 21.b4 Qd6 22.Nb3 f5 23.exf5 Bxf5 24.d4 Bc7 25.Bxf5 Rxf5 26.g3 Rbf8 27.dxe5 Nxe5 28.Nbd4

R5f6 29.Ra6 Qd7 30.Nf4 Nc4 31.Nh5 Rd6 32.Re1 Bb6 33.Nf4 Re8 34.Rxe8+ Qxe8 35.Qd3 Rf6 36.Nfe2 Bxd4 37.Nxd4 Qe1+ 38.Kg2 Ne3+ 39.Kh3 Qf2 0-1 (39) drawingchest (2624)-ice2breaker (2725) Blitz 2023

[44] **12.Bh6** Re8 13.Nxd4 Bxd4 14.Qg4+ Kh8 15.Bg7+ Kg8 16.Bxf6+ Kf8 17.Qg7# 1-0 (17) djba-098 (3128)-djb-098 (2563) Rapid 2024

[45] **5...Bb6** 6.d4 Nf6
[6...exd4 7.cxd4 Nge7 8.d5 Na7 9.Nc3 0-0 10.0-0 Nb5 11.Bxb5 axb5 12.d6 cxd6 13.Qxd6 Ra6 14.Qd3 b4 15.Ne2 d5 16.Bg5 h6 17.Bxe7 Qxe7 18.exd5 Rd8 19.Ng3 Ra5 20.Rfe1 Qf6 21.Qb3 Raxd5 22.Ne4 Qg6 23.Ng3 Be6 24.Qa4 b3 25.axb3 Qd3 26.Qc4 Rc5 27.Qxd3 Rxd3 28.h4 Rxb3 29.Ra8+ Kh7 30.Ne4 Rc7 31.Re2 Bg4 32.Kh2 Rc4 33.Ned2 Bc7+ 34.Kg1 Rc1+ 35.Re1 Rxe1+ 36.Nxe1 Rxb2 37.Ndf3 Bb6 38.Nd3 Rb1+ 39.Kh2 Bc7+ 40.Nfe5 f6 41.f3 Be6 42.f4 fxe5 43.Nxe5 Bxe5 44.fxe5 Kg6 45.Re8 Kf5 46.Rd8 b6 47.Rf8+ Kxe5 48.Rb8 b5 49.Rf8 b4 50.Ra8 b3 51.Ra4 b2 52.Ra5+ Kd4 53.Rb5 Bc4 54.Rb4 Kc3 55.Rxb2 Rxb2 56.Kg3 Rb3 57.Kf4 Rb2 58.Ke5 Rf2 59.Kd6 Rxg2 60.Kc5 Rg4 61.Kd6 Rxh4 62.Ke7 Rg4 63.Kf8 h5 64.Ke7 h4 65.Kf8 h3 66.Ke7 h2 67.Kf8 h1Q 68.Ke7 Qh5 69.Kf8 Rg6 70.Ke7 Qh7 71.Kf8 ½-½ (71) Caracal_Cat (2689)-PrincessOfFriendship (2648) Blitz 2021]
7.d5 Ne7 8.Nxe5 0-0 9.Bc2 Ba7 10.0-0 d6 11.Nf3 Ng6 12.h3 Nh5 13.Kh2 Bd7 14.Nd4 Nf6 15.Bg5 c6 16.f4 h6 17.Bxf6 Qxf6 18.dxc6 bxc6 19.Na3 Rab8 20.Nc4 d5 21.e5 Qh4 22.Ne3 Rxb2 23.Rb1 Rfb8 24.e6 Be8 25.Rxb2 Rxb2 26.Qc1 Rb6 27.Ng4 Bb8 28.g3 Qe7 29.f5 Qd6 30.Kh1 Rb7 31.f6 h5 32.Nf5 Qxe6 33.Re1 hxg4 34.Rxe6 fxe6 35.Nxg7 Rxg7 36.fxg7 Kxg7 37.Qg5 Bxg3 38.Qxg4 Bf2 39.Qxe6 Bf7 40.Qxc6 Ne5 41.Qc7 Bg3 42.Bb3 Kh6 43.Kg2 Bf4 44.Qb6+ Ng6 45.Qf6 Bg8 46.Bc2 Bh7 47.h4 Bc1 48.Kh3 Ba3 49.Bxg6 Be7 50.Qxe7 Bxg6 51.Qf8+ Kh7 52.Kg4 d4 53.Kg5 dxc3 54.Kf6 Bf7 55.Qg7# Normal 1-0 (55) LeelaMultiPoss (2982)-expositor (2626) Blitz 2024
5...f5 6.exf5
[6.d4 fxe4 7.Nxe5 Nxe5 8.Qh5+ Ng6 9.Qxc5 Nf6 10.Bg5 b5 11.Bb3 Bb7 12.Nd2 d6 13.Qf5 Bc8 14.Be6 Ne7 15.Qh3 d5 16.f3 exf3 17.Nxf3 Bxe6 18.Qxe6 Qd7 19.Qxd7+ Nxd7 20.0-0-0 Nf5 21.Rde1+ Kf7 22.Rhf1 Kg6 23.g4 Nd6 24.Re6+ Nf6 25.Bxf6 gxf6 26.Ne5+ Kg7 27.Rexf6 Rhe8 28.g5 Re7 29.h4 Ne4 30.Rf7+ Rxf7 31.Rxf7+ Kg8 32.Rxc7 Rf8 33.Kc2 Rf2+ 34.Kb3 a5 35.a4 Nd2+ 36.Ka3 Nc4+ 37.Nxc4 bxc4 38.Rc5 Rf1 39.Ka2 Rh1 40.Rxa5 Rxh4 41.Rxd5 Rg4 42.a5 1-0 (42) EleKtRoMaGnIt (2882)-enmQ (2825) Blitz 2022]
6...e4 7.d4 exf3 8.dxc5 fxg2 9.Rg1 Qe7+ 10.Be3 Qe5 11.Nd2 Nge7 12.Nf3 Qxf5 13.Rxg2 Qxc5 14.Bxc5 b5 15.Bxe7 Nxe7 16.Bb3 g6 17.Qd4 Rf8 18.0-0-0 Rxf3 19.Re1 d6 20.Qe4 Kd7 21.Bd5 Rf7 22.Qe6+ Kd8 23.Qxf7 Bd7 24.Qxe7+ Kc8 25.Qf8+ Be8 26.Qxe8# 1-0 (26) C0lliSi0N (2892)-

bot_adario (2202) Rapid 2021
5...Ba7 6.d4 exd4 7.cxd4 d5 [7...b5 8.Bb3 d6 9.Bd5 Bd7 10.Ng5 Nh6 11.0-0 Rb8 12.Be3 0-0 13.h3 Nxd4 14.Nxf7 Nxf7 15.Bxd4 Bxd4 16.Qxd4 Qe7 17.Nc3 c6 18.Bxf7+ Rxf7 19.Rad1 b4 20.Nb1 Re8 21.f3 Qg5 22.Qd2 Qc5+ 23.Kh1 Rf6 24.Rc1 Qh5 25.a3 a5 26.axb4 axb4 27.Kh2 Rh6 28.Qf4 Bxh3 29.gxh3 Qxh3+ 30.Kg1 Rg6+ 31.Kf2 Rf8 32.Qe3 Qh2+ 33.Ke1 Qxb2 34.Qd2 Qb3 35.Qe2 d5 36.Nd2 Qb2 37.Rb1 Qd4 38.Qf2 Qc3 39.exd5 cxd5 40.Kd1 Rc6 41.Qe3 Qc2+ 42.Ke1 Kf7 43.f4 Re8 44.Qxe8+ Kxe8 45.Nf3 Kf7 46.Ne5+ Kf6 47.Rd1 Re6 48.Rd2 Qc3 49.Ke2 b3 50.Rd3 Qc2+ 51.Rd2 Qc5 52.Rd3 Qb5 53.Kd2 b2 54.Ng4+ Kf5 55.Ne3+ Rxe3 56.Rxe3 b1Q 57.Rd3 Kf6 58.Rxb1 Qb2+ 59.Rxb2 Kf5 60.Rbb3 Ke4 61.Rb4+ d4 62.Rb5 Kxf4 63.Rb4 Kg4 0-1 (63) feederman (2768)-Hard-Training (2678) Blitz 2023]
[7...Nf6 8.Nc3 b5 9.Bb3 b4 10.Nd5 Nxe4 11.0-0 0-0 12.Re1 Re8 13.Bc2 f5 14.Bxe4 Rxe4 15.Bg5 Qf8 16.Nxc7 Rb8 17.d5 Nd4 18.Rxe4 Nxf3+ 19.Qxf3 fxe4 20.Qg3 Rb6 21.h4 Rg6 22.h5 Bxf2+ 23.Qxf2 Qxf2+ 24.Kxf2 Rxg5 25.Re1 Bb7 26.Rxe4 Bxd5 27.Rxb4 Bxa2 28.g4 Be6 29.Nxe6 dxe6 30.Kf3 Rb5 31.Ra4 Rxb2 32.Rxa6 Kf7 33.g5 Rb7 34.Kf4 Rb4+ 35.Kf3 Rb3+ 36.Kf4 Rb4+ 37.Kf3 Rb3+ 38.Kf4 Rb4+ ½-½ (38) donatello (2680)-Pavel-Vorontsov (2698) Blitz 2021]
8.exd5 Qxd5 9.Nc3 Qh5 10.0-0 Nge7 11.d5 b5 12.Bc2 Nb4 13.Bb3 Bg4 14.a3 Bxf3 15.gxf3 Nf5 16.Bf4 Qh3 17.Kh1 Nh4 18.Rg1 Nxf3 19.Rxg7 0-0-0 20.Bg3 Rhg8 21.Rxg8 Nxh2 22.Bxh2 Rxg8 23.Qf1 Qf3+ 0-1 (23)

Idabble (2862)-gmmitkov (2609) Blitz 2023
5...Qf6 6.b4 [6.d4 exd4 7.e5 Nxe5 *(7...Qg6 8.cxd4 Bb4+ 9.Nc3 Nge7 10.0-0 0-0 11.Nh4 Qe6 12.d5 Qxe5 13.dxc6 dxc6 14.Re1 Qf6 15.Qh5 h6 16.Bd2 Ng6 17.Ne4 Qd4 18.Nf3 Qb6 19.Bb3 Bxd2 20.Qxg6 Kh8 21.Bxf7 c5 22.Nexd2 Qxb2 23.Nc4 Qf6 24.Nce5 Bf5 25.Qxf6 gxf6 26.Ng6+ Bxg6 27.Bxg6 b5 28.Re7 c4 29.Nh4 Rad8 30.Nf5* 1-0 (30) dmitrij_IM (2639)-Sattarov,B (2459) Blitz 2020*)* 8.Qe2 b5 9.Bb3 d3 10.Qxe5+ Qxe5+ 11.Nxe5 Bb7 12.Nxf7 Nf6 13.Nxh8 0-0-0 14.Nf7 Re8+ 15.Be3 Bxg2 16.Rg1 Bf3 17.Nd2 Be2 18.Bxc5 Ng4 19.Rxg4 Bxg4+ 20.Be3 1-0 (20) licg (2654)-evilhamburger (2610) Blitz 2023]
[6.Bxc6 dxc6 7.d4 exd4 8.cxd4 Bb6 9.h3 Ne7 10.Nc3 h6 11.0-0 Be6 12.Be3 Rd8 13.Qc2 Bxh3 14.e5 Qf5 15.Qxf5 Bxf5 16.Rad1 Bg4 17.Rd2 Bxf3 18.gxf3 Nf5 19.Rfd1 0-0 20.f4 Rd7 21.Ne2 Rfd8 22.Kg2 g6 23.Kf3 h5 24.Ke4 Kg7 25.Ng3 Ne7 26.f5 f6 27.fxg6 Kxg6 28.exf6 Nd5 29.Rg1 Nxf6+ 30.Kf3 Kf7 31.Nf5 Rd5 32.Nh6+ Ke6 33.Bg5 Bxd4 34.Re1+ Re5 35.Bxf6 Rxe1 36.Bxd8 Be5 37.Bg5 c5 38.b3 b5 39.Kg2 c4 40.bxc4 bxc4 41.f4 Ba1 42.f5+ Ke5 43.f6 Ke6 44.f7 Bg7 45.Rf2 Bf8 46.Ng8 Re4 47.Bh6 Rg4+ 48.Kh3 Bd6 49.Rf6+ Ke5 50.Rxd6 1-0 (50) Stegariu,V (2613)-Denov_2791 (2638) Blitz 2022]

6...Ba7 7.d3 h6 8.Bb3 Nge7 9.a4 d6 10.Nbd2 0-0 11.0-0 Ng6 12.Nc4 Nce7 13.Be3 Nf4 14.Bxa7 Rxa7 15.Ne3 Neg6 16.g3 Nh3+ 17.Kg2 c6 18.Ng1 Nxg1 19.Rxg1 Ra8 20.Qh5 Be6 21.Bxe6 fxe6 22.Rgf1 Rad8 23.Ng4 Qf7 24.Kg1 Kh7 25.f3 Nh8 26.Qxf7 Nxf7 27.h4 h5 28.Ne3 g5 29.hxg5 Nxg5 30.Kg2 Kg6 31.d4 exd4 32.cxd4 d5 33.e5 Nf7 34.f4 Nh6 35.Rh1 Nf5 36.Nxf5 Kxf5 37.Kf3 Rh8 38.Rh4 a5 39.bxa5 c5 40.Rah1 cxd4 41.Rxh5+ Rxh5 42.Rxh5+ Kg6 43.Rh1 Rc8 44.Rd1 Rc3+ 45.Kg4 d3 46.Kf3 Ra3 47.Ke3 Rxa4 48.Rxd3 Rxa5 49.Rb3 Kf5 50.Kf3 b5 51.g4+ Kg6 52.Ke3 b4 53.Rxb4 Ra3+ 54.Kf2 Ra2+ 55.Kg3 Ra1 56.Kh4 Rh1+ 57.Kg3 Rg1+ 58.Kf3 Rf1+ 59.Kg2 Re1 60.Rb6 Kf7 61.Kg3 Re3+ 62.Kh4 d4 63.Rd6 d3 64.Kg5 Rg3 65.f5 exf5 66.Kxf5 Rf3+ 67.Ke4 Rg3 68.Kf4 Rh3 69.g5 Ke7 70.g6 Rh4+ 71.Kg5 Rh3 72.Kf5 Rf3+ 73.Kg4 Re3 74.Kf4 Rh3 75.Rd4 Rh4+ 76.Ke3 Rh3+ 77.Kd2 Rg3 78.Rd6 Rg5 79.g7 Rxg7 80.Kxd3 Rg4 81.Ra6 Rh4 82.Ke3 Rg4 83.Kd3 Rh4 84.Ke3 Rh5 85.Kd4 Rh1 86.Ra7+ Ke6 87.Ra6+ Ke7 88.Ra7+ Ke6 89.Ra6+ Ke7

½-½ (89) Miquella (2851)-Denov_2791 (2685) Blitz 2023

5...d6 6.d4 exd4

[6...Ba7 7.Bxc6+ bxc6 1-0 (7) Huebner,R (2634)-Sensburg,A (1573) Munich GER 2002]

7.cxd4 Bb4+ 8.Nc3

[8.Bd2 Bxd2+ 9.Nbxd2 b5 10.Bb3 Nf6 11.h3 0-0 12.0-0 Nb4 13.a3 Nd3 14.e5 dxe5 15.dxe5 Nh5 16.Ne4 Bb7 17.Neg5 h6 18.e6 hxg5 19.exf7+ Kh8 20.Ne5 Nhf4 21.Ng6+ Kh7 22.Nxf8+ Qxf8 23.Qg4 Qc5 24.g3 Ne5 25.Qf5+ g6 26.Qxe5 Qxe5 27.gxf4 gxf4 0-1 (27) Jaguar_92 (2738)-nepomniatchi0 (2783) Blitz 2021]

8...Bg4

[8...Nf6 9.0-0 0-0 10.Bg5 Bxc3 11.bxc3 Bg4 12.Qd3 h6 13.Bh4 Qe7 14.Rfe1 Rad8 15.Bxc6 bxc6 16.e5 dxe5 17.Nxe5 Qe6 18.Bxf6 gxf6 19.Ng6 Qf5 20.Ne7+ 1-0 (20) Sadhwani,R (2619)-Narayanan,S (2559) chess.com INT 2022]

9.h3 Bxf3 10.Qxf3 b5 11.Bb3 Nf6 12.Qd3 0-0 13.0-0 Re8 14.Bg5 Qe7 15.Bd5 Qd7 16.Bxf6 gxf6 17.Ne2 Ne7 18.Bxa8 Rxa8 19.Qf3 Ng6 20.Ng3 Qe6 21.Rfd1 Kh8 22.Rac1 Ba5 23.Nh5 Rg8 24.Qxf6+ Qxf6 25.Nxf6 Rf8 26.Nd5 f5 27.exf5 Rxf5 28.Nxc7 Nf4 29.Rc6 Bxc7 30.Rxc7 Rg5 31.g3 Nxh3+ 32.Kg2 Nf4+ 33.Kf1 Nd5 34.Rd7 Nb6 35.Rxd6 Nc4 36.Rxa6 Nxb2 37.Re1 Rg8 38.Re7 Nc4 39.Raa7 Rd8 40.Rxh7+ Kg8 41.Rag7+ Kf8 42.Rg5 b4 43.Kg2 Nb6 44.Rh8+ Ke7 45.Re5+ Kd7 46.Rh6 Kc7 47.Rc5+ Kb7 48.Rb5 Kc7 49.Rbxb6 Rxd4 50.Rbc6+ Kb7 51.Rcg6 Rd7 52.Rb6+ Kc7 53.Rxb4 Rd5 54.a4 Ra5 55.Rg4 Rd5 56.Rg7+ Rd7 57.Rxd7+ Kxd7 58.a5 Kc7 59.Rb6 Kc8 60.Rb5 Kd7 61.Rb7+ Kd6 62.Rb4 Kc5 63.Rb8 Kc4 64.a6 Kd5 65.a7 Kc4 66.Rc8+ Kd5 67.a8Q+ Ke6 68.Qe4+ Kd6 69.Rc6+ Kd7 70.Qe6+ Kd8 71.Rc8#

1-0 (71) simbelmyne-bot (2800)-OpeningsBot (2653) Rapid 2025

[46] **6.a3** Ba7 7.b4 Ng6 8.d3 0-0

[8...d6 9.Bg5 f6 10.Bd2 0-0 11.h4 Kh8 12.h5 Nge7 13.Nh4 Qe8 14.g4 Be6 15.Bb3 d5 16.a4 Rd8 17.Na3 Qf7 18.Rb1 Kg8 19.Qe2 Nb8

20.Rh3 Nd7 21.Rg3 c5 22.Nf5 c4 23.Bh6 cxb3 24.Bxg7 Qxg7 25.Nxg7 Kxg7 26.c4 dxe4 27.dxe4 Nc6 28.c5 Nxb4 29.Rgxb3 Bxb3 30.Rxb3 a5 31.Nc4 Nxc5 32.Rf3 Ncd3+ 33.Kf1 Nf4 34.Rxf4 exf4 35.e5 Bd4 36.Qe4 Rf7 37.e6 Re7 38.g5 fxg5 39.Qf5 Bf6 40.h6+ Kg8 41.Qxf6 f3 42.Qxg5+ Kf8 43.Qf6+ Kg8 44.Ne3 Rc8 45.Kg1 Rcc7 46.Nf5 Nd5 47.Qg5+ Kf8 48.Kh2 Rxe6 49.Qg3 Rxh6+ 50.Nxh6 Rf7 51.Qe5 Nf6 52.Qe6 Rg7 53.Qc8+ 1-0 (53) drawingchest (2638)-HelgiGretarsson (2697) Blitz 2021]

9.Bb3 d6 10.h4 Be6 11.h5 Bxb3 12.Qxb3 Nf4 13.Bxf4 exf4 14.d4 Re8 15.Nbd2 d5 16.e5 f6 17.e6 Rxe6+ 18.Kf1 Qd7 19.Rh4 Rae8 20.Rxf4 Re2 21.g3 Qh3+ 22.Kg1 Qxh5 23.Kg2 Ne7 24.Rh4 Qg6 25.Rah1 h6 26.Rh5 c6 27.Qd1 Nf5 28.Rxf5 Qxf5 29.Nb3 Rb2 30.Nfd2 Qc2 31.Qh5 Re7 32.Qg4 f5 33.Qg6 Rxb3 34.Rxh6 Qxd2 35.Qh7+ Kf8 36.Qxf5+ Kg8 37.Qh7+ Kf7 38.Qf5+ Kg8 39.Qh7+ Kf8 40.Qf5+ Rf7 41.Qc8+ Ke7 42.Re6# 1-0 (42) drawingchest (2641)-HelgiGretarsson (2673) Blitz 2021

6.b4 Ba7 7.Bb3 0-0 8.d3 d6 9.Be3 Bg4 10.Bxa7 Rxa7 11.h3 Be6 12.0-0 h6 13.Nbd2 Qd7 14.a3 f5 15.d4 fxe4 16.Nxe4 b6 17.d5 Nxd5 18.Bxd5 Ne7 19.Bxe6+ Qxe6 20.Re1 Raa8 21.c4 Ng6 22.Qd5 Qxd5 23.cxd5 Nf4 24.Rad1 Nxh3+ 25.gxh3 Rxf3 26.Re3 Rf4 27.Kg2 Raf8 28.f3 R8f7 29.Rc1 g5 30.Kf2 Kh7 31.Ke2 Kg6 32.Rec3 Rf8 33.Nd2 Rh4 34.Rxc7 Rxh3 35.Rd7 Rh2+ 36.Ke3 Rf4 37.Rxd6+ Kh5 38.Rcc6 1-0 (38) miki_train (2625)-Calzonesdesuperman (2625) Blitz 2024

47 **6...Ba7** 7.0-0

[7.Nbd2 d6 8.Nf1 0-0 9.Ng3 h6 10.Nh4 f5 11.Bb3+ Kh7 12.exf5 Nxf5 13.Nhxf5 Bxf5 14.Nxf5 Rxf5 15.0-0 Qh4 16.d4 Kh8 17.g3 Qh3 18.Be6 exd4 19.Bxf5 Qxf5 20.Kg2 d3 21.Be3 Bxe3 22.fxe3 Qg6 23.Qf3 Re8 24.Rad1 Ne5 25.Qf4 Qe6 26.b3 Ng4 27.e4 Ne5 28.Qf5 Qe7 29.h4 b5 30.Rf4 c5 31.Qh5 Rf8 32.Rdf1 Rxf4 33.gxf4 Nd7 34.Qd5 Qxh4 35.Qxd3 Qg4+ 36.Kh2 Nf6 37.Qf3 Qxf3 38.Rxf3 Nxe4 39.Re3 Nf6 40.Re6 Nd5 41.c4 bxc4 42.bxc4 Nb4 43.Rxd6 Nxa2 44.Rxa6 Nc3 45.Kg2 Ne4 46.Ra4 g5 47.Kf3 Nd6 48.fxg5 hxg5 49.Kg4 Kg7 50.Kxg5 Kf7 51.Kf4 Ke6 52.Ke3 Kd7 53.Kd3 Kc7 54.Ra6 Kd7 55.Ra1 Kc7 56.Rh1 Kc6 57.Rh6 Kc7 58.Rh4 Kd7 59.Rh5 Kc6 60.Kc3 Nb7 61.Rg5 Nd6 62.Rg6 Kc7 63.Kd3 Kd7 64.Rg1 Kc7 65.Rc1 Kd7 66.Ke3 Ke6 67.Kd3 Kd7 68.Ra1 Kc7 69.Ra4 Kc6 70.Ke3 Kd7 71.Kf4 Ke6 72.Ra6 Kd7 73.Ra4 Ke6 ½-½ (73) Nihal,S (2693)-Santos Latasa,J (2612) chess.com INT 2024]

7...0-0

[7...d6 8.Be3 *(8.Bb3 0-0 9.a4 Kh8 10.Ng5 f5 11.Qh5 h6 12.Nf7+ Rxf7 13.Qxf7 Bd7 14.Qh5 Be8 15.Qh3 Bg6 16.Nd2 f4 17.Nf3 Bh7 18.Re1 Qf8 19.a5 g5 20.d4 Qg7 21.dxe5 g4 22.Qh5 gxf3 23.Qxf3 Nxe5 24.Qh3 f3 25.Bxh6 Qxg2+ 26.Qxg2 fxg2 27.Kxg2 Bxf2 28.Kxf2 Ng4+ 29.Kg3 Nxh6 30.e5 Nhf5+ 31.Kh3 d5 32.Ra4 c6 33.Rg4 Rf8 34.e6 Ng6 35.Bc2 Nfe7 36.Bxg6 Bxg6*

37.Kg3 Kg7 38.h4 Nf5+ 39.Kh2 Kf6 40.e7 Nxe7 41.Rxe7 Kxe7 42.Rxg6 Rf2+ 43.Rg2 Rf4 44.Kg3 Ra4 45.h5 Kf6 46.Rf2+ Kg5 47.Re2 Kxh5 48.Re7 Rxa5 49.Rxb7 Rb5 50.Rc7 Rxb2 51.Rxc6 Rb3 52.Kf4 a5 53.Ke5 a4 54.Kxd5 a3 55.c4 a2 56.Ra6 Rb2 57.c5 Rd2+ 58.Kc6 Rc2 59.Kd6 Rd2+ 60.Kc6 Kg5 61.Kc7 Kf5 62.c6 Ke6 63.Kb7 Rb2+ 64.Kc8 Kd6 65.c7+ Kc5 66.Rxa2 Rxa2 67.Kd8 Rd2+ 68.Ke8 Re2+ 69.Kd8 Kd6 70.c8Q Rf2 71.Qd7+ Ke5 72.Qe7+ Kd4 73.Qf7 Ke3 74.Qe7+ Kf3 75.Qd6 Kg2 0-1 (75) random1234321 (2616)-Yurasova,D (2064) Blitz 2025*)* 8...Bg4 9.Nbd2 0-0 10.Re1 f5 11.Bb3+ Kh8 12.Be6 Bxe3 13.fxe3 Bh5 14.Rf1 fxe4 15.Nxe4 d5 16.Ng3 Bxf3 17.Rxf3 Qd6 18.Bh3 g6 19.Qe2 Kg7 20.Raf1 Ng8 21.d4 Rxf3 22.Qxf3 Nf6 23.Bf5 Rf8 24.Bc2 Nd7 25.Qg4 Rxf1+ 26.Kxf1 Qf6+ 27.Kg1 Qf7 28.h4 Nf6 29.Qc8 exd4 30.exd4 Qe7 31.Qxb7 Qe1+ 32.Nf1 Ng4 33.Qxc7+ Ne7 34.Qf4 h5 35.Qg3 Qc1 36.Bd3 Qxb2 37.Qf4 Qxc3 38.Be2 Nf6 39.Qe5 Nf5 40.Bxa6 Nxd4 41.Qe7+ Kh6 42.Qf8+ Kh7 43.Qf7+ Kh6 44.Qf8+ Kh7 45.Qf7+ Kh6 46.Qf8+ ½-½ (46) Johnking (2643)-ViktorMMs (2643) Blitz 2021]

8.Nbd2

[8.Be3

A) 8...d6 9.Nbd2 f5 10.Bxa7 Rxa7 11.d4 fxe4 12.Nxe4 d5 13.Ned2 e4 14.Ne1 Ng6 *(14...Nf5 15.Bxc6 bxc6 16.Nc2 Qg5 17.f4 Qh6 18.Qe1 a5 19.Ne3 Ba6 20.Rf2 Rb7 21.b3 Bd3 22.Nxf5 Rxf5 23.Qe3 Rb8 24.Nf3 Rxf4 25.Ne5 Rxf2 26.Qxf2 Rf8 27.Qg3 Qd2 28.h4 Qxc3 29.Rd1 Qxd4+ 30.Kh1 Qf2 31.Qg4 Qf5 32.Qg3 Qf4 33.Qxf4 Rxf4 34.Nxd3 exd3 35.Rxd3 Rxh4+ 36.Kg1 d4 37.Rd2 Kf7 38.Rc2 Rh6 39.Kf2 Rd6 40.Ke1 Ke7 41.Rc5 Rd5 42.Rxc6 Kd7* 0-1 (42) shadycharacter06 (2658)-MasterAssasin123 (2701) Blitz 2024 *)* 15.Bxc6 bxc6 16.Nc2 Qg5 17.Ne3 Nf4 18.Kh1 Rf6 19.g3 Nd3 20.Qe2 Bh3 21.f4 exf3 22.Rxf3 Rxf3 23.Nxf3 Qg6 24.Ng2 Ra8 25.Rd1 Bxg2+ 26.Qxg2 Qe4 27.Rf1 Rf8 28.h3 h6 29.Kh2 a5 30.a4 Rb8 31.Ne5 Rxb2 0-1 (31) fxtxlity (2660)-spectraline (2582) Blitz 2023;

B) 8...Bxe3 9.fxe3 d6 *(9...Ng6 10.Nbd2 d6 11.Qe1 f5 12.exf5 Bxf5 13.Qg3 Bxd3 14.Bb3+ Kh8 15.Ng5 Bxf1 16.Rxf1 d5 17.Nf7+ Rxf7 18.Rxf7 Qd6 19.Nf3 Rf8 20.Ng5 Nd8 21.Qf3 c6 22.Qh5 h6 23.Qxg6* 1-0 (23) afgano45 (2650)-SlimFritz (2799) Blitz 2022*)* 10.Nbd2 Bd7 11.Qe1 Ng6 12.Qg3 h6 13.h4 Kh7 14.h5 Nge7 15.Nh4 Ng8 16.Ndf3 Nce7 17.d4 Bxa4 18.dxe5 dxe5 19.Nxe5 f6 20.Neg6 Nxg6 21.Qxg6+ Kh8 22.e5 Be8 23.Qg4 Qe7 24.e6 f5 25.Nxf5 Qg5 26.Qe4 Bc6 27.Qf4 Qxg2# 0-1 (27) Mariano,N (2748)-train_account (2644) Blitz 2024]

[8.d4 exd4 9.cxd4 d5 10.exd5 Qxd5 11.Nc3 Qh5 12.d5 Ne5 13.Nxe5 Qxe5 14.Re1 Qd6 15.Qf3 Ng6 16.Bb3 Bd7 17.Ne4 Ne5 18.Qg3 Qe7 19.Bg5 f6 20.d6+ 1-0 (20) apollothedog (2689)-spectraline (2583) Blitz 2023]

[8.Re1 d6

A) 9.Nbd2

A1) 9...Kh8 10.Nf1 f5 11.Ng3 f4 12.Ne2 Bg4 13.d4 Bxf3 14.gxf3 Ng6 15.Bxc6 bxc6 16.dxe5 Nh4 17.Nxf4 Qg5+ 18.Kh1 Rxf4 19.Rg1 Qxe5 20.Bxf4 Qxf4 21.Rg3 Bxf2 22.Rg4 Qf6 23.Qd3 h5 24.e5 dxe5 25.Ra4 Qg5 26.Qf1 Be3 27.Qh3 Ng6 28.Re4 Rf8 29.Re1 Bc5 30.b4 Bf2 31.Rf1 Bb6 32.Rfe1 Rf4 33.R4e2 Kh7 34.Rg2 Qf6 35.Qxh5+ Kg8 36.Rxg6 Qf5 37.Rg5 Qf6 38.Qe8+ Qf8 39.Qxc6 Rxf3 40.Qd5+ Qf7 41.Qxf7+ Kxf7 42.Rgxe5 Rxc3 43.a4 Rc4 44.a5 Bd4 45.Re7+ Kf6 46.R7e6+ Kf7 47.Rxa6 Rxb4 48.Rc6 Ra4 49.a6 Bb6 50.Ree6 Rxa6 51.Kg2 Ra2+ 52.Kh3 Ra3+ 53.Kg4 Ra4+ 54.Kh5 Ra5+ 55.Kg4 Ra4+ 56.Kf3 Ra5 57.Re4 Rf5+ 58.Rf4 Rxf4+ 59.Kxf4 Ba5 60.h4 Bd2+ 61.Kf5 Ba5 62.h5 Bb6 63.Re6 Bc5 64.Re5 Bd6 65.Re4 Bh2 66.Rh4 Bd6 67.h6 gxh6 68.Rxh6 Ke7 69.Rh7+ Kd8 70.Ke6 Kc8 71.Rf7 Kb7 72.Rf5 Kc6 73.Rf2 Kb6 74.Rc2 Bg3 75.Kd5 Bd6 76.Rc6+ Kb7 77.Rc4 Kc8 78.Rc3 Kd7 79.Rb3 c6+ 80.Kc4 Bc7 81.Rd3+ Bd6 82.Rd2 Kc7 83.Rd1 c5 84.Rc1 Kc6 85.Rc2 Bc7 86.Rc1 Bb6 87.Rb1 Bc7 88.Rb3 Bb6 89.Rd3 Bc7 90.Rd5 Bb6 91.Rf5 Bc7 92.Rf6+ Kb7 93.Rg6 Bb6 94.Rg7+ Ka6 95.Rg6 Ka5 96.Rg7 Ka4 97.Rg6 Ka3 98.Rg5 Ba5 99.Rg4 Ka4 100.Rg3 Bb4 101.Rg2 1-0 (101) Yiyi1984 (2656)-Blitzkriegvictory (2557) Blitz 2023;

A2) 9...f5 10.Nf1 *(10.Bb3+ Kh8 11.Ng5 Qe8 12.Ngf3 Ng6 13.Nf1 fxe4 14.Rxe4 Bf5 15.Re1 Bg4 16.N1d2 Nh4 17.Re4 Nxf3+ 18.Nxf3 Bxf3 19.gxf3 Ne7 20.d4 exd4 21.Bc2 Qf7 22.cxd4 Nf5 23.Rf4 Qg6+ 24.Rg4 Qf6 25.Qd3 g6 26.Bg5 Qg7 27.Re1 Rae8 28.Rge4 Rxe4 29.Rxe4 Bxd4 30.Qb3 b5 31.Rf4 Be5* 0-1 (31) Trainerdelfuturo (2632)-MihailRodin (2558) Blitz 2022*)* 10...fxe4 11.dxe4 Ng6 12.Bg5 Bxf2+ 13.Kh1 Qe8 14.Re2 Bb6 15.Ng3 h6 16.Be3 Nf4 17.Re1 Bxe3 18.Rxe3 Bg4 19.Qb3+ Qf7 20.Qxb7 Na5 21.Qb4 Nc4 22.Bb3 Be6 23.Bxc4 Bxc4 24.Qa5 Be6 25.b3 Bg4 26.Rf1 Qd7 27.c4 Rf7 28.Rd1 Raf8 29.Nxe5 dxe5 30.Rxd7 Rxd7 31.Re1 Re7 32.h3 Bc8 33.Qc5 Rff7 34.Rd1 Kh7 35.Nf5 Bxf5 36.exf5 e4 37.Re1 Nd3 38.Qe3 Nxe1 39.Qxe1 e3 40.g4 e2 41.Kg2 Re8 42.Kf2 Kg8 0-1 (42) PI3K (2640)-HowardShore (2645) Blitz 2024;

A3) 9...h6 10.Nf1 f5 11.Be3 *(11.Bb3+ Kh8 12.Be3 fxe4 13.dxe4 Bg4 14.N1d2 Bxe3 15.Rxe3 Ng6 16.h3 Bd7 17.Kh2 Nf4 18.Ng1 Qe7 19.Qf1 Rf6 20.g3 Ne6 21.Rf3 Raf8 22.Qe2 Ng5 23.Rxf6 Rxf6 24.h4 Ne6 25.Nc4 g5 26.Ne3 Qf8 27.Nf5 Ne7 28.hxg5 Nxg5*

29.Bc2 Nxf5 30.exf5 Bxf5 31.Bxf5 Rxf5 32.Kg2 e4 33.Qe3 Qf7 34.Rf1 Qxa2 35.b4 Kh7 36.Ne2 Rf3 37.Qd4 Qxe2 0-1 (37) mango_toxico (2646)-LazaroBruzon (2779) Blitz 2021*)* 11...f4 12.Bxa7 Rxa7 13.d4 Bg4 14.dxe5 dxe5 15.Qxd8 Rxd8 16.N1d2 Raa8 17.h3 Bh5 18.Bb3+ Kf8 19.Bd1 Rd7 20.Nc4 Bxf3 21.Bxf3 b5 22.Na3 Rd2 23.Re2 Rad8 24.Rae1 Nc8 25.Nb1 Rxe2 26.Bxe2 Nb6 27.Rd1 Rxd1+ 28.Bxd1 Nc4 29.b3 Nd6 30.Bc2 g5 31.Nd2 Ke7 32.g3 Kf6 33.Kg2 b4 34.cxb4 Nxb4 35.Bb1 Nc6 36.Bd3 a5 37.a3 Nd4 38.b4 axb4 39.axb4 Nc6 40.b5 Nd4 41.Kf1 N6xb5 42.Bxb5 Nxb5 43.Ke2 Nd4+ 44.Kd3 fxg3 45.fxg3 Ke6 46.Nf1 Kd6 47.Ne3 c6 48.Ng4 h5 49.Nh6 Ke6 50.g4 h4 51.Nf5 Nxf5 52.exf5+ Kd5 53.Ke3 c5 54.Kd3 e4+ 55.Ke3 Ke5 56.Ke2 c4 57.Kd2 Kd5 58.Ke3 c3 59.Ke2 Ke5 60.Ke3 Kd5 61.Ke2 Ke5 62.Ke3 Kd5 ½-½ (62) VIPA21 (2663)-spectraline (2589) Blitz 2022;

B) 9.h3 h6 *(9...f5 10.Be3 Bxe3 11.Rxe3 f4 12.Re1 h6 13.d4 g5 14.dxe5 Nxe5 15.Nxe5 dxe5 16.Nd2 Qd6 17.Qe2 b5 18.Bb3+ Kg7 19.Rad1 Qf6 20.c4 Rb8 21.cxb5 axb5 22.Rc1 c6 23.Rc5 Ng6 24.Rec1 Bd7 25.Bd1 Nh4 26.Qd3 Rbd8 27.Qc3 Rfe8 28.Nf3 Ng6 29.Nh2 Re7 30.Bh5 Nf8 31.Rd1 Rc8 32.Bg4 Kg6 33.Bxd7 Nxd7 34.Ng4 Qe6 35.Rxd7 Qxd7 36.Nxe5+ Rxe5 37.Rxe5 Re8 38.Rxe8 Qxe8 39.Qd4 Qe6 40.b3 h5 41.Kh2 g4 42.hxg4 hxg4 43.Kg1 Kg5 44.Kf1 g3 45.fxg3 fxg3 46.Qe3+ Kg4 47.Qf3+ Kh4 48.Qf4+ Qg4 49.Qxg4+ Kxg4 50.a4 bxa4 51.bxa4 Kf4 52.a5* 1-0 (52) Howell,D (2668)-Matinian, N (2421) chess.com INT 2025*)* 10.Nbd2 f5 11.Bb3+ Kh8 12.Nf1 fxe4 13.dxe4 Ng6 14.Ne3 Nf4 15.Kh2 Qf6 16.Nd5 Nxd5 17.exd5 Ne7 18.Be3 Bxe3 19.Rxe3 Nf5 20.Re4 Bd7 21.Rg4 Ne7 22.Re4 Ng6 23.Bc2 Nf4 24.Re3 Rf7 25.Qd2 Raf8 26.Be4 g5 27.Rg1 h5 28.c4 g4 29.Ne1 gxh3 30.g3 Ng6 31.Rf3 Qg7 32.Rxf7 Rxf7 33.Rf1 h4 34.Qg5 hxg3+ 35.Qxg3 Bf5 36.Bxf5 Rxf5 37.Nf3 Qf6 38.Ng1 Nf4 39.Nf3 e4 40.Rg1 Ng6 41.Nh4 Qxh4 42.Qxg6 Rxf2+ 43.Kh1 Rg2 44.Qe8+ Kh7 45.Qf7+ Kh6 46.Qf8+ Kg5 47.Qe7+ Kh5 48.Qh7+ Kg4 49.Qxe4+ Kg3 50.Qe3+ Kg4 51.Qe4+ Kg5 0-1 (51) Tandilensis (2677)-SGchess01 (2724) Blitz 2023]

[8.Bd2 d6 9.Bc1 h6 10.Nbd2 f5 11.Re1 Kh8 12.h3 Qe8 13.Nf1 fxe4 14.dxe4 Ng6 15.Ng3 Qe7 16.Be3 Nf4 17.Nf5 Bxf5 18.Bxf4 Bxh3 19.Bg5 hxg5 20.gxh3 Rf4 21.Qd3 Raf8 22.Bd1 Qf6 23.Kg2 g4 24.hxg4 Rxg4+ 25.Kf1 Qh4 26.Qc2 Qh3+ 27.Ke2 Qxf3+ 28.Kd2 Qxf2+ 29.Re2 Qf4+ 30.Kd3 Rg3+ 31.Kc4 b5+ 32.Kb3 Na5+ 33.Ka3 Nc4+ 34.Kb3 Kg8 35.a4 Qf7 36.axb5 Ne3+ 0-1 (36) dangerouschess07 (2662)-Dekelija (2743) Blitz 2024]

[8.Bg5 f6 9.Be3 d6 *(9...Kh8 10.Bxa7 Rxa7 11.Nbd2 d6 12.d4*

Bg4 13.h3 Bh5 14.Qe1 Ra8 15.Qe3 f5 16.exf5 Nxf5 17.Qg5 Bxf3 18.Qxd8 Raxd8 19.Nxf3 b5 20.Bc2 exd4 21.Bxf5 Rxf5 22.cxd4 Ne7 23.Rac1 Nd5 24.Rc6 Ra8 25.Re1 Kg8 26.a3 h6 27.Nd2 Rff8 28.Rec1 Rfe8 29.Kf1 Kf7 30.Nb1 Ra7 31.Nc3 Ne7 32.Ne2 Nxc6 33.Rxc6 Ke6 34.Rc3 Kd5 35.Rg3 c5 36.dxc5 dxc5 37.Nc3+ Kc4 38.Nd1 Rd7 39.Rc3+ Kd5 40.Ne3+ Kc6 41.Ke2 Red8 42.Rc2 a5 43.a4 bxa4 44.Nc4 Kb5 45.Na3+ Kb4 46.Nc4 Rd4 47.Ne3 c4 48.Rc3 Rd2+ 49.Kf3 Rf8+ 50.Ke4 Rdxf2 51.Rxc4+ Kb3 52.Rc5 Re8+ 53.Kd3 Rxe3+ 54.Kxe3 Rxb2 55.Kd3 Rxg2 56.Rb5+ Ka3 57.h4 Rg4 58.Kc2 Rxh4 59.Rxa5 Rh2+ 60.Kc3 Rh3+ 61.Kc2 Rh4 62.Rf5 Rh2+ 63.Rf2 Rxf2+ 0-1 (63) Naroditsky,D (2617)-Lobanov,S (2535) chess.com INT 2022 *)* 10.h3 Kh8 11.d4 Bd7 12.Bc2 Ng6 13.Nbd2 exd4 14.cxd4 f5 15.exf5 Bxf5 16.Bxf5 Rxf5 17.Rc1 Qd7 18.Qb3 Bb6 19.d5 Nce5 20.Bxb6 Nxf3+ 21.Nxf3 cxb6 22.Qxb6 Rxf3 23.Rc7 Qf5 24.Qxb7 Rg8 25.gxf3 Qxh3 26.Rf7 Nh4 27.Rxg7 Rxg7+ 28.Qxg7+ Kxg7 29.f4 Qg2# 0-1 (29) DLChess2018 (2661)-Fightbro (2608) Blitz 2023]

[8.Qe2 d6 9.Rd1 Ng6 10.h3 h6 11.d4 Qf6 12.Bxc6 bxc6 13.Be3 Nf4 14.Bxf4 Qxf4 15.dxe5 dxe5 16.Nbd2 a5 17.Kh1 Re8 18.g3 Qf6 19.Kg2 a4 20.Nc4 Ba6 21.b3 Rab8 22.Rab1 Qe6 23.Nh4 Bc5 24.Nf5 Bf8 25.Nfe3 axb3 26.axb3 Bc5 27.Qg4 Qf6 28.b4 Bf8 29.Na5 c5 30.Nd5 Qd6 31.bxc5 Qg6 32.Qxg6 fxg6 33.Nxc7 1-0 (33) Kastorcito (2635)-Stoichess (2554) Blitz 2021]

8...Ng6 9.Re1 d6 10.Nf1 h6

[10...f5 11.exf5 *(11.Be3 h6 12.exf5 Bxf5 13.Qb3+ Kh7 14.Qxb7 Na5 15.Qb4 c5 16.Qa3 Bxd3 17.N1d2 e4 18.c4 Nxc4 19.Nxc4 Bxc4 20.Nd2 Bd3 21.f3 c4 22.Bxa7 Rxa7 23.Nxe4 d5 24.Nc5 Nf4 25.Nxd3 Nxd3 26.Bc2 Qb6+ 27.Kh1 Kh8 28.Qxf8+* 1-0 (28) KillerAnaconda (2619)-spectraline (2562) Blitz 2023*)* 11...Bxf5 12.h3 Qd7 13.Be3 b5 14.Bb3+ Kh8 15.d4 e4 16.N3d2 d5 17.Ng3 Be6 18.Ndxe4 Rae8 19.Ng5 Bf5 20.Nxf5 Qxf5 21.Bc2 Qf6 22.Qh5 h6 23.Qxg6 Qxg6 24.Bxg6 1-0 (24) Iron_Man1703 (2698)-Calzonesdesuperman (2586) Blitz 2023]

[10...Nce7 11.Be3 h6 12.Bxa7 Rxa7 13.d4 b5 14.Bb3 Bb7 15.Ng3 Ra8 16.a4 c6 17.Qd2 Qc7 18.Rad1 Rad8 19.h4 c5 20.h5 Nf4 21.Qe3 Kh8 22.Rd2 Ng8 23.Red1 f6 24.dxc5 dxc5 25.Rxd8 Rxd8 26.Rxd8 Qxd8 27.Qxc5 bxa4 28.Bxa4 Qd3 29.Qf8 Bxe4 30.Nxe4 Ne2+ 31.Kh2 Qxe4 32.Bb3 Qh7 33.Nh4 g5 34.Ng6+ 1-0 (34) stairsarecool (2690)-AndreyBelozerov (2685) Blitz 2024]

[10...f6 11.h3 Kh8 12.d4 Bd7 13.Ne3 Qe8 14.Bb3 Rd8 15.Nd5 Bb8 16.a4 Nce7 17.Ne3 Ng8 18.Bd2 Be6 19.Bc2 c6 20.c4 N8e7 21.b4 Bc8 22.Bc3 Nf4 23.Nf5 Qf7 24.Nxe7 Qxe7 25.Bd2 g5 26.Bxf4 gxf4 27.Nh4 Rg8 28.Kh1 Rg5 29.Nf5 Bxf5 30.exf5 Rdg8 31.Be4 Qg7 32.Qf3 Ba7 33.dxe5 dxe5 34.Red1 Bd4 35.Rab1 Qh6 36.Rg1 Qh4 37.b5 Bxf2 38.bxc6 Bxg1 39.Rxg1 bxc6 40.Kh2 Rg3 41.Qf1 f3 42.Bxf3 Qf4 43.Kh1 e4 44.Be2

Qe3 45.Bh5 R8g5 46.Bf7 Qd4 47.Kh2 e3 48.Qe2 Qe5 49.Kh1 Kg7 50.Be6 h5 51.c5 Qf4 52.Rd1 Qf2 53.Rd7+ Kh6 54.Bg8 Rxg8 55.Rh7+ Kxh7 56.Qxh5+ Kg7 0-1 (56) yiyi1984 (2671)-Calzonesdesuperman (2623) Blitz 2024]

[10...Kh8 11.h3 h6 12.Ng3 f5 13.exf5 Bxf5 14.Nxf5 Rxf5 15.Bxc6 bxc6 16.d4 Qf6 17.Be3 e4 18.Nd2 d5 19.f3 exf3 20.Nxf3 Rf8 21.Rf1 Qd6 22.Nd2 Qg3 23.Qe2 c5 24.Rxf5 Rxf5 25.Rf1 Rxf1+ 26.Nxf1 Qd6 27.Qg4 c6 28.Qc8+ Kh7 29.Qxa6 Bb8 30.dxc5 Qf6 31.Qc8 Be5 32.Qg4 Qf8 33.a4 Qb8 34.Qe2 Ne7 35.Qd3+ Kh8 36.b4 Ng8 37.b5 Qc8 38.b6 Nf6 39.a5 Bb8 40.a6 Qd7 41.a7 Bxa7 42.bxa7 Qxa7 43.Bd4 Ne4 44.Nd2 Ng5 45.Qf5 Qe7 46.Kh2 Ne6 47.Qe5 Qf7 48.Nf3 Nf4 49.Qb8+ Kh7 50.Ne5 Qf5 51.Nf3 Ne2 52.Qe5 Qxe5+ 53.Nxe5 g5 54.Nxc6 Kg6 55.Ne5+ Kf5 56.Nf3 Ke4 57.c6 Nf4 58.c7 Nxh3 59.Kxh3 g4+ 60.Kxg4 h5+ 61.Kxh5 Kd3 62.c8Q Ke4 63.c4 Kd3 64.Qe6 dxc4 65.g4 c3 66.g5 Kc2 67.Ne1+ Kb1 68.g6 c2 69.Qe4 Kc1 70.Qxc2# 1-0 (70) the_german_empire (2632)-Calzonesdesuperman (2635) Blitz 2024]

11.Ng3 Nce7

[11...Be6 12.Bb3 Qd7 13.h3 Rae8 14.Nh5 Bxh3 15.Nh2 Be6 16.Bxh6 f5 17.Bxg7 fxe4 18.Bxf8 Rxf8 19.Ng4 Kh8 20.Ngf6 Qe7 21.Bxe6 Rxf6 22.Nxf6 Qxf6 23.Qh5+ Kg7 24.Bf5 exd3 25.Qxg6+ Qxg6 26.Bxg6 Kxg6 27.Rad1 Kf5 28.Rxd3 e4 29.Rh3 Ne5 30.Rh5+ Kf4 31.Rh4+ Ng4 32.Rxg4+ Normal 1-0 (32) EagleFurios (2748)-AgressiveMode (2783) Blitz 2024]

12.d4 Bg4

[12...exd4 13.cxd4 d5 14.e5 Bg4 15.Be3 f6 16.e6 Qd6 17.Bd7 c6 18.h3 Bxf3 19.Qxf3 f5 20.Nh5 f4 21.Bd2 Bxd4 22.Rad1 Bxb2 23.Qb3 Ba3 24.Bc3 Nf5 25.Qxb7 Nge7 26.Be5 Qb4 27.Rb1 Qxb7 28.Rxb7 g5 29.Nf6+ Kg7 30.Nxd5+ Kg6 31.Nxe7+ Nxe7 32.Rc1 Rf5 33.Re1 a5 34.g4 fxg3 35.fxg3 Bb4 36.Re2 Raf8 37.Kg2 Bc5 38.g4 Rf2+ 39.Rxf2 Rxf2+ 40.Kg3 Re2 41.Bc7 Nd5 42.Bb8 Re3+ 43.Kg2 Nf4+ 44.Kf1 Nd3 45.Kg2 Kf6 46.Bg3 Nf4+ 47.Kf1 Rxg3 0-1 (47) Yiyi1984 (2673)-solxe (2676) Blitz 2023]

13.Qd3 Bxf3 14.gxf3 exd4 15.cxd4 c5 16.d5 c4 17.Qd1 Nh4 18.f4 Qc8 19.f5 b5 20.Bc2 Re8 21.Qg4 Nexf5 22.Nh5 Ng6 23.Bd2 Nd4 24.Bd1 Qxg4+ 25.Bxg4 Ne5 0-1 (25) crackcubano (2775)-efourwhitewins (2773) Blitz 2022

6...0-0 7.Bb3

[7.Nbd2 d5 8.0-0 Bg4 9.exd5 Qxd5 10.Ne4 Bb6 11.Bb3 Qd7 12.h3 Be6 13.Nfg5 Bxb3 14.axb3 h6 15.Nf3 f5 16.Ng3 Rad8 17.Re1 e4 18.Nh4 g5 19.Qh5 gxh4 20.Bxh6 hxg3 21.Qg5+ Kf7 22.d4 gxf2+ 23.Kxf2 Rg8 24.Qh5+ Rg6 25.Bf4 Rdg8 26.Rg1 Nxd4 27.cxd4 Qxd4+ 0-1 (27) Strelok2222 (2632)-kartoGM (2643) Blitz 2021]

[7.d4 exd4 8.cxd4 Bb4+ 9.Nc3 d5 10.e5 Bg4 11.Be3 f6 12.exf6 Rxf6 13.Bxc6 Nxc6 14.Qb3 Bxc3+ 15.bxc3 Bxf3 16.gxf3 Rxf3 17.Qxb7 Na5 18.Qb4 Nc4 19.0-0-0 Rb8 20.Qc5 Rb5 0-1 (20) Pandatoast (2605)-BohmianMechanics (2561)

Blitz 2021]
7...d6 8.h3 h6 9.Qe2 Ng6 10.g3 Kh8 11.Be3 f5 12.Bxc5 dxc5 13.Nbd2 f4 14.g4 a5 15.Ba4 Qf6 16.Nc4 Na7 17.g5 hxg5 18.Bb3 Be6 19.Rg1 a4 20.Nxg5 f3 21.Nxf3 axb3 22.Ng5 Nf4 0-1 (22) likeawhale (2657)-slouuuurps (2637) Blitz 2024

[48] **7.h4** h5 8.d4 Be7 9.d5 Nb8 10.g3 b5 11.Bb3 d6 12.a4 bxa4 13.Bxa4+ Kf8 14.Ng5 Bg4 15.f3 Bd7 16.Na3 Bxg5 17.Bxg5 f6 18.Be3 Kf7 19.Nc4 Ne7 20.0-0 Bxa4 21.Rxa4 Nd7 22.f4 Nb6 23.fxe5 dxe5 24.Nxe5+ Kg8 25.Bxb6 cxb6 26.Nd3 Qd6 27.Nf4 Ng6 28.Rc4 Re8 29.Rc6 Qe5 30.Qd4 Nxf4 31.Rxf4 Qxd4+ 32.cxd4 Rb8 33.d6 Kh7 34.e5 fxe5 35.dxe5 Rbd8 36.e6 Rhe8 37.e7 Rd7 38.Rf8 Rexe7 39.dxe7 Rxe7 40.Rxb6 Re3 41.Kf2 Rd3 42.Re8 a5 43.Re5 g6 44.Rb7+ Kh6 45.Ree7 Rd2+ 46.Ke3 g5 47.Rb6+ Rd6 48.Rxd6# 1-0 (48) chargemax23 (2704)-Goodgoodchess (2782) Blitz 2024

7.Be3 Bxe3 8.fxe3 0-0 9.0-0 d5 10.exd5 Qxd5 11.d4 e4 12.Nfd2 Qg5 13.Qe1 f5 14.Qg3 Qh6 15.Na3 Be6 16.Kh1 Rac8 17.Bxc6 bxc6 18.Nac4 Bd5 19.b3 f4 20.exf4 Nxf4 21.Ne3 Ne2 22.Qh3 Qxh3 23.gxh3 Nxc3 24.Kg2 Nb5 25.Ndc4 Nxd4 26.Rfd1 Ne6 27.Ne5 Nf4+ 28.Kh1 Rce8 29.Nd7 Rf7 30.Nc5 Nxh3 31.Kg2 Nf4+ 32.Kh1 Ne6 33.Nxa6 Rf3 34.Nxd5 cxd5 35.Rxd5 Nf4 36.Rd7 e3 37.Nxc7 e2 38.Rg1 g6 39.Nxe8 Rf1 40.Re7 Nh3 41.Nf6+ Kf8 42.Kg2 Rxg1+ 43.Kxh3 Kxe7 44.Nd5+ Kd6 0-1 (44) miki_train (2627)-MI-DTB (2593) Blitz 2023

[49] **7...Ba7** 8.d4
[8.Be3 0-0 9.Nbd2 d6 10.Bxa7 *(10.Bxc6 bxc6 11.h3 h6 12.Nc4 f5 13.exf5 Bxf5 14.Bxa7 Rxa7 15.Ne3 Be6 16.Nd2 Nf4 17.Ne4 Qe7 18.Kh2 d5 19.Ng3 Raa8 20.Ng4 Qd6 21.Re1 Bxg4 22.hxg4 Rae8 23.Qd2 Qf6 24.Kg1 Qg5 25.Qe3 Qxg4 26.Rad1 Re6 27.Qc5 h5* 0-1 (27) Miguelho67 (2604)-alfredogto (2587) Blitz 2024*)* 10...Rxa7 11.Bxc6 bxc6 12.d4 Rb7 13.Qc2 f6 14.b3 Nf4 15.g3 Nh3+ 16.Kg2 Qe8 17.Ng1 Qh5 18.f3 Nxg1 19.Kxg1 Bh3 20.Rf2 Rbb8 21.Qd3 a5 22.Qc4+ Kh8 23.Qxc6 a4 24.Qxa4 exd4 25.Qxd4 Rb5 26.c4 Rg5 27.Re1 Ra8 28.a4 Qg6 29.f4 Rg4 30.Re3 h5 31.Qd5 Re8 32.f5 Qg5 33.Qd4 h4 34.Nf3 Qh5 35.Nxh4 Qxh4 36.a5 Rexe4 37.Rxe4 Rxe4 38.Re2 Bxf5 39.gxh4 Rxd4 40.a6 Rd1+ 41.Kf2 Ra1 42.Re8+ Kh7 43.Re7 Rxa6 44.Rxc7 Rb6 45.Ke3 Rxb3+ 46.Kf4 Bd3 47.Rc6 Rc3 48.Ke3 Bxc4+ 49.Kd4 Rh3 50.Rxd6 Rxh4+ 51.Ke3 Rxh2 52.Kf4 Rh5 53.Kg3 Bf7 54.Kf2 Bg6 55.Rd7 Rf5+ 56.Ke3 Kh6 57.Kd2 Rg5 58.Rd8 Bh5 59.Rh8+ Kg6 60.Rd8 f5 61.Ke3 Rg4 62.Kf2 Re4 63.Rd6+ Kg5 64.Rd3 g6 65.Kf1 Rg4 66.Rd6 f4 67.Rd5+ Kh4 68.Rd6 g5 69.Rd3 Rg3 70.Rd4 Rf3+ 71.Kg2 Kg4 72.Kh2 Rg3 73.Rd5 Bg6 74.Re5 Be4 75.Rxg5+ Kxg5 ½-½ (75) ertras (2634)-spectraline (2589) Blitz 2023]
8...0-0 9.d5 Nce7 10.h4 d6 11.h5 Nh8 12.h6 f5 13.hxg7 Kxg7 14.exf5 Nxf5 15.Nbd2 Ng6 16.Ne4 h6 17.g3 Qe7 18.Kg2 Qf7 19.Rh1 Nfh4+ 20.Nxh4 Qxf2+ 21.Nxf2 Rxf2+ 22.Kg1 Rxb2+ 23.Kf1 1-0 (23) AkibaRubi (2688)-

ma_long_ma (2670) Blitz 2024

[50] **12.a4** h6 13.axb5 axb5 14.Na3 Qf6 15.Be3 Nf4 16.Nxb5 Ne7 17.Bxf4 Qxf4 18.Na3 Ng6 19.Nc4 Qf6 20.Nxb6 Rxb6 21.b4 Nf4 22.Kh2 c5 23.bxc5 dxc5 24.dxe5 Qg6 25.g3 Nxh3 26.Qe2 Bg4 27.Qe3 Rb2 28.Rec1 Qh5 29.Kg2 Re8 30.Nh2 Rxe5 31.Ra8+ Kh7 32.Nxg4 Qxg4 33.c4 Rg5 34.Kf1 Rxc2 35.Rxc2 Qd1+ 36.Kg2 Qg1+ 37.Kf3 Qh1+ 38.Ke2 Ng1+ 39.Kd3 Nf3 40.Kc3 Ne5 41.f4 Ng4 42.Qd3 Rh5 43.e5+ 1-0 (43) whiplash12 (2819)-ma_long_ma (2676) Blitz 2023

[51] **6...b5** 7.Bb3 [7.Bc2 d6 *(7...Ng6 8.d4 Bb6 9.a4 Rb8 10.axb5 axb5 11.dxe5 Ncxe5 12.Nxe5 Nxe5 13.Qh5 d6 14.h3 0-0 15.Kh1 Qf6 16.f4 Bb7 17.Nd2 Ng6 18.e5 dxe5 19.fxe5 Qe6 20.Nf3 h6 21.Bxh6 gxh6 22.Qxh6 Bxf3 23.Rxf3 Qxe5 24.Raf1 Qg7 25.Qh5 Rbe8 26.Rg3 Re6 27.Bb3 Rf6 28.Rxf6 Qxf6 29.Rxg6+* 1-0 (29) Fritzi_2003 (2692)-Malek_Koniahli (2598) Blitz 2024*; 7...0-0 8.d4 exd4 9.cxd4 Bb6 10.d5 Nb4 11.Bb3 a5 12.a3 Na6 13.Nc3 b4 14.axb4 axb4 15.Ne2 d6 16.Ng3 h6 17.Bd2 Bd7 18.Bc4 Nc5 19.Bxb4 Rxa1 20.Qxa1 f5 21.e5 f4 22.Ne2 Bg4 23.Ned4 Ng6 24.e6 Nh4 25.Nxh4 Qxh4 26.Qe1 f3 27.Qe3 fxg2 28.Kxg2 Ne4 29.e7 Re8 30.Qxe4 Bh3+ 31.Kf3 Bg2+ 32.Kxg2 Qxe4+ 33.Nf3 Qxc4* 0-1 (33) boris1178 (2637)-Odessacoach (2657) Blitz 2024*; 7...Bb6 8.a4 Bb7 9.d4 d6 10.Be3 0-0 11.Nbd2 Ng6 12.d5 Nce7 13.Bxb6 cxb6 14.axb5 axb5 15.Qe2 Nf4 16.Qxb5 Neg6 17.g3 Nh3+ 18.Kg2 Ng5 19.h4 Nxf3 20.Nxf3 Rb8 21.Ra7 Bc8 22.Qc4 Bg4 23.Nh2 Bd7 24.Qc7 Qxc7 25.Rxc7 Rfd8 26.h5 Nf8 27.Ra1 Ra8 28.Rxa8 Rxa8 29.Rb7 b5 30.Rb6 Ra2 31.Rxd6 Rxb2 32.Bd3 Rb3 33.Nf3 Rxc3 34.Nxe5 h6 35.Nxd7 Rxd3 36.Ne5 Rd4 37.Rd8 f6 38.Nd7 Kf7 39.Nxf8 Ke7 40.Rb8 b4 41.Ng6+ Kd7 42.Rb7+ Kd8 43.Rxg7 b3 44.Rb7 Rd3 45.Rb5 Kc8 46.f4 Kc7 47.e5 Rd2+ 48.Kf3 b2 49.d6+ Kc6 50.Ke4 Rd1 51.Rxb2 Re1+ 52.Re2 Rd1 53.Ke3 f5 54.Rd2 Rc1 55.d7 Rc3+* 0-1 (55) Train_account (2633)-Vizhma7 (2710) Blitz 2023*) 8.d4 Bb6 9.a4 *(9.h3 0-0 10.Be3 Kh8 11.Re1 f5 12.dxe5 Bxe3 13.Rxe3 f4 14.Rd3 Qe8 15.exd6 cxd6 16.Rxd6 Bb7 17.Nbd2 Qh5 18.Nb3 Rad8 19.Rxd8 Rxd8 20.Nfd4 Qg5 21.Qg4 Qxg4 22.hxg4 Ne5 23.f3 Nc4 24.Rb1 g5 25.Nc5 Bc8 26.b3 Ne3 27.Bd3 Ng6 28.Bf1 Ne5 29.Nd3 Ng6 30.Kf2 Kg7 31.Be2 Kf6 32.Rh1 Rd7 33.Rh6 Re7 34.Nb4 Kg7 35.Rh5 h6 36.Nbc2 Rc7 37.Nxe3 fxe3+ 38.Kxe3 Rxc3+ 39.Kd2 Rc7 40.g3 Ne5 41.Rh1 Bb7 42.Rc1 Rxc1 43.Kxc1 Kf6 44.Kd2 Nf7 45.Ke3 Nd6 46.Bd3 Ne8 47.Nf5 Nc7 48.Nxh6 Ne6 49.Nf5 Ke5 50.Ne7 Ba8 51.Nf5 Bb7 52.Nh6 Ba8 53.Nf7+ Kf6 54.Nd6 Ke5 55.Nc8 Bc6 56.Ne7 Bb7 57.Be2 Ba8 58.Bd1 Bb7 59.Nf5 Bc6 60.Nh6 Be8 61.b4 Nd8 62.f4+ Kf6 63.Nf5 Nc6 64.a3 a5 65.Nd4 axb4 66.Nxc6 bxa3 67.Nb4 Bf7 68.e5+ Ke7 69.Nc2 Bb3 70.Kd2 Bxc2 71.Kxc2 b4 72.Kb3* 1-0 (72) Strongmama1 (2733)-Andrey11976 (2802) Blitz

2025) 9...Bg4 (9...Bd7 10.Na3 0-0 11.Bg5 bxa4 12.Bxa4 h6 13.Bh4 g5 14.Nxg5 hxg5 15.Bxg5 f6 16.Bb3+ Kg7 17.Be3 Rh8 18.Nc4 Qe8 19.d5 Nd8 20.Bxb6 cxb6 21.Nxd6 Qh5 22.Qxh5 Rxh5 23.Nc4 b5 24.Nb6 Ra7 25.Nxd7 Rxd7 26.Rxa6 Nf7 27.Bd1 Rh4 28.f3 Rh8 29.Be2 Rb8 30.Rfa1 Nc8 31.Ra8 Rxa8 32.Rxa8 Ncd6 33.Rb8 Ra7 34.Bxb5 f5 35.Bd3 fxe4 36.fxe4 Ra4 37.b4 Ra3 38.Kf2 Rxc3 39.Ke3 Rb3 40.b5 Ng5 41.Rb6 Ngxe4 42.h4 Kf7 43.h5 Ke7 44.h6 Nc5 45.h7 Rxd3+ 46.Ke2 Nf7 47.Rc6 Rc3 48.Rc7+ Kf6 49.Rxf7+ Kxf7 50.h8Q Rc4 51.Kd1 Rd4+ 52.Ke1 Rxd5 53.Qh7+ Ke6 54.Qh6+ Kd7 55.Qh5 Kd6 56.Qg4 Ne6 57.Qg6 Rxb5 58.Qc2 Rd5 59.Qb3 Rd4 60.Qb8+ Kd5 61.Qb7+ Kd6 62.Qf3 Nc5 63.Qa3 Kd5 64.Qa8+ Kc4 65.Qg8+ Kd3 66.Qg7 Kc3 67.Qg6 Nd3+ 68.Kf1 Kc4 69.Kg1 Nc5 70.Kh2 Kb4 71.Qg5 Rd2 72.Qg4+ Kb5 73.Qf4 Rxg2+ 74.Kxg2 Kb6 75.Kh3 exf4 76.Kh4 Ka5 0-1 (76) AimlessTractor (2690)-Andrey11976 (2719) Blitz 2024; 9...Rb8 10.a5 Nxa5 11.dxe5 0-0 12.exd6 cxd6 13.Bf4 Nc4 14.b3 Ng6 15.Bg5 f6 16.Bc1 Nce5 17.Nd4 Qe8 18.Kh1 Nh4 19.f4 Bg4 20.Qe1 Qh5 21.fxe5 fxe5 22.Nf5 Nxg2 23.Qg3 Nh4 24.Nd2 Nxf5 25.exf5 Bxf5 26.Bxf5 Rxf5 27.Ba3 Rbf8 28.Bxd6 Rxf1+ 29.Nxf1 Qe2 30.Qg2 Qxg2+ 31.Kxg2 Rf2+ 32.Kg3 Rb2 33.Bxe5 a5 34.Ne3 Rxb3 35.Nd5 Bc5 36.Rxa5 Kf7 37.Kf4 Ke6 38.Ke4 Kd7 39.Nb4 Bxb4 40.cxb4 Rxb4+ 41.Kd5 Rb1 42.Ra7+ Kc8 43.Rc7+ Kd8 44.Ke6 Re1 45.Rxg7 Kc8 46.Rc7+ Kd8 47.Rc5 b4 48.Rd5+ Kc8 49.Rb5 Rxe5+ 50.Kxe5 b3 51.Rb4 Kc7 52.Rxb3 h5 53.Rh3 h4 54.Rxh4 Kc6 55.Rh5 Kc7 ½-½ (55) Igor232323 (2647)-LSGeneraal (2889) Blitz 2022) 10.d5 Na5 11.Nbd2 0-0 12.b4 Nb7 13.Bd3 Qd7 14.axb5 axb5 15.Rxa8 Rxa8 16.Qe2 c6 17.dxc6 Qxc6 18.Bb2 Ng6 19.g3 Bd7 20.Ra1 Rxa1+ 21.Bxa1 Nd8 22.Nb1 Ne6 23.Na3 Nef4 24.gxf4 Nxf4 25.Qc2 d5 26.exd5 Qxd5 27.Bxh7+ Kf8 28.Be4 Qe6 29.Bf5 Qxf5 30.Qxf5 Bxf5 31.Nxe5 Nh3+ 32.Kg2 Nxf2 33.Nxb5 f6 34.Nc4 Be4+ 35.Kg3 Nh1+ 36.Kf4 Bd3 37.Nxb6 Bxb5 38.c4 Bc6 39.b5 Bg2 40.c5 Ke7 41.Bd4 g5+ 42.Kf5 Bh3+ 43.Kg6 Ke6 44.Bxf6 Bf5+ 45.Kxg5 Bd3 46.c6 Bxb5 47.c7 Ba6 48.c8Q+ Bxc8 49.Nxc8 Nf2 50.Bd4 Ne4+ 51.Kg4 Kd5 52.Be3 Nf6+ 53.Kf5 Nd7 54.Ne7+ Kd6 55.Ng6 Kc6 56.h4 Kd5 57.h5 Ne5 58.Nxe5 1-0 (58) KKlie4 (2820)-doreality (2748) Blitz 2021]

7...0-0

[7...d6

A) 8.d4 exd4 (8...Bb6 9.dxe5 Nxe5 10.Nxe5 dxe5 11.Qxd8+ Kxd8 12.Bxf7 Rf8 13.Bb3 Bb7 14.Nd2 Ng6 15.g3 1-0 (15) GoodBoyBishop (2640)-cheesman_css (2565) Blitz 2022) 9.cxd4 Bb6 10.Ng5 d5 11.exd5 Nxd4 12.d6 Qxd6 13.Nxf7 Qc6 14.Nxh8 Bb7 15.Qh5+ g6 16.Qh3 Ne2+ 17.Kh1 Nxc1 18.Bf7+ Kd8 19.Rd1+ 1-0 (19) spartan_mentality (2728)-FaustiOro (2886) Blitz 2024;

B) 8.h3 0-0 9.d4 Bb6 10.Be3 Ng6 11.Nbd2 Na5 12.Bc2 Bb7

13.a4 Nc4 14.Nxc4 bxc4 15.Qe2 exd4 16.Bxd4 Nf4 17.Qxc4 d5 18.Qb4 dxe4 19.Bxb6 cxb6 20.Bxe4 a5 21.Bxh7+ Kxh7 22.Qxf4 f6 23.Rfe1 Qc8 24.Nd4 Rf7 25.Qf5+ Qxf5 26.Nxf5 Rd8 27.Nd4 Bd5 28.Re3 g5 29.Rae1 Kg6 30.Re7 Rc8 31.Rxf7 Kxf7 32.Nf5 Rd8 33.Re7+ Kg6 34.g4 Bf7 35.Rb7 Rd1+ 36.Kh2 Bd5 37.Rg7# 1-0 (37) chess-art-us (2738)-Gannikus21 (2580) Blitz 2025]

[7...Bb6 8.d4 exd4 9.cxd4 d5 10.exd5 Nb4 11.Nc3 0-0 12.Bg5 a5 13.a3 Na6 14.Nxb5 Kh8 15.Nc3 f6 16.Bf4 Bg4 17.h3 Bh5 18.Re1 Rb8 19.Bc4 Ra8 20.Qd3 Nb8 21.Qe4 Re8 22.Bb5 Nd7 23.d6 cxd6 24.Bxd6 Ng8 25.Qc6 Rxe1+ 26.Rxe1 Nf8 27.Bxf8 1-0 (27) Corre_por_tu_vida (2622)-Grukjr (2645) Blitz 2024]

8.d4 exd4 9.cxd4 Bb6 10.Nc3

[10.d5 Na5 11.Bc2 d6 12.b3 Ng6 13.Bb2 c5 14.Nbd2 Nf4 15.g3 Nh3+ 16.Kg2 Bg4 17.Qb1 h5 18.Ng1 Nxg1 19.Kxg1 Rc8 20.Kg2 Qd7 21.Re1 c4 22.Nf3 Bh3+ 23.Kg1 Qg4 24.Bd1 c3 25.Nh4 cxb2 26.Bxg4 bxa1Q 27.Qxa1 Bxg4 28.Kg2 Rc2 29.Rf1 Rfc8 30.h3 Be2 31.Nf5 R8c3 32.Rg1 Bf3+ 0-1 (32) ertras (2611)-Sabeli (2620) Blitz 2023]

10...d6 11.h3 Na5 12.Bc2 c5

[12...Ng6 13.Nd5 Ba7 14.Re1 Re8 15.b3 Nc6 16.b4 h6 17.Bb3 Nce7 18.Bb2 Nxd5 19.Bxd5 Rb8 20.Rc1 Be6 21.Bc6 Bd7 22.Qc2 Re7 23.Bd5 Bb6 24.e5 Nf4 25.Be4 d5 26.Bh7+ Kh8 27.Bf5 Bxf5 28.Qxf5 Ne6 29.Rc6 Qd7 30.Rec1 a5 31.Bc3 Qxc6 32.Bd2 Qd7 33.Qd3 Ra8 34.a3 axb4 35.axb4 Ree8 36.Be3 Ra4 37.Nh4 Rea8 38.f4 Ra1 39.Rxa1 Rxa1+ 40.Kh2 Ra8 41.f5 Ng5 42.Qe2 Qe7 43.Qh5 Kg8 44.f6 gxf6 45.Nf5 Qf8 46.Nxh6+ Qxh6 47.Qxh6 Nh7 48.exf6 Nxf6 49.Qxf6 Kf8 50.Qh8+ Ke7 51.Qxa8 Kd7 52.Qxd5+ Kc8 53.Qxb5 Kb7 54.Qd5+ Ka6 55.Qxf7 Kb5 56.Qd5+ Kxb4 57.Qc6 Ka5 58.Bf4 Kb4 59.Bxc7 Bxc7+ 60.Qxc7 Kb5 61.d5 1-0 (61) stipunski (2683)-Vversipellis (2507) Rapid 2021]

13.Bg5

[13.dxc5 dxc5 14.Bg5 Be6 15.Qxd8 Bxd8 16.Rad1 Nec6 17.Be3 Bb6 18.Nd5 Bxd5 19.exd5 Nb4 20.Bb1 Rad8 21.d6 Nc4 22.a3 Nxe3 23.fxe3 Nc6 24.Ng5 h6 25.Ne4 c4 26.Kh1 Bxe3 27.Rd5 Bd4 28.b3 f5 29.Ng3 g6 30.bxc4 bxc4 31.Ba2 Kg7 32.Ne2 Be5 33.Rfd1 c3 34.Rc5 Rxd6 35.Rxd6 Bxd6 36.Rxc6 Bxa3 37.Nxc3 h5 38.Nd5 Rd8 39.Rc7+ Kh6 40.h4 Bd6 41.Rc6 Be5 42.Kg1 Rd6 43.Rxd6 Bxd6 44.Kf2 Bc5+ 45.Kf3 a5 46.Nf4 a4 47.Bf7 a3 48.Ba2 Bd6 49.g3 Be7 50.Nd5 Bd8 51.Ne3 g5 52.Nxf5+ Kg6 53.Bb1 g4+ 54.Kf4 Kf6 55.Ne3 Be7 56.Ba2 Bd6+ 57.Ke4 Ke7 58.Nd5+ Kd8 59.Nf4 Bc5 60.Nxh5 Bd6 61.Nf6 Bxg3 62.Nxg4 Ke7 63.Ne3 Bxh4 64.Nf5+ Time forfeit 1-0 (64) BessmertniLev (2672)-Wang,C (1504) Blitz 2024]

13...f6 14.Bf4 Ng6 15.Bg3 Be6 16.Nd5 Re8 17.Re1 cxd4 18.Nxd4 Bxd5 19.Nxb5 axb5 20.Qxd5+ Kh8 21.Qxb5 Ne5 22.Qe2 Bd4 23.Rad1 Nac6 24.Bb3 Rb8 25.Rd2 Qb6 26.Red1 Bc5 27.Qh5 Bb4 28.Rd5 Bc5 29.R5d2 Nd4

30.Bd5 Ne6 31.Bxe6 Rxe6 32.a3 Qb3 33.Qf5 Rbe8 34.Kh2 Nc4 35.Re2 Qxd1 36.Qg4 Nd2 37.e5 Nf1+ 0-1 (37) cutemouse83 (2871)-doreality1991 (2742) Blitz 2021

6...0-0 7.d4 exd4

[7...Bd6 8.Bg5 f6 9.Be3 b5 10.Bb3+ Kh8 11.Nbd2 Bb7 12.Re1 Ng6 13.Nf1 Na5 14.Bc2 Nc4 15.Bc1 exd4 16.Nxd4 Bf4 17.b3 Bxc1 18.Rxc1 Na3 19.Ng3 Nxc2 20.Rxc2 Qe7 21.Ndf5 Qf7 22.c4 bxc4 23.Rxc4 Rac8 24.Rd4 d6 25.Qd2 Rfe8 26.Nh5 Rg8 27.f3 Ne5 28.Nf4 Rge8 29.Rc1 g6 30.Ne3 Qg7 31.Nfd5 c5 32.Ra4 Rf8 33.Kh1 Rcd8 34.h3 Qh6 35.Rd1 Nc6 36.Ng4 Qg7 37.Qc3 f5 38.Qxg7+ Kxg7 39.exf5 gxf5 40.Nge3 Nd4 41.Nf4 Rde8 42.Rd3 Re5 43.Kh2 Rfe8 44.Nc4 Re1 45.Nxd6 R8e7 46.Raxd4 cxd4 47.Nxf5+ Kf6 48.Nxe7 Rxe7 49.Rxd4 Ke5 50.Rb4 a5 51.Ra4 Bc6 52.Nd3+ Kd6 53.Rxa5 Re2 54.Rf5 Ke6 55.Nf4+ 1-0 (55) Dominguez Perez,L (2748)-Aswath,S (2470) chess.com INT 2024]

8.cxd4 Ba7

[8...b5 9.dxc5 bxa4 10.Qxa4 d6 11.Be3 Bg4 12.Nbd2 d5 13.exd5 Qxd5 14.Qxg4 1-0 (14) szabadaba (2684)-doreality (2716) Blitz 2022]

9.d5 Nb8

[9...Na5 10.d6 cxd6 11.Bg5 b5 12.Bb3 Nxb3 13.axb3 Qe8 14.Qxd6 Ng6 15.Nc3 Bb8 16.Qd5 Ra7 17.Rfd1 Qe6 18.Be3 Rc7 19.Nd4 Qg4 20.h3 Qh4 21.Nf5 Qd8 22.Bb6 Bb7 23.Qd4 f6 24.Nd5 Bxd5 25.exd5 Qc8 26.Bxc7 Qxc7 27.d6 Qc2 28.Ne3 Qe2 29.Rxa6 Re8 30.Ra8 Ne5 31.Qd5+ Kh8 32.Qd2 Qh5 33.Qc2 Nc6 34.Qf5 Qf7 35.Rc1 Bxd6 36.Rxe8+ Qxe8 37.Rd1 Qe5 38.Qxd7 Qh2+ 39.Kf1 h5 40.Qxc6 Be5 41.Qe8+ Kh7 42.Qxh5+ Kg8 43.Rd8# 1-0 (43) V_M (2739)-emmatmackey (2620) Blitz 2022]

[9...b5 10.Bc2 Nb4 11.Bb3 c5 12.a3 c4 13.axb4 cxb3 14.Qxb3 Ng6 15.Be3 Bxe3 16.Qxe3 Re8 17.Nc3 Bb7 18.Qd4 Nf4 19.Rfe1 Rc8 20.b3 d6 21.Rac1 Qd7 22.h3 Re7 23.e5 dxe5 24.Nxe5 Qf5 25.Nc6 Rxe1+ 26.Rxe1 Bxc6 27.dxc6 Qg5 28.Qe4 g6 29.g3 Ne6 30.Nd5 Kg7 31.h4 Qh5 32.Rc1 Qh6 33.Qe5+ Kg8 34.Rc2 Qg7 35.Ne7+ 1-0 (35) Look_Dad_I_Just_Grow (2607)-schnauders (2448) Blitz 2024]

10.e5

[10.Nc3 d6 11.Bg5 *(11.Bf4 Ng6 12.Bg3 Nd7 13.h3 Nde5 14.Nxe5 Nxe5 15.Bb3 Qg5 16.Kh2 Qh6 17.f3 f5 18.Bxe5 dxe5 19.d6+ Kh8 20.d7 Bxd7 21.Qxd7 Rad8 22.Qe6 Qf4+ 23.Kh1 Qg3 24.Rad1 Be3 25.Ne2 Rxd1 26.Nxg3* 1-0 (26) k_zhitnik (2641)-vipplayer3000 (2622) Blitz 2024*)* 11...f6 *(11...Bg4 12.h3 Bh5 13.g4 Bg6 14.Nh4 Nd7 15.Kg2 Nc5 16.Bc2 Re8 17.Nf5 f6 18.Bh4 Nxf5 19.gxf5 Bf7 20.f4 Qd7 21.Qg4 a5 22.Bxf6 Bh5 23.Qg5 Kh8 24.Bd4 Qf7 25.Rae1 Nd3 26.Bxg7+ Qxg7 27.Qxg7+ Kxg7 28.Bxd3 Kf6 29.e5+ dxe5 30.Ne4+ Kg7 31.f6+ Kf8 32.Ng5 exf4 33.Nxh7+ Kg8 34.f7+ Kxf7 35.Rxf4+ Kg7 36.Ref1 Be3 37.Rc4 Re7 38.Nf6 Bf7 39.Rg4+ Kf8 40.d6 cxd6 41.Nd5 Re5 42.Nxe3 Rxe3 43.Bc4 d5 44.Bxd5 Re2+ 45.Kh1 Re7 46.Rgf4 Rd8 47.Bxf7 Kg7 48.Rg1+ Kf8 49.Be6+*

Ke8 50.Rg8# 1-0 (50) Tandilensis (2638)-solxe (2657) Blitz 2023*)* 12.Be3 Bxe3 13.fxe3 Nd7 14.Bxd7 Bxd7 15.Nd4 Ng6 16.Qb3 Rb8 17.Rac1 Kh8 18.Nce2 Qe7 19.Ng3 c5 20.Ndf5 Bxf5 21.Rxf5 b5 22.Rcf1 c4 23.Qd1 b4 24.Rh5 c3 25.Nf5 Qxe4 26.Rxh7+ Kxh7 27.Qh5+ Kg8 28.Qxg6 Qxf5 29.Qxf5 Rfc8 30.bxc3 bxc3 31.Rc1 Rc5 32.Rc2 Rb2 33.h4 Kh8 34.h5 Rxd5 35.Qc8+ Kh7 36.Rxb2 cxb2 37.Qc2+ f5 38.Qxb2 Kh6 39.Qb6 a5 40.Qc6 Rd1+ 41.Kh2 Rd2 42.Qe8 Kh7 43.a4 d5 44.Qg6+ Kh8 45.Qxf5 1-0 (45) efourwhitewins (2759)-gmmitkov (2601) Blitz 2022]

[10.d6 Ng6 *(10...cxd6 11.Bf4 Bc5 12.Bxd6 Qb6 13.Bxc5 Qxc5 14.Nc3 d6 15.Rc1 Qb6 16.Bb3 Bg4 17.Nd5 Nxd5 18.Qxd5 Bxf3 19.Qxf7+* 1-0 (19) supertactic91 (2720)-gmmitkov (2630) Blitz 2022*)* 11.dxc7 *(11.Nc3 b5 12.Bb3 c5 13.Bg5 Qa5 14.Bd5 Nc6 15.Bxc6 dxc6 16.d7 Bb7 17.d8Q Raxd8 18.Bxd8 Rxd8 19.Qc1 c4 20.a3 f6 21.h4 Qc7 22.h5 Nf4 23.h6 Rd3 24.Re1 Rxf3 25.gxf3 gxh6 26.Ne2 Bxf2+ 27.Kxf2 Nd3+ 28.Ke3 Nxc1 29.Raxc1 Qb6+ 30.Nd4 Bc8 31.Rg1+ Kf7 32.Rg3 c5 33.Ne2 Qd6 34.Rcg1 Qd3+ 35.Kf2 Qd2 36.Rg7+ Ke6 37.Rc7 Qxb2 38.Rxc8 c3 39.Rxc5 c2 40.Rc1 Qxa3 41.Rc6+ Kf7 42.R1xc2 a5 43.Rc7+ Kg6 44.Nf4+ Kg5 45.Kg3 Qd6 46.Rg7#* 1-0 (46) mtc90 (2630)-Accjgm980523 (2584) Blitz 2022*)* 11...Qxc7 12.Nc3 Nc6 13.Nd5 Qd8 14.Bg5 f6 15.Be3 Kh8 16.Rc1 b5 17.Bb3 Bb7 18.Bxa7 Rxa7 19.Re1 Ra8 20.Ne3 Nce5 21.Nf5 Bc6 22.N3d4 Qb6 23.Qd2 a5 24.a3 Rab8 25.Kh1 a4 26.Ba2 b4 27.f4 b3 28.Bb1 Nf7 29.Bd3 Rbe8 30.Qf2 Qb8 31.g3 Qb7 32.Nxc6 dxc6 33.Bc4 Rd8 34.Qf3 Ne7 35.Ne3 Nd6 36.Bd3 Nb5 37.Bxb5 cxb5 38.Re2 Rd4 39.Ng4 h6 40.Nf2 Rfd8 41.Kg2 Rd2 42.Qe3 Nf5 43.Qxd2 Rxd2 44.Rxd2 Ne3+ 45.Kf3 Nc4 46.Re2 Qd7 47.Kg2 Qd4 48.Rce1 Nxb2 49.e5 fxe5 50.fxe5 Qd5+ 51.Kh3 Nc4 52.e6 Qf5+ 53.Kg2 Qd5+ 54.Kh3 Qh5+ 55.Kg2 b2 56.e7 Qe8 57.Kh3 Nxa3 58.Ng4 b1Q 59.Rxb1 Nxb1 60.Kg2 Nc3 61.Ne5 Nxe2 62.Ng6+ Qxg6 63.e8Q+ Qxe8 64.h4 a3 65.Kf3 a2 66.Kg4 a1Q 67.Kh3 Qa4 68.h5 Qxh5+ 69.Kg2 Qe4+ 70.Kf2 Qhf3+ 71.Ke1 Nd4+ 0-1 (71) TheBalancedPlayer (2723)-FaustiOro (2930) Blitz 2024]

10...d6 11.exd6 Qxd6 12.Nc3 Bg4 13.h3 Bh5 14.Bb3 Bg6 15.Re1 Nd7 16.Ne4 Bxe4 17.Rxe4 Ng6 18.Re1 Nf6 19.Be3 Bxe3 20.Rxe3 Rfe8 21.Rxe8+ Rxe8 22.Rc1 Nf4 23.Nd4 N6xd5 24.g3 Nxh3+ 25.Kg2 Nhf4+ 26.gxf4 Nxf4+ 27.Kf1 c5 28.Nf5 Qc6 29.f3 Qf6 30.Rxc5 h5 31.Nd6 Rd8 32.Rc8 Rxc8 33.Nxc8 Qg5 34.Qd2 h4 35.Nd6 Qg3 36.Qf2 Qh3+ 37.Kg1 Kh7 38.Nxf7 Kg6 39.Ne5+ Kf6 40.Ng4+ Kg5 41.Qc5+ Kg6 42.Bc2+ Kf7 43.Qf5+ Kg8 44.Bb3+ Kh8 45.Qxf4 Kh7 46.Bc2+ Kh8 47.Qf8# 1-0 (47) vistagusta (2816)-FaustiOro (2909) Blitz 2024

6...d6 7.d4 exd4 8.cxd4 Ba7 9.Nc3 0-0 10.h3 b5

[10...d5 11.e5 h6 12.Be3 Bf5 13.Ne2 Be4 14.Ng3 Bxf3 15.gxf3 Ng6 16.f4 Qh4 17.Bxc6 bxc6 18.Qg4 Rab8 19.b3 Rb4 20.Nf5

Qxg4+ 21.hxg4 c5 22.Bd2 Rb7 23.dxc5 Bxc5 24.Rac1 Bb4 25.Be3 c5 26.Nd6 Rd7 27.Rcd1 d4 28.Bc1 f6 29.Nc4 fxe5 30.f5 Nf4 31.Nxe5 Ne2+ 32.Kg2 Rd5 33.Nd3 Nc3 34.Rd2 h5 35.f3 Re8 36.Rdf2 hxg4 37.fxg4 Re4 38.Kf3 Rd8 39.a3 Ba5 40.Nxc5 Re7 41.Ne6 Rdd7 42.b4 Bb6 43.Bf4 Nd5 44.Be5 Ne3 45.Rh1 d3 46.Rfh2 Re8 47.Rh8+ Kf7 48.Ng5+ Ke7 49.Rxe8+ Kxe8 50.Rh8+ Ke7 51.Bc3 d2 52.Bxd2 Rxd2 53.Ne6 Nd5 54.Nxg7 Nf6 55.Ne6 Rf2+ 56.Kg3 Ra2 57.Ng5 Rxa3+ 58.Kf4 Bc7# Normal 0-1 (58) chessm1105 (2801)-Aqua_Blazing (2861) Blitz 2024]

11.Bb3 Na5 12.Bc2 Bb7 13.b3 c5 14.Ne2 cxd4 15.Nexd4 Nac6 16.Bb2 Nxd4 17.Bxd4 Ng6 18.Re1 Re8 19.Bxa7 Rxa7 20.Qd4 Ra8 21.Rad1 Rc8 22.Bd3 Ne5 23.Be2 Nc6 24.Qxd6 Qxd6 25.Rxd6 Rxe4 26.Rd7 Ba8 27.Bf1 Rxe1 28.Nxe1 h6 29.Nd3 Rd8 30.Rxd8+ Nxd8 31.Nc5 Bb7 32.b4 Bc8 33.f3 Ne6 34.Kf2 Nxc5 35.bxc5 Kf8 36.Ke3 Ke7 37.Kd4 Kd7 38.Bd3 Kc7 39.h4 Be6 40.a3 Kc6 41.Be4+ Kc7 42.Kc3 a5 43.Kd4 b4 44.axb4 axb4 45.g3 h5 46.f4 g6 47.Bf3 Ba2 48.Be4 Be6 49.Bg2 Ba2 50.Bf3 Be6 51.Bd1 Kc6 52.Ba4+ Kc7 53.Kd3 Bd5 54.Kc2 Bc4 55.Kb2 Bd5 56.Kc2 Bc4 57.Bb3 Be6 58.Bxe6 fxe6 59.Kb3 e5 60.fxe5 Kc6 61.Kxb4 Kd5 62.Kb5 Kxe5 63.c6 Kd6 64.Kb6 Ke7 65.c7 Kd7 66.Kb7 Kd6 67.c8Q Ke7 68.Qg8 Kf6 69.Qf8+ Ke6 70.Qf4 Ke7 71.Kc6 Ke6 72.Kc5 Ke7 73.Kd5 Kd7 74.Qf7+ 1-0 (74) IsolatedMushroom (2813)-Benbasat (2741) Blitz 2024

6...d5 7.d4 dxe4 8.Nxe5 Bd6 9.Nxc6 Nxc6 [9...bxc6 10.Nd2 f5 11.Qh5+ g6 12.Qh6 Bd7 13.Nc4 Ng8 14.Qg7 Qf6 15.Bh6 Bf8 16.Qxf8+ Qxf8 17.Bxf8 Kxf8 18.Ne5 Nf6 19.Nxd7+ Nxd7 20.Bxc6 Rd8 21.Bxd7 Rxd7 22.f3 exf3 23.gxf3 Kf7 24.Rae1 c5 25.dxc5 Rc8 26.b4 Rd3 27.Rc1 a5 28.a3 axb4 29.axb4 Ke6 30.Rfe1+ Kd5 31.Red1 Kc4 32.Rxd3 Kxd3 33.b5 Rxc5 34.c4 Kd2 35.Rb1 Rxc4 36.b6 Rc8 37.b7 Rb8 38.Kf2 f4 39.h4 Kd3 40.Rb4 h6 41.Rb5 Kc4 42.Rb1 Kc5 43.Ke2 Kc6 44.Kd3 Rxb7 45.Rxb7 Kxb7 46.Ke4 Kc6 47.Ke5 Kd7 48.Kf6 g5 49.hxg5 hxg5 50.Kxg5 Ke6 51.Kxf4 Kf6 52.Kg4 Kg6 ½-½ (52) solidbutinteresting (2660)-sonjica90 (2508) Blitz 2024]

10.Nd2 f5 11.Nc4 0-0 12.Bb3 Kh8 13.Nxd6 Qxd6 14.Qh5 Be6 15.Bf4 Qxf4 16.Bxe6 Qd6 17.d5 Nd8 18.Bxf5 g6 19.Bxg6 Qxg6 20.Qe5+ Kg8 21.Rae1 Nf7 22.Qxc7 Ng5 23.Kh1 Rf7 24.Qg3 Rg7 25.c4 Qf5 26.Re3 Rf8 27.Qd6 Rg6 28.Qc7 Rf7 29.Qb8+ Kg7 30.Qe8 Qg4 31.Qe5+ Kg8 32.Rg3 Qf5 33.Qxf5 Rxf5 34.Kg1 Kf7 35.Re1 Rh6 36.h3 Rh4 37.b3 Rhf4 38.Re2 h5 39.Rge3 h4 40.a4 a5 41.Rd2 Ke7 42.c5 Re5 43.Rc3 Rff5 44.c6 bxc6 45.dxc6 Rc5 46.Rdc2 Rxc3 47.Rxc3 Kd8 48.c7+ Kc8 49.Kf1 Rd5 50.Ke2 Ne6 51.Ke3 Nc5 52.Rc4 Kxc7 53.b4 axb4 54.Rxb4 Kd6 55.Rb6+ Ke5 56.Rh6 Rd3+ 57.Ke2 Rc3 58.Rh5+ Kd4 59.Rh8 Rc2+ 60.Kd1 Rxf2 61.Rd8+ Ke3 62.Rc8 Nd3 63.Rc2 Rf1# 0-1 (63) rfelgaer (2679)-dmitrij_IM (2825) Blitz 2021

6...f6 7.d4 exd4 8.cxd4 Ba7 9.d5 Ne5 10.Nxe5 fxe5 11.d6 Ng6 12.Bb3 cxd6 13.Nc3 Rf8 14.Qh5 b5 15.Bg5

1-0 (15) smihir6 (2669)-Kyojuro-rengoku1 (2572) Blitz 2025

[52] **7.b4** 0-0 8.d3 d6 9.Bg5 h6 10.Be3 f5 11.Bxa7 Rxa7 12.Nbd2 Ra8 13.Bb3+ Kh8 14.Nh4 f4 15.Qh5 Qe8 16.Qxe8 Rxe8 17.g3 Rf8 18.a4 g5 19.Ng2 Bh3 20.f3 Kg7 21.Nc4 b6 22.b5 Nb8 23.d4 Ng6 24.Rf2 Bxg2 25.Kxg2 Nd7 26.Rfa2 a5 27.Nb2 Nf6 28.Nd3 g4 29.Rf1 gxf3+ 30.Rxf3 Nxe4 31.Bd5 Nxc3 32.Bxa8 Nxa2 33.dxe5 Rxa8 34.exd6 cxd6 35.Nxf4 Nxf4+ 36.Rxf4 Rd8 37.Kf3 d5 38.Ke3 Nb4 39.Kd4 Rf8 40.Rg4+ Kh7 41.h4 Rg8 42.Rf4 Rxg3 43.Rf7+ Rg7 44.Rf6 Rg6 45.Rf7+ Kg8 46.Rb7 h5 47.Ke5 Kf8 48.Kf5 Rd6 49.Ke5 Rh6 50.Kf5 Ke8 51.Rg7 d4 52.Ke4 d3 53.Ke3 Rd6 54.Kd2 Re6 55.Rg2 Re2+ 56.Rxe2+ dxe2 57.Kxe2 Ke7 58.Ke3 Ke6 59.Ke4 Nd5 60.Kd4 Ne7 61.Ke4 Ng6 62.Kd4 Nxh4 0-1 (62) miki_train (2639)-voraylk (2622) Blitz 2024

7.Na3 Ng6 8.Bc2 0-0 9.Nc4 d6 10.a4 f5 11.exf5 Bxf5 12.Bxf5 Rxf5 13.Qb3 Kh8 14.Qxb7 Nge7 15.d3 Rb8 16.Qxa6 h6 17.Be3 Bxe3 18.Nxe3 Rf6 19.b4 Rb6 20.Qc4 d5 21.Qh4 Ng6 22.Qg3 Nf4 23.Rfe1 Rg6 24.Ng4 h5 25.Nfxe5 Nxe5 26.Rxe5 Rxg4 27.Rxh5+ Nxh5 28.Qxg4 Nf6 29.Qh3+ Kg8 30.a5 Rd6 31.a6 Qa8 32.a7 d4 33.c4 Nh7 34.c5 Rf6 35.b5 Ng5 36.Qh4 Rg6 37.Kf1 Ne6 38.Qe4 1-0 (38) judineptune (2638)-Calzonesdesuperman (2652) Blitz 2024

7.Bxc6 Nxc6 8.d4 0-0 9.d5 Ne7 10.Nxe5 f5 11.Qe2 d6 12.Nc4 fxe4 13.Bg5 h6 14.Bh4 Bf5 15.Nbd2 Qd7 16.Ne3 Bh7 17.c4 Ng6 18.Bg3 Rae8 19.b4 Nf4 20.Qg4 Qxg4 21.Nxg4 Ne2+ 22.Kh1 Nxg3+ 23.hxg3 Rf5 24.Rae1 Rg5 25.Ne3 Rf8 26.Re2 Bd4 27.Rfe1 Bc3 28.a3 Bg6 29.g4 h5 30.gxh5 Rxh5+ 31.Kg1 Be5 32.Nef1 Rf4 33.g3 Rg4 34.Nxe4 Rh6 35.Nh2 Bxe4 36.Nxg4 Rh1# 0-1 (36) ajedrezsinlimites (2608)-alfredogto (2597) Blitz 2024

7.Bc2 Ng6 8.d3 0-0 9.Be3 d6 10.Bxa7 Rxa7 11.Nbd2 f5 12.exf5 Bxf5 13.d4 Ra8 14.dxe5 Ncxe5 15.Nxe5 Nxe5 16.Bxf5 Rxf5 17.Qb3+ Kh8 18.Qxb7 Rb8 19.Qe4 Qg5 20.f4 Qh6 21.Qxf5 1-0 (21) lau_ocs (2607)-Stammargg (2562) Blitz 2022

[53] **7...0-0** 8.Bg5

[8.d5 Nb8 9.Nxe5

A) 9...d6

A1) 10.Nd3

A1a) 10...f5 11.exf5 *(11.e5 Nxd5 12.Bb3 dxe5 13.Nxe5 Be6 14.Nd2 c6 15.Ndf3 Nd7 16.Ng5 Nc5 17.Qh5 h6 18.Nxe6 Nxe6 19.Ng6 Rf6 20.Bd2 Kh7 21.Nh4 Ndf4 22.Bxf4 Nxf4 23.Qf3 Qc7 24.Nxf5 Kh8 25.Bc2 Raf8 26.g3 Nh3+ 27.Kg2 Ng5 28.Qg4 Qc8 29.h4 Ne6 30.Rae1 Qc7 31.f4 Qf7 32.Re5 Bb8 33.Rfe1 Bxe5 34.Rxe5 Nc7 35.Qe2 Re6 36.Qe4 Rxe5 37.fxe5 Qd5 38.Nd6 Qxe4+ 39.Bxe4 Rb8 40.Kf3 Ne6 41.Kg4 Kg8 42.Kf5 Nc5 43.Bc2 Rf8+ 44.Kg4 a5 45.b4 axb4 46.cxb4 Nd7 47.Bb3+ Kh8 48.e6 Nf6+ 49.Kh3 Rd8 50.e7 Rxd6 51.g4 g5* Time forfeit 0-1 (51) chargemax23 (2667)-

BossHubDotCom (2613) Blitz 2024) 11...Bxf5 12.c4 Nd7 13.Nc3 Bxd3 14.Qxd3 Ne5 15.Qe2 Nf5 16.Qe4 Qh4 17.Qxh4 Nxh4 18.b3 Bd4 19.Bb2 Nd3 20.Rad1 Bxf2+ 21.Rxf2 Rxf2 22.Rxd3 Rxg2+ 23.Kh1 Rxb2 24.Bd7 Rf8 25.Be6+ Kh8 26.Bh3 Rff2 27.Re3 Rxh2+ 28.Kg1 h6 29.Bf1 Rhd2 30.Ne4 Rd1 31.Ng3 Rxa2 32.Re7 Rg2+ 33.Kh1 Rxg3 0-1 (33) WalleceWilliams (2679)-Fermalu (2661) Blitz 2023;

A1b) 10...c6 11.c4 b5 12.Bb3 bxc4 13.Bxc4 cxd5 14.exd5 Bb7 15.Nc3 Nd7 16.Bg5 h6 17.Bh4 Nb6 18.Bb3 g5 19.Bg3 Nbxd5 20.Nxd5 Nxd5 21.Qh5 Qf6 22.Rad1 Rad8 23.h4 Nf4 24.Nxf4 gxf4 25.Qg4+ Kh8 26.Qxf4 Qg7 27.Rxd6 Rxd6 28.Qxd6 Bb8 29.Qd3 Bxg3 30.Qxg3 Qxb2 31.Qf4 Qg7 32.f3 Rd8 33.Qxf7 Qxf7 34.Bxf7 Rd4 35.h5 Kg7 36.Bg6 Bd5 37.Rf2 Kf6 38.Rb2 Ra4 39.Rb6+ Kg5 40.Kf2 Rxa2+ 41.Kg3 Ra3 42.Be8 a5 43.Rb5 Rd3 44.Bc6 1-0 (44) jncool68 (2617)-mocaspoke (2601) Blitz 2021;

A1c) 10...Ng6 11.c4 f5 12.exf5 Bxf5 13.Be3 Bxe3 14.fxe3 Nd7 15.Nc3 Bxd3 16.Qxd3 Nc5 17.Qd4 Qg5 18.Bc2 Ne5 19.b4 Ncd7 20.Ne4 Qh6 21.h3 Nf6 22.c5 Nxe4 23.Qxe4 Rfe8 24.Qf4 Nc4 25.Qxh6 gxh6 26.Bb3 Nxe3 27.Rf3 Re7 28.Re1 Rae8 29.Ba4 Nc4 30.Rg3+ Kh8 31.Rf1 Rd8 32.Rf6 Ne3 33.Bb3 h5 34.Re6 Rxe6 35.dxe6 Nf5 36.Rf3 Nd4 37.Rf7 Nxb3 38.e7 1-0 (38) BxBomber (2720)-ma_long_ma (2666) Blitz 2024;

A2) 10.Ng4 f5 11.exf5 Nxf5 12.Qe2 Qh4 13.Ne3 Nxe3 14.Bxe3 Bxe3 15.Qxe3 Qxa4 16.Nd2 Qf4 17.Rae1 Qxe3 18.Rxe3 Bf5 19.Re7 Nd7 20.f3 Rae8 21.Rfe1 Rxe7 22.Rxe7 Rf7 23.Re8+ Nf8 24.g4 Bd7 25.Rb8 b6 26.h3 Re7 27.Kf2 a5 28.Ne4 h6 29.b4 axb4 30.cxb4 Bb5 31.Nc3 Bc4 32.a4 Kf7 33.a5 bxa5 34.bxa5 Nd7 35.Rb4 Ba6 36.Rf4+ Kg8 37.h4 Nc5 38.Kg3 Re3 0-1 (38) Fratz71 (2650)-wyssegga (2517) Blitz 2024;

A3) 10.Nf3

A3a) 10...Nd7 11.c4 Ng6 12.Nc3 h6 13.Nd4 Nde5 14.Bb3 Qf6 15.Kh1 Nxc4 16.Nf5 Nb6 17.Ne3 Re8 18.f4 a5 19.a4 Bd7 20.Qf3 Re7 21.Bd2 Rae8 22.Rae1 Nc8 23.Nc4 Bb6 24.Nxb6 Nxb6 25.g3 Qd4 26.Re2 f5 27.Rfe1 Qb4 28.Nb5 fxe4 29.Rxe4 Qxe4 30.Rxe4 Rxe4 31.Nxc7 R8e7 32.Ne6 R4xe6 33.dxe6 Bc6 34.Qxc6 bxc6 35.Bxa5 Nd5 36.Bd8 Rxe6 37.f5 Re1+ 38.Kg2 Ne5 0-1 (38) yakamuzosan (2713)-DarkAlekhine (2666) Blitz 2024;

A3b) 10...h6 11.Re1 Ng6

12.Be3 Bg4 13.Bxa7 Rxa7 14.Nbd2 Nd7 15.h3 Bh5 16.g4 Nf4 17.gxh5 Nf6 18.Nh2 N6xh5 19.Re3 f5 20.Bc2 Qg5+ 0-1 (20) ChessDama2021 (2693)-killermania (2555) Blitz 2021;

A3c) 10...Ng6 11.Be3 *(11.h3 f5 12.exf5 Bxf5 13.Bc2 Bxc2 14.Qxc2 Rxf3 15.gxf3 Nd7 16.Qf5 Nde5 17.Bg5 Qxg5+ 18.Qxg5 Nxf3+ 19.Kg2 Nxg5 20.Nd2 Rf8 21.Rae1 Nf4+ 22.Kh2 Ngxh3 23.Re7 Rf7 24.Rxf7 Kxf7 25.c4 Ng5 26.Kg3 Ne2+ 27.Kg4 h6 28.f4 Nh7 29.Kf3 Nd4+ 30.Ke4 g6 31.b3 Nf5 32.Kf3 Nf6 33.Re1 Bd4 34.Ne4 Nxe4 35.Kxe4 Bc5 36.Rb1 a5 37.Rc1 h5 38.Rd1 h4 39.Kf3 Kf6 40.Re1 Nd4+ 41.Ke4 Nf5 42.Kf3 Bd4 43.Re8 Kf7 44.Re1 c6 45.Re2 cxd5 46.cxd5 Bc5 47.Re1 b5 48.Rc1 b4 49.Rc2 Kf6 50.Rd2 g5 51.Kg4 Ne3+ 52.Kf3 gxf4 53.Kxf4 Nf5 54.Re2 Ng7 55.Kg4 Bd4 56.Kxh4 Nf5+ 57.Kg4 Ne3+ 58.Kf3 Nxd5 59.Rd2 Ke5 60.Re2+ Ne3 61.Re1 Kd5 62.Rh1 Kc5 63.Rh5+ d5 64.Rh8 Nc2 65.Rc8+ Kb5 66.Rxc2 a4 67.Rd2 axb3 68.axb3 Bc3 69.Rxd5+ Kc6 70.Rh5 Kd6 71.Ke4 Ke6 72.Kd3 Kd6 73.Kc4 Kc6 74.Rh6+ Kb7 75.Kc5 Kc8 76.Rh7 Kd8 77.Kc6 Ke8 78.Rb7 Kf8 79.Kc5 Kg8 80.Rxb4 Bxb4+ 81.Kxb4 Kf8 82.Kc5 Ke8 83.Kc6 Kd8 84.b4 Kc8 85.b5 Kb8 86.Kb6 Kc8 87.Ka7 Kc7 88.b6+ Kd7 89.b7 Kd6 90.b8Q+ Kd5 91.Qc7 Ke4 92.Qc6+* 1-0 (92) WalkThePlank95 (2636)-spectraline (2565) Blitz 2023*)*

11...Bxe3 12.fxe3 Bd7 13.Bc2 Bg4 14.Nbd2 Nd7 15.Qe1 Qe7 16.Qg3 f5 17.Rae1 Bxf3 18.Rxf3 fxe4 19.Nxe4 Rxf3 20.gxf3 Nge5 21.f4 Nc4 22.b3 Na3 23.Bd3 Re8 24.Ng5 Nf8 25.e4 c6 26.dxc6 bxc6 27.Nf3 Ng6 28.h4 Qf6 29.e5 Qxf4 30.Qxf4 Nxf4 31.Bxa6 dxe5 32.Rxe5 Ra8 33.Bb7 Rd8 34.Bxc6 Nc2 35.Re4 Nd3 36.c4 Ndb4 37.Re8+ Rxe8 38.Bxe8 Nxa2 39.c5 Kf8 40.Bb5 Nc3 41.Bd3 Nb4 42.Bxh7 Ke7 43.Kf2 Na6 44.Ke3 Nxc5 45.Kd4 Nxb3+ 46.Kxc3 Nc5 47.Kd4 Kd6 48.Bf5 Nb3+ 49.Ke3 Na5 50.Kf4 Nc4 51.Kg5 Ke7 52.Kg6 Kf8 53.Be4 Ne3 54.Ng5 Ng4 55.Ne6+ Kg8 56.Bd5 Kh8 57.Ng5 Ne5+ 58.Kf5 Nd7 59.Be6 Nf8 0-1 (59) Puntano (2660)-ScheveningenSea (2724) Blitz 2021;

A3d) 10...Bg4 11.h3 Bh5 12.Re1 Nd7 13.Be3 Bxe3 14.Rxe3 f5 15.exf5 Nxf5 16.Re4 Ne5 17.g4 Nh4 18.Nxe5 dxe5 19.gxh5 Nf3+ 20.Kg2 Qg5+ 21.Rg4 Qxh5 22.Nd2 Ng5 23.h4 Nf3 24.Kg3 Rf4 25.Qxf3 Rxf3+ 26.Nxf3 Rf8 27.Re1 Qf5

28.Re3 h5 29.Rge4 Qg6+ 30.Ng5 Rf4 31.Rxf4 exf4+ 32.Kxf4 Qd6+ 33.Ke4 b5 34.Bb3 Qh2 35.d6+ Kh8 36.d7 Qh1+ 37.Kf5 1-0 (37) khubushka2007 (2608)-temur_odinaev (2550) Blitz 2023;

A3e) 10...f5 11.e5 *(11.exf5 Bxf5 12.Bg5 h6 13.Bh4 Bg4 14.Nbd2 g5 15.Bg3 Ng6 16.Bc2 Nf4 17.Re1 Nd7 18.Qb1 Qf6 19.Ne4 Qg7 20.Nd4 Bxd4 21.cxd4 Qxd4 22.h3 Bh5 23.Bb3 Ne5 24.Qc2 Rf7 25.Bxf4 gxf4 26.Qc3 Qxc3 27.bxc3 Bg6 28.f3 Bxe4 29.Rxe4 Kg7 30.c4 b6 31.Rae1 Re8 32.R1e2 a5 33.a4 Ree7 34.Kf1 h5 35.Ke1 h4 36.Kd2 Kg6 37.Kc3 Kg5 38.Kd4 Rf8 39.Bc2 Rfe8 40.Bb1 Ng6 41.Rxe7 Rxe7 42.Rxe7 Nxe7 43.Bc2 Ng8 44.Ke4 Nf6+ 45.Kd4 Nd7 46.Bd3 Ne5 47.Be2 Nd7 48.Bd1 Nc5 49.Bc2 Kf6 50.Bd1 Ke7 51.Bc2 Kd7 52.Bd1 Ke7 53.Bc2 Kf7 54.Kc3 Kf6 55.Kd4 Nd7 56.Bd1 Ne5 57.Bc2 Kg5 58.Be4 Nd7 59.Bc2 Nf8 60.Bd1 Nd7 61.Bc2 Nc5 62.Bd1 Kf6 63.Bc2 Nb7 64.Bd1 Kg5 65.Bc2 Nd8 66.Bd1 Nf7 67.Bc2 Nh6 68.Bd1 Ng8 69.Bc2 Ne7 70.Bd3 Nc8 71.Bc2 Ne7 72.Bd1 Ng6 73.Bc2 Ne5 74.Bd1 Kf6 75.Bc2 Kg5 ½-½ (75) Papolabestia123 (2630)-voraylk (2599) Blitz 2024)*

11...dxe5 12.Nxe5 f4 *(12...Nd7 13.Nf3 Nf6 14.c4 Ne4 15.Nbd2 Ng6 16.Re1 Nxf2 17.Qe2 Nd3+ 18.Kh1 Ngf4 19.Qf1 Nxe1 20.Nxe1 Ng6 21.Nd3 f4 22.Nf3 Bf5 23.Nxf4 Nxf4 24.Bxf4 Be4 25.Bg3 Qf6 26.Qe2 Qxf3 27.gxf3 Bxf3+ 28.Qxf3 Rxf3 29.Bxc7 Rd3 30.d6 Bc5 31.d7 b5 32.cxb5 Rxd7 33.b6 Rxc7 34.bxc7 Rc8 35.b4 Bd6 36.Bb3+ Kf8 37.Rf1+ Ke8 38.Re1+ Kf8 39.Rd1 Ke7 40.Re1+ Kf8 41.Re6 Bf4 42.Rxa6 Rxc7 43.b5 Rc3 44.b6 Be3 45.b7 Ke7 46.Re6+ Kd7 47.Rxe3 Rxe3 48.b8Q Re7 49.Qb7+ Kd6 50.Qxe7+ Kxe7 51.Kg2 Kd6 52.Kf3 h6 53.Kg4 Ke7 54.Kf5 Kf8 55.Kg6 Ke7 56.h4 h5 57.Kxh5 Kd6 58.Kg6 Ke5 59.Kxg7 Kd6 60.h5 Kc5 61.h6 Kb4 62.h7 Ka3 63.h8Q Kb2 64.Qc8 Ka3 65.Qc1+ Kb4 66.Bd1 Kb5 67.Qc3 Kb6 68.Qc4 Kb7 69.Qc5 Ka6 70.Qb4 Ka7 71.Qb5 Ka8 72.Bf3+ Ka7 73.Qb7# 1-0 (73) Gutemaus2019 (2726)-emmatmackey (2676) Blitz 2022; 12...Qd6 13.Nf3 f4 14.c4 Bg4 15.Bc2 Nd7 16.Qd3 Bf5 17.Qe2 Rae8 18.Bxf5 Nxf5 19.Qc2 Ne5 20.Nxe5 Qxe5 21.Nd2 Nd4 22.Qd3 f3 23.Nxf3 Nxf3+ 24.gxf3 Bc5 25.f4 Qh5 26.Kh1 Rf6 27.Bd2 Rh6 28.Qg3 Re2 29.Bc3 Rg6 30.Qd3 Be3 31.Qxe3 Rxe3*

32.fxe3 Qe2 33.f5 Qg2# 0-1 (33) BBMSARA (2663)-Train_account (2614) Blitz 2023 *)* 13.Nd2 Ng6 14.Ndf3 Nd7 15.Nxg6 hxg6 16.d6 Nc5 17.Bc2 cxd6 18.Bxg6 Qf6 19.Qd5+ Be6 20.Qh5 Rfd8 1-0 (20) Jiordani_Jovanovich (2755)-Kyojuro-rengoku1 (2530) Blitz 2024;

B) 9...f5 10.d6 cxd6 11.Qxd6 1-0 (11) Kyoka_Izumi (2639)-ma_long_ma (2618) Blitz 2023;

C) 9...Re8 10.Nf3 Ng6 11.Re1 h6 12.Be3 Bxe3 13.Rxe3 Qf6 14.Qd4 Qf4 15.g3 Qg4 16.e5 Qh3 17.Bc2 Nf8 18.Nbd2 b6 19.d6 c5 20.Qe4 Nc6 21.Rae1 Bb7 22.Qh4 Qxh4 23.Nxh4 g6 24.f4 Ne6 25.Ne4 Kg7 26.Nf6 Red8 27.f5 Nf8 28.fxg6 fxg6 29.Rf1 b5 30.Bb3 c4 31.Bc2 a5 32.Be4 Ne6 33.Bxg6 Ng5 34.Bc2 Nxe5 35.Nh5+ Kh8 36.Ng6+ Nxg6 37.h4 Nxh4 38.gxh4 Ne6 39.Rf7 Rg8+ 40.Kh2 Rg2+ 41.Kh3 Rag8 42.Rh7# 1-0 (42) Messsi2023 (2628)-iam_not_real (2628) Blitz 2025;

D) 9...Qe8 10.Nd3 f5 11.d6 cxd6 12.e5 dxe5 13.Nxe5 Nbc6 14.Bb3+ Kh8 15.Re1 d5 16.Nxc6 bxc6 17.Bg5 Rf7 18.c4 Bb7 19.cxd5 cxd5 20.Nc3 Qd7 21.Qe2 Ng6 22.Rad1 h6 23.Be3 Re8 24.Qd2 Bb8 25.Bd4 Nf4 26.Ne2 Ne6 27.Bc3 Rfe7 28.Rf1 d4 29.Nxd4 Nc5 30.Nf3 Qc7 31.Qxh6# 1-0 (31) so_simple (2609)-Jugandito (2674) Blitz 2022;

E) 9...b5 10.Bc2 d6 11.Nf3 c5 12.h3 h6 13.Bf4 Ng6 14.Bg3 c4 15.a4 Nd7 16.Nbd2 Nc5 17.axb5 axb5 18.Nd4 Qb6 19.Nc6 Bd7 20.Bxd6 Bxc6 21.Bxf8 Bd7 22.Bxc5 Qxc5 23.Qf3 Re8 24.Qg3 Bb8 25.Qe3 Qd6 26.Nf3 Nh4 27.g3 Bxh3 28.Nxh4 1-0 (28) Kacparov (2755)-salvinho (2592) Blitz 2021]

[8.dxe5 Ng6 9.Bg5 *(9.Qd5 Qe7 10.Bg5 Qe6 11.Qxe6 fxe6 12.Bxc6 bxc6 13.Na3 c5 14.Rad1 Rf7 15.Nc4 Bb7 16.Rfe1 Bb6 17.Nxb6 cxb6 18.Rd6 Bc6 19.c4 b5 20.b3 bxc4 21.bxc4 Rb8 22.Bc1 Rb1 23.Ng5 Rf8 24.Nxe6 dxe6 25.Rxc6 Nxe5 26.Rd6 Nxc4 27.Rxe6 Na3 28.Rf1 Nb5 29.Be3 Rxf1+ 30.Kxf1 Nd4 31.Bxd4 cxd4 32.Rxa6 Rc8 33.Ke2 Rc2+ 34.Kd3 Rxf2 35.a4 Rxg2 36.a5 Rxh2 37.Ra8+ Kf7 38.a6 Ra2 39.a7 Kg6 40.Kxd4 h5 41.e5 Kf7 42.e6+ Ke7 43.Ke5 Ra5+ 44.Kf4 g5+ 45.Kg3 h4+ 46.Kh3 Ra3+ 47.Kh2 g4 48.Rh8 Ra2+ 49.Kg1 Ra1+ 50.Kg2 Ra2+ 51.Kf1 Ra1+ 52.Ke2 Ra2+ 53.Kd3 h3 54.a8Q Rxa8 55.Rxa8 g3 56.Rh8 g2 57.Rxh3 g1Q 58.Re3 Qd1+* 0-1 (58) AlaaElhares30 (2629)-spectraline (2564) Blitz 2023*)* 9...Qe8 10.Nbd2 Ncxe5 11.Nxe5 Qxe5 12.Nf3 Qxe4 13.Re1 Qf5 14.Bc2 Qb5 15.h4 d6 16.h5 Bg4 17.hxg6 Bxf3 18.gxh7+ Kh8 19.Qxf3 Qxg5 20.Re2 Rfe8 21.Rxe8+ Rxe8 22.Qxf7 Qd8 23.Rf1 Rf8 24.Qd5 Qh4 25.Qd2 d5 26.Qe2 c6 27.Bg6 Bb6 28.Bf7 Qf6 29.Bh5 Qh4 30.Bf3 Kxh7 31.g3 Qxg3+ 32.Bg2 Qg5 33.Kh1 Qh6+ 34.Kg1 Bc7 35.Re1 Bf4 36.Qe7 Qf6 37.Qxb7 Bd2 38.Re2 Bg5 39.Qxa6 Bh4 40.Qd3+ g6 41.Qh3 g5 42.a4 Qf4 43.Qd7+

Kh8 44.Qxc6 Bxf2+ 45.Rxf2 Qxf2+ 46.Kh2 Qe1 47.Qh6+ Kg8 48.Bxd5+ Rf7 49.Qg6+ Kh8 50.Qxf7 Qh4+ 51.Kg2 Qg4+ 52.Kf2 Qh4+ 53.Ke2 Qh2+ 54.Kd3 Qg3+ 55.Kc4 Qc7+ 56.Qxc7 g4 57.Qf7 g3 58.Qg8# 1-0 (58) LoveNewUniverse (2740)-emmatmackey (2637) Blitz 2022]

8...f6 9.Be3 d6 10.Nbd2

[10.h3 Bd7 11.Nbd2 Qe8 12.Bc2 Nd8 13.a4 Ne6 14.Nc4 Ng6 15.g3 Ne7 16.Kh2 Kh8 17.Nh4 g5 18.Nf5 Nxf5 19.exf5 Ng7 20.g4 d5 21.Nd2 e4 22.f3 exf3 23.Qxf3 c6 24.Kg2 Bb8 25.Rae1 Qd8 26.Nb3 Qc7 27.Bg1 Ba7 28.Bh2 Qd8 29.Nc5 Bxc5 30.dxc5 Re8 31.Bd6 b5 32.h4 gxh4 33.Qh3 Rxe1 34.Rxe1 Qg8 35.Qxh4 Re8 36.Re7 Rxe7 37.Bxe7 Qf7 38.Bxf6 Kg8 39.Qg5 Kf8 40.Be5 Ne8 41.Qh6+ Kg8 42.Qg5+ Kf8 43.f6 Be6 44.Qh6+ Kg8 45.g5 Bg4 46.g6 hxg6 47.Bxg6 Qd7 48.Kg3 Be6 49.f7+ Bxf7 50.Qh7+ Kf8 51.Qh8+ Ke7 52.Qh4+ Ke6 53.Qh6 Kxe5 54.Qg5+ 1-0 (54) Ballsy_Binge (2608)-MI-DTB (2579) Blitz 2023]

10...Kh8 11.h3

[11.Bb3 Bg4 12.Qc2 Qd7 13.Rfe1 Nd8 14.a4 Ne6 15.a5 Ng6 16.Bxe6 Bxe6 17.c4 Nf4 18.Bxf4 exf4 19.b4 c6 20.c5 Rad8 21.Rab1 Bb8 22.Nc4 Qf7 23.Ncd2 g5 24.cxd6 Bxd6 25.e5 Be7 26.exf6 Bxf6 27.Ne5 Qg8 28.Ne4 Bd5 29.Nxf6 Rxf6 30.f3 h5 31.Qf2 Qg7 32.Re2 Rg8 33.Kh1 Rh6 34.Rf1 g4 35.Qh4 Qg5 36.Qxg5 Rxg5 37.Rfe1 Rg7 38.Rf2 g3 39.Rfe2 gxh2 40.Kxh2 h4 41.Ng4 Rhg6 42.Re8+ Kh7 43.Rf8 Rxg4 44.fxg4 Rxg4 45.Re2 f3 46.gxf3 Rxd4 47.Rb2 Kg6 48.Kg2 Rd3 49.Kf2 h3 50.Rf4 Kg5 51.Rg4+ Kf5 52.Rg3 h2 53.Kg2 Kf4 54.Kxh2 Bxf3 55.Rg8 Rd1 56.Rf8+ Ke4 57.Rb3 Rd2+ 58.Kg3 Rg2+ 59.Kh3 Rf2 60.Re8+ Kf4 61.Rf8+ Ke4 62.Rh8 Rf1 63.Kg3 Rg1+ 64.Kf2 Rg2+ 65.Kf1 Rg3 66.Re8+ Kf4 67.Rf8+ Ke4 68.Rb2 Rh3 69.Re8+ Kf4 70.Rf8+ Ke3 71.Rb3+ Ke4 72.Kf2 Rh2+ 73.Kg3 Rg2+ 74.Kh3 Rf2 ½-½ (74) matrix12345 (2623)-Simba_Abessimba (2574) Blitz 2024]

11...exd4 12.cxd4 d5 13.Rc1 dxe4 14.Nxe4 Nd5 15.Re1 Nce7 16.Ng3 c6 17.Bc2 Be6 18.a3 Bg8 19.Ne4 Ng6 20.Nc5 Qc7 21.Bxg6 hxg6 22.Nh4 Qf7 23.Qg4 g5 24.Nf5 Bh7 25.Nd6 Qc7 26.Ndxb7 Rab8 27.Qf3 Rxb7 28.Ne6 Qf7 29.Nxf8 Qxf8 30.Rxc6 Rd7 31.Rxa6 Bb8 32.Bxg5 Rd8 33.Bh4 Qf7 34.Bg3 Ba7 35.Qg4 f5 36.Qh4 Rf8 37.Be5 f4 38.Rh6 Qf5 39.Rh5 Qc2 40.Bxg7+ Kxg7 41.Rxd5 1-0 (41) sina_iran (2760)-Prat1983 (2802) Blitz 2024

7...b5 8.Bb3

[8.Bc2 d6 9.d5 Nb8 10.a4 Bb7 11.axb5 axb5 12.Na3 0-0 13.Qe2 Nd7 14.Bg5 h6 15.Bd2 b4 16.cxb4 Ng6 17.g3 Nf6 18.Nc4 Bc8 19.Na5 Bh3 20.Rfd1 Bb6 21.Nc6 Qd7 22.Bd3 Nh5 23.Be3 Nhf4 24.Qd2 Qg4 25.Ne1 Nh4 26.Bxf4 Rxa1 27.Rxa1 Nf3+ 28.Nxf3 Qxf3 29.Bf1 Bxf1 30.Rxf1 exf4 31.Qxf4 Qe2 32.b3 Ra8 33.Ne7+ Kf8 34.Nf5 Ra2 35.Kg2 Qc2 36.Nxd6 cxd6 37.Qxd6+ Kg8 38.Qxb6 Qxe4+ 39.Kg1 Rd2 40.d6 Qe6 41.Qc5 Rxd6 42.b5 Rd5 43.Qc4 Qe5 44.b6 Rb5 45.b7 Rb6 46.Rd1 Kh7 47.Qc2+ g6 48.Rd7 Qe1+ 49.Kg2 Qe6 50.Rc7 Qd5+ 51.f3 Rxb3

52.Qc6 Rb2+ 53.Qc2 Rxc2+ 54.Rxc2 Qxb7 55.Re2 Kg7 56.Rf2 g5 57.Re2 g4 58.Rf2 h5 59.h3 f5 60.Rf1 Kg6 61.Rf2 Kg5 62.h4+ Kf6 63.Rf1 Qd5 64.Rf2 Ke6 65.Rf1 Kd6 66.Rf2 Ke5 67.Rf1 f4 68.Re1+ Kf5 69.Rf1 gxf3+ 70.Rxf3 Kg4 71.Kf2 Qxf3+ 72.Ke1 fxg3 73.Kd2 Kf4 74.Kc1 Qe3+ 75.Kb2 g2 76.Kc2 g1Q 77.Kb2 Qgf2+ 78.Kb1 Qee1# 0-1 (78) DrGreeverastein (2717)-DmDonCh (2790) Blitz 2021]

8...d6

[8...0-0 9.dxe5 Ng6 10.Bd5 Bb7 11.a4 Qe8 12.axb5 axb5 13.Na3 Ngxe5 14.Bf4 Nxf3+ 15.Qxf3 Ba6 16.b4 Qc8 17.e5 Qb7 18.Rad1 Bb6 19.Qg4 Kh8 20.Qxd7 Qa7 21.Qxc6 Rab8 22.Ra1 Bb7 23.Nxb5 Bxc6 24.Bxc6 Bxf2+ 25.Kh1 Qb6 26.Bd7 c6 27.Nd6 Be3 28.Bg3 Qc7 29.Nxf7+ Kg8 30.e6 Qb7 31.Rad1 Ra8 32.e7 Rxf7 33.Be6 Qxe7 34.Rxf7 Qxf7 35.Bxf7+ Kxf7 36.h3 Ra3 37.Be5 Ke6 38.Bxg7 h5 39.Bd4 Bf4 40.Re1+ Kd5 41.Rf1 Bd2 42.g4 hxg4 43.hxg4 Bxc3 44.Bxc3 Rxc3 45.Rf4 Ke5 46.Rf5+ Ke6 47.Rc5 Rg3 48.g5 Kd6 49.Kh2 Rg4 50.Kh3 Rxb4 51.Rf5 Rb1 52.g6 Rg1 53.Rf6+ Ke5 54.Rxc6 Kf5 55.Kh4 Rxg6 56.Rc5+ Kf6 57.Rc6+ Kg7 58.Rc3 Rh6+ 59.Kg5 Rg6+ 60.Kf5 Rf6+ 61.Ke5 Rf7 62.Rg3+ Kf8 63.Rh3 Re7+ 64.Kf6 Rf7+ 65.Ke6 Rg7 66.Kd6 Kf7 67.Rf3+ Kg8 68.Re3 Rh7 69.Re8+ Kg7 70.Re7+ Kg6 71.Re5 Kg7 72.Re6 Kg8 73.Re7 Rg7 74.Re8+ Kh7 75.Re7 Kh6 76.Rxg7 Kxg7 ½-½ (76) BBMSARA (2620)-NightOFzero (2567) Blitz 2023]

9.dxe5 Nxe5 10.Nxe5 dxe5 11.Qxd8+ Kxd8 12.Bxf7 Bg4 13.h3 Rf8 14.hxg4 Rxf7 15.Na3 c6 16.Nc2 Kc7 17.Be3 Bxe3 18.Nxe3 g6 19.Rad1 Nc8 20.f3 Nd6 21.Rd2 Nc4 22.Nxc4 bxc4 23.g5 Rb8 24.Kf2 Rd7 25.Rxd7+ Kxd7 26.Rd1+ Ke7 27.Rd2 a5 28.a4 h5 29.g3 Rh8 30.Ke3 Ke6 31.Rh2 Rd8 32.Ke2 Rb8 33.Kd1 Rd8+ 34.Rd2 Rf8 35.Ke2 h4 36.g4 Rh8 37.Kf1 h3 38.Kg1 Ke7 39.Kh2 Rf8 40.Kg3 Rh8 41.Rh2 Rf8 42.Rxh3 Rd8 43.Rh7+ Ke6 44.Rg7 Rd2 45.Rxg6+ Kd7 46.Rf6 Rxb2 47.g6 Ke7 48.Rxc6 Rb8 49.Rxc4 Rb6 50.Rc5 Rxg6 51.Rxe5+ Kd6 52.Rxa5 Kd7 53.Rf5 Rc6 54.g5 Rxc3 55.Kg4 Ke7 56.a5 Rc1 57.Kf4 Rg1 58.Re5+ Kf7 59.Rf5+ Kg7 60.Ke5 Ra1 61.Kd6 Rd1+ 62.Kc6 Rc1+ 63.Kb7 Ra1 64.a6 Rb1+ 65.Ka7 Ra1 66.Kb7 Rb1+ 67.Ka8 Ra1 68.a7 Kg6 69.Rb5 Rb1 70.Rxb1 Kxg5 71.Kb7 Kf4 72.a8Q Kxf3 73.Qf8+ Ke3 74.Qc5+ Kf4 75.Qf5+ Ke3 76.Rb3+ Kd4 77.Qd5# 1-0 (77) ScareCCrow06PL (2748)-VVWfazeclan (2799) Blitz 2025

7...d6 8.d5

[8.dxe5 dxe5 9.Nxe5 *(9.Qxd8+ Kxd8 10.Rd1+ Bd7 11.Ng5 Ke8 12.Nd2 h6 13.Ngf3 Rd8 14.h3 Ng6 15.Bb3 Ke7 16.Nc4 Be6 17.Ne3 Rxd1+ 18.Bxd1 Rd8 19.Bb3 Nf4 20.g3 Ne2+ 21.Kg2 Nxc1 22.Bxe6 Kxe6 23.Rxc1 Bxe3 24.fxe3 Ne7 25.g4 c5 26.b3 b5 27.c4 b4 28.Kf2 a5 29.Ke2 g6 30.Ne1 Ng8 31.Nd3 Rc8 32.h4 Nf6 33.Kf3 Nd7 34.g5 Rh8 35.gxh6 Rxh6 36.Kg3 f5 37.Nf2 Nf6 38.Rd1 Rh8 39.Rh1 a4 40.bxa4 Ra8 41.exf5+ gxf5 42.h5 Rxa4 43.Nd3 Ne4+ 44.Kf3 Ra7 45.h6 Rh7 46.Rh5 Kf6 47.Rh2 Kg6 48.Nxe5+ Kf6 49.Nd3 Ng5+ 50.Ke2*

Ne6 51.Nf4 Ng5 52.Nd5+ Ke5 53.Rh5 Ne4 54.Nf4 Ng3+ 55.Kf3 Nxh5 56.Nxh5 Rxh6 57.Nf4 Rh2 58.Nd3+ Kd6 59.Nf2 Rh8 60.e4 Ra8 61.exf5 Rxa2 62.Ne4+ Kc6 63.f6 b3 64.f7 Ra8 65.Kf4 b2 66.Nc3 Rf8 67.Ke3 Rxf7 68.Kd2 Rf2+ 69.Kd1 Rh2 70.Nb1 Kb6 71.Na3 Ka5 72.Nb1 Kb4 73.Nd2 Rxd2+ 74.Kxd2 b1Q 75.Ke3 Qb3+ 76.Kf4 Qxc4+ 77.Kf5 Qd4 78.Ke6 c4 79.Kf7 c3 80.Ke8 c2 81.Kf7 c1Q 82.Kg8 Qe1 83.Kh7 Qdf2 84.Kg6 Qeg1+ 85.Kh5 Qfh2# Normal 0-1 (85) Erebuni91 (2643)-Hard-Training (2610) Blitz 2024*)* 9...Qxd1 10.Rxd1 b5 11.Nxc6 Nxc6 12.Bb3 Be6 13.Bxe6 fxe6 14.Kf1 0-0 15.f3 Rad8 16.Rxd8 Rxd8 17.Ke2 Ne5 18.Bf4 Nd3 19.Bxc7 Rd7 20.Nd2 Nxb2 21.Bg3 Na4 22.Rc1 Bc5 23.Rc2 Ba3 24.c4 Bb4 25.cxb5 axb5 26.Be5 Nc5 27.Bc3 Ba3 28.Bb2 Bxb2 29.Rxb2 Nd3 30.Rxb5 Nf4+ 31.Kd1 Nxg2 32.a4 Ne3+ 33.Ke2 Nc2 34.Nb3 Na3 35.Rb8+ Kf7 36.a5 Ra7 37.Kd3 Kf6 38.f4 g5 39.fxg5+ Kxg5 40.Kc3 Kf4 41.Kb4 Nc2+ 42.Kc5 Kxe4 43.Kb6 Rg7 44.a6 Na3 45.Rc8 Kd3 46.Nc5+ Kd4 47.Nxe6+ 1-0 (47) dark_flash (2669)-Hard-Training (2670) Blitz 2023]

[8.Be3 0-0 9.Nbd2 exd4 10.Nxd4 Ne5 11.h3 Kh8 12.Kh1 f5 13.Nxf5 Nxf5 14.Bxa7 Rxa7 15.exf5 Bxf5 16.Bc2 Qh4 17.Nf3 Bxc2 18.Nxh4 Bxd1 19.Raxd1 g5 20.Nf3 Nxf3 21.gxf3 Rxf3 22.Kg2 Rf7 23.Rd5 h6 24.h4 gxh4 25.Rh5 Kh7 26.Rxh4 Ra8 27.f4 Re8 28.Kf3 Rfe7 29.Rfh1 Re3+ 30.Kg4 R8e6 31.Kf5 Kg7 32.Rg1+ Kf7 33.Rhg4 Rf6# 0-1 (33) drawingchest (2630)-Jiordani_Jovanovich (2740) Blitz 2024]

8...b5 9.dxc6 bxa4 10.Qxa4 0-0 11.Rd1 Qe8 12.Nbd2 Qxc6 13.Qxc6 Nxc6 14.h3 f5 15.exf5 Bxf5 16.Re1 Rae8 17.b4 e4 18.Nh4 Bxh3 19.Rxe4 Bxf2+ 20.Kh2 Rxe4 21.Nxe4 Be6 22.Nxf2 Rxf2 23.Be3 Rxa2 24.Re1 Bd5 25.Kg3 Ne5 26.Bd4 g5 27.Nf3 Nxf3 28.gxf3 Kf7 29.Rh1 Kg6 30.Re1 h5 31.Re6+ 0-1 (31) borisov_maxim (2739)-alberto99 (2643) Blitz 2022

7...f6 8.d5 Nb8 9.d6 cxd6 10.Qxd6 0-0

[10...b5 11.Bb3 Bb7 12.Nxe5 fxe5 13.Qxe5 Qb6 14.Qxg7 Rf8 15.Be3 Qg6 16.Qxg6+ Nxg6 17.Bxa7 Rxa7 18.g3 Ne5 19.f4 Nd3 20.Nd2 Nxb2 21.Bc2 d5 22.e5 h6 23.Rab1 Nc4 24.Nxc4 dxc4 25.Rbd1 Nd7 26.Rd6 Ke7 27.Rxh6 Nc5 28.Rd1 Nd3 29.Bxd3 cxd3 30.Rxd3 Rf7 31.e6 Rg7 32.Rd7+ 1-0 (32) Taylanruzgar (2621)-BlunderPandaZz (2626) Blitz 2023]

11.Nbd2 Nbc6 12.Bb3+ Kh8 13.Nc4 Bb8 14.Qd3 d5 15.exd5 Bf5 16.Qe2 Nxd5 17.Rd1 Nce7 18.Ne3 Be6 19.Nxd5 Bxd5 20.Bxd5 Nxd5 21.c4 e4 22.Qxe4 1-0 (22) Harut-1998 (2643)-Beta99 (2576) Blitz 2021

[54] **8.Nxd4** 0-0 9.Bg5 f6 10.Be3 Nxd4 11.Bxd4 Bxd4 12.Qxd4 d6 13.Bb3+ Kh8 14.Nd2 f5 15.Rae1 Nc6 16.Qe3 f4 17.Qe2 Ne5 18.f3 Bd7 19.Rd1 Bb5 20.c4 Bd7 21.Nb1 b6 22.Nc3 g5 23.Nd5 g4 24.Kh1 Qh4 25.fxg4 Bxg4 26.Qd2 Bxd1 27.Bxd1 Rf7 28.Nxf4 Raf8 29.g3 Qh6 30.b3 Ng6 31.Qd4+ Kg8 32.Rg1 Nxf4 33.gxf4+ Rg7 34.Rxg7+ Qxg7 35.Qe3

Kh8 36.Be2 Qf6 37.f5 Rg8 38.Bf1 Qa1 39.Qf4 Qe5 40.Qf3 Re8 41.Bd3 Qa1+ 42.Kg2 Rg8+ 43.Kh3 Qf6 44.Qf4 Rg5 45.Be2 Qh6+ 46.Qh4 Qf6 47.Bf3 h6 48.a4 Kh7 49.Bh5 Kg7 50.Bg6 Qc3+ 0-1 (50) Nadigraj (2693)-peradetlic83 (2767) Blitz 2024

55 **8...b5** 9.Bb3 0-0
[9...Na5 10.Bc2 d5 11.exd5 0-0 12.Nc3 b4 13.Ne4 Qxd5 14.Re1 Bf5 15.Nf6+ gxf6 16.Rxe7 Nc6 17.Rxc7 Nxd4 18.Nxd4 Bxd4 19.Bh6 Rfd8 20.Bb3 Qe5 21.Bxf7+ Kh8 22.Qc1 Bxb2 23.Bb3 Bd7 24.Qc4 Bxa1 25.h3 Qe1+ 26.Kh2 Be5+ 27.f4 Bxc7 28.Qf7 Bxf4+ 29.Bxf4 Rf8 30.Qxd7 Rad8 31.Qf5 Qf2 32.Qg4 Rd4 33.Qg3 Qxf4 34.Qxf4 Rxf4 35.Kg3 Rd4 36.Be6 Rd2 37.Bf5 Rd4 38.Kf3 Rd2 39.Be4 1-0 (39) RTFM2300 (2612)-bojarin1982 (2579) Blitz 2024]
10.d5 Na5 11.d6
[11.Bc2 d6 12.Nbd2 Ng6 13.b3 Bb7 14.Bb2 c6 15.dxc6 Nxc6 16.Rc1 Rc8 17.Re1 Nce5 18.Nxe5 dxe5 19.Nf1 Qf6 20.Ne3 Bxe3 21.Rxe3 Nf4 22.Bb1 Rxc1 23.Qxc1 Rc8 24.Qe1 Qg5 25.g3 Ne6 26.h4 Qf6 27.Rc3 Rxc3 28.Bxc3 Nd4 29.Qe3 h6 30.f4 Qc6 31.Bxd4 exd4 32.Qd3 Qc1+ 33.Kf2 Qb2+ 34.Ke1 Kf8 35.e5 Bd5 36.Bc2 Qc3+ 37.Qxc3 dxc3 38.Ke2 b4 39.Ke3 a5 40.Kd4 Be6 41.f5 Bc8 42.Kc5 g6 43.fxg6 fxg6 44.Kb6 Bf5 45.Bd1 a4 46.bxa4 c2 47.Bxc2 Bxc2 48.a5 Bb1 49.a6 Bxa2 50.Kc5 b3 51.a7 Kf7 52.a8Q Ke6 53.Qd5+ Kf5 54.e6+ Kg4 55.e7 b2 56.Qd4+ Kh3 57.Qxb2 Bf7 58.Qe5 Be8 59.Kd6 Kg4 60.Kc7 g5 61.Kd8 h5 62.Qxg5+ Kh3 63.Kxe8 Kg2 64.Qxh5 Kh3 65.Qg5 Kg2 66.h5 Kh3 67.g4 Kg2 68.Qf4 Kh3 69.g5 Kg2 70.g6 Kh3 71.g7 Kg2 72.g8Q+ Kh1 ½-½ (72) ertras (2668)-overrated77 (2607) Blitz 2023]
11...cxd6 12.Qxd6 Nxb3 13.axb3 Bb8 14.Qd3 d5 15.e5 Bf5 16.Qe3 Nc6 17.Nd4 Nxd4 18.Qxd4 Re8 19.Bf4 Qh4 20.Nc3 Ba7 21.Qxd5 Qxf4 0-1 (21) Carobee (2753)-gmmitkov (2634) Blitz 2023

8...Ng6 9.Bg5
[9.Nc3 0-0 10.Bg5 f6 11.Bb3+ Kh8 12.Be3 d6 13.h3 Na5 14.Bc2 Nc4 15.Bc1 c6 16.b3 Nb6 17.Be3 d5 18.e5 fxe5 19.Bxg6 hxg6 20.Nxe5 Bf5 21.g4 Nd7 22.gxf5 Nxe5 23.dxe5 Rxf5 24.Bxa7 Qg5+ 25.Kh1 Qh6 26.Qg4 Rxa7 27.f4 Ra8 28.Rae1 Raf8 29.Ne2 g5 30.fxg5 Rxf1+ 31.Rxf1 Rxf1+ 32.Kg2 Qg6 33.Kxf1 c5 34.Nf4 Qb1+ 35.Kg2 Qxa2+ 36.Kg3 Qxb3+ 37.Kh4 d4 38.Qh5+ Kg8 39.Qe8+ Kh7 40.g6+ 1-0 (40) The_Killer02 (2608)-TalkingShit (2649) Blitz 2025]
9...f6 10.Be3 0-0 11.Nc3 Kh8 12.h3 Nce7 13.Bb3 c6 14.Rc1 d6 15.Qd2 f5 16.Bg5 f4 17.Rfe1 h6 18.Bxe7 Qxe7 19.e5 Bf5 20.Bc2 Bxc2 21.Qxc2 Nh4 22.Nxh4 Qxh4 23.exd6 Bxd4 24.Rcd1 c5 25.Ne4 f3 26.Nxc5 fxg2 27.Rxd4 Qxd4 28.Ne6 Qb4 29.Re4 Qxd6 30.Nxf8 Rxf8 31.Rg4 Rf7 32.Qe4 Qf6 33.Rxg2 Qxb2 34.Qe8+ 1-0 (34) swbxx (2614)-GildardoGarcia (2488) Blitz 2024

56 **9.Nc3** 0-0 10.exd5
[10.e5 Bg4 11.Be3 Bxf3 12.gxf3 *(12.Qxf3 Nxd4 13.Bxd4 Bxd4 14.Rad1 Bxe5 15.Nxd5 Nxd5*

16.Rxd5 Bxh2+ 17.Kh1 Bd6 18.g3 Qe7 19.Kg2 Rad8 20.Rh1 g6 21.Bc2 Be5 22.Rxd8 Rxd8 23.Qxb7 Rd2 24.Bb3 Rxb2 25.Qxa6 Bd4 26.Rf1 Qe4+ 27.Kg1 Qf3 28.Qa8+ Qxa8 0-1 (28) Egor-Kovalev (2634)-MihailRodin (2594) Blitz 2022*)* 12...Nf5 13.Bxc6 bxc6 14.Ne2 Qh4 15.Rc1 f6 16.Rxc6 fxe5 17.dxe5 d4 18.Rc4 Rad8 19.Qc1 Qh3 20.Bg5 Qxf3 21.Bxd8 Rxd8 22.Qg5 Rf8 23.Rxc7 Bb8 24.Nxd4 h6 25.Nxf3 hxg5 26.Rc5 g4 27.Ng5 Nd4 28.Rd1 Rd8 29.Rxd4 1-0 (29) ApesTutoring (2705)-MihailRodin (2557) Blitz 2022]

10...Nxd5 11.Bg5

[11.Bxc6 bxc6

A) 12.h3 h6 *(12...c5 13.Nxd5 Qxd5 14.Be3 c4 15.Rc1 h6 16.Ne5 c5 17.Nxc4 cxd4 18.Bd2 Bb7 19.Qg4 f5 20.Qg3 f4 21.Qh2 Rf5 22.b3 d3 23.Kh1 Re8 24.f3 g5 25.Rce1 Re2 26.Rxe2 dxe2 27.Re1 Qd3 28.h4 Bd5 29.hxg5 Bxc4 30.Qxh6 Rf7 31.g6 Rg7 32.bxc4 Qxd2 33.Qh4 Rxg6 34.Kh2 Qxe1 35.Qxe1 Rh6+* 0-1 (35) www68 (2603)-MihailRodin (2560) Blitz 2022*)* 13.Bd2 *(13.Re1 Bf5 14.Ne5 Qd6 15.Qf3 Bg6 16.Nxd5 cxd5 17.Nxg6 fxg6 18.Qc3 c5 19.dxc5 Qxc5 20.Be3 Qxc3 21.bxc3 Rfc8 22.Rad1 Rxc3 23.Rxd5 Bxe3 24.Rxe3 Rxe3 25.fxe3 a5 26.a4 g5 27.Kf2 Kf7 28.e4 Ke6 29.Ke3 Ra7 30.g4 Ra8 31.Kd4 Ra7 32.e5 Rf7 33.Rd6+ Ke7 34.Ra6 Rf4+ 35.Kd5 Rxa4 36.Ra7+ Kf8 37.Ke6 Kg8 38.Ra8+ Kh7 39.Kf7 Rf4+ 40.Ke7 a4 41.e6 Kg6 42.Ke8 h5 43.e7 hxg4 44.hxg4 Rxg4 45.Ra6+ Kf5 46.Kf7 Re4 47.Ra5+ Kf4 48.Rxa4 Rxa4 49.e8Q Re4 50.Qb8+ Kf3 51.Kg6 g4 52.Qh2 Re2 53.Qh1+ Ke3 54.Kf5 g3 55.Qg1+ Kf3 56.Qf1+ Rf2 57.Qd3+ Kg2+ 58.Kg4 Kg1 59.Kxg3 Rg2+ 60.Kf3 Rf2+ 61.Ke3 g5 62.Qd1+ Kg2 63.Qg4+ Kf1 64.Qxg5 Rg2 65.Qf4+ Kg1 66.Qf3 Rh2 67.Qg3+ Rg2 68.Qxg2+ Kxg2* ½-½ (68) dau_npukypumb (2635)-gmmitkov (2617) Blitz 2022*)* 13...Bf5 14.Rc1 Ne7 15.Be3 Re8 16.Ne5 Qd6 17.Ne2 c5 18.Nc4 Qf6 19.dxc5 Rad8 20.Qa4 Bd3 21.Rfe1 Nf5 22.Ng3 Nxg3 23.fxg3 Re4 24.Bf2 Rxc4 25.Rxc4 Bxc4 26.Re8+ Rxe8 27.Qxe8+ Kh7 28.Qe4+ Kg8 29.Qxc4 Qxb2 30.Qxa6 Bxc5 31.Bxc5 Qc1+ 32.Kh2 Qxc5 33.a4 Qb6 34.Qc8+ Kh7 35.Qf5+ Kg8 36.a5 Qa7 37.Qc8+ Kh7 38.a6 c5 39.Qb7 1-0 (39) WalleceWilliams (2657)-MihailRodin (2563) Blitz 2023;

B) 12.Ne5 Qd6 13.Ne4 Qe6 14.Ng5 *(14.Re1 h6 15.b3 Rd8 16.Ba3 a5 17.Bc5 Nf6 18.Bxa7 Nxe4 19.Rxe4 Rxa7 20.Qc2 Ra6 21.Rc1 c5 22.dxc5 Qf5 23.Ree1 Re8 24.Qxf5 Bxf5 25.Nc4 Rd8 26.Re5 Be6 27.h3 a4 28.b4 Bxc4 29.Rxc4 a3 30.b5 Rd1+ 31.Kh2 Rf6 32.b6 cxb6 33.c6 Rd8 34.Re3 Rc8 35.c7 b5 36.Rb4 Rxc7 37.Rxa3 Kh7 38.f3 Rb6 39.Rab3 Rc2 40.a3 Rg6 41.Rg4 Ra6 42.Rxb5 Rxa3 43.Rg3 Raa2 44.Rb7 Kg8 45.h4 h5 46.Kh3 g6 47.Rg5 Rc1 48.Re5 Rcc2 49.Re8+ Kg7 50.Ree7 Rxg2 51.Rxf7+ Kg8 52.Rg7+ Kf8*

53.Rbf7+ Ke8 54.Rb7 Kf8 0-1 (54) Micheliavelli (2675)-MihailRodin (2552) Blitz 2022*)* 14...Qf6 15.Qc2 Bf5 16.Qxc6 Bxd4 17.Qxd5 Bxe5 18.Nf3 Bd6 19.Bg5 Qe6 20.Qa5 Be4 21.Rfe1 Qd5 22.Qxd5 Bxd5 23.Nd4 Rfe8 24.Nf5 f6 25.Nxd6 cxd6 26.Bf4 Rxe1+ 27.Rxe1 Bxa2 28.Bxd6 a5 29.h4 a4 30.Re7 Bb3 31.h5 h6 32.Bb4 Rb8 33.Bc3 Rb5 34.g4 Rg5 35.f3 Rd5 36.Kf2 Kf8 37.Ra7 Rd3 38.Ke2 Bc4 39.Kf2 Bd5 40.Rxa4 Rxf3+ 41.Ke2 Rg3 42.Kf2 Rf3+ 43.Ke2 Rh3 44.Kf2 Be6 45.Re4 Kf7 46.Rf4 Rd3 47.Bd4 Bd5 48.b4 Ke6 49.b5 Rd2+ 50.Kg3 Rg2+ 51.Kh3 Re2 52.b6 Re4 53.Rxe4+ Bxe4 54.Kg3 Bb7 55.Bc5 Kf7 56.Kf4 g6 57.Be3 g5+ 58.Kg3 Ke6 59.Bd4 Ke7 60.Bc5+ Ke6 61.Bf8 Kf7 62.Bxh6 Bc6 63.Kf2 Bb7 64.Ke3 Bc6 65.Kd4 Bb7 66.Kc5 Bf3 67.Kd6 f5 68.gxf5 Kf6 69.Kc7 Kxf5 70.Bf8 g4 71.Bh6 g3 72.Be3 Bxh5 73.b7 Bf3 74.b8Q Ke4 75.Qe8+ Kd3 76.Bg1 1-0 (76) Biriyani (2771)-doreality (2776) Blitz 2022]

11...Qd6 12.Bb3

[12.Ne4 Qg6 13.Bc2 *(13.Re1 Bg4 14.Bxc6 bxc6 15.Ne5 Qxe4 16.Nxg4 Qxd4 17.Rc1 c5 18.Qf3 Nb4 19.Rcd1 Qxb2 20.Nf6+ Kh8 21.Qh5 Qc2 22.Re4 h6 23.Rc1 Qb2 24.Bxh6* 1-0 (24) Ute-Manfred (2655)-MihailRodin (2606) Blitz 2022*)* 13...f5 14.Nh4 Qf7 15.Nc5 Bxc5 16.dxc5 Be6 17.Re1 h6 18.Bb3 Na5 19.Bxd5 Bxd5 20.Re7 hxg5 21.Rxf7 Bxf7 22.Nxf5 Rae8 23.Qd2 Be6 24.Nxg7 Kxg7 25.Qxa5 c6 26.h3 Re7 27.Re1 Rfe8 28.Qc3+ Kg6 29.Qe5 Rf7 30.Re3 Ree7 31.g4 Rf6 32.f3 Ref7 33.Qxe6 Rxe6 34.Rxe6+ Kg7 35.Kg2 Rd7 36.Rd6 Re7 37.Kf2 Re5 38.Rd7+ Kf6 39.Rxb7 Rxc5 40.Kg3 Rc2 41.Rb6 a5 42.a4 Ke5 43.b4 axb4 44.Rxb4 c5 45.Re4+ Kd5 46.a5 Ra2 47.Re8 Rxa5 48.Rg8 Kd4 49.Rxg5 Ra1 50.h4 c4 51.Rg8 c3 52.Rd8+ Ke3 53.Rc8 1-0 (53) Gutemaus2019 (2737)-MihailRodin (2559) Blitz 2022]

12...Be6 13.Ne4 Qd7

[13...Qb4 14.a3 Qb6 15.Nc5 Nxd4 16.Nxd4 Qxc5 17.Nxe6 fxe6 18.Rc1 Qd6 19.Bh4 c6 20.Bg3 e5 21.Re1 Rae8 22.Qd2 Kh8 23.Rcd1 Qf6 24.Bxd5 cxd5 25.Qxd5 Bxf2+ 26.Bxf2 Qxf2+ 27.Kh1 Qxb2 28.Rb1 Qxa3 29.Rxb7 Qc3 30.Rbb1 h6 31.h3 Qg3 32.Re2 Rf6 33.Rg1 Rfe6 34.Rf1 e4 35.Qh5 Rg6 36.Qd5 Kh7 37.Rg1 Qf4 38.Rge1 Rge6 39.Qc4 a5 40.Kg1 Re5 41.Rf1 Qg3 42.Qa4 Qd3 43.Rfe1 e3 44.Kh1 Qc3 45.Qd7 Re4 46.Qf5+ Kh8 47.Qd5 Qe5 48.Qa2 a4 49.Rf1 Qb5 50.Ree1 e2 51.Rf2 Qb3 52.Qa1 Qd3 53.Rf7 Qd4 54.Qb1 Rf4 55.Qb7 Rxf7 56.Qxf7 Qe5 57.Qf3 Qe3 0-1 (57) matuj (2642)-MihailRodin (2608) Blitz 2022]

14.Rc1 f6 15.Bh4 Rad8 16.Nc5 Bxc5 17.Rxc5 Nf4 18.Bg3 Bxb3 19.Qxb3+ Nd5 20.Re1 b6 21.Rc2 Na5 22.Qa3 Rfe8 23.Rec1 Re4 24.Qd3 Rde8 25.a3 Qb5 26.Qd2 Nb3 27.Qd1 Nxc1 28.Qxc1 Qd3 29.h3 Re2 30.Rc6 Qb5 31.b4 a5 32.bxa5 Qxa5 33.Qc4 Kh8 34.a4 h6 35.Kh2 R2e4 36.Bxc7 Nxc7 37.Rxc7 Qf5 38.Qf7 Rg8 39.Qc4 Qf4+ 40.Kg1 Rge8 41.Qc1 Qxc1+ 42.Rxc1 Re2 43.Rb1 Ra2 44.Rxb6 Rxa4

45.Rb2 Ra1+ 46.Kh2 Kh7 47.Ng5+ 1-0 (47) TheMigos (2796)-MihailRodin (2607) Blitz 2022

9.e5 0-0

[9...Bg4 10.Be3 0-0 11.Bc2 f6 12.exf6 Rxf6 13.Bxh7+ Kh8 14.Bg5 Bxf3 15.gxf3 Kxh7 16.Bxf6 gxf6 17.Qd3+ Kh8 18.Kh1 Bxd4 19.Nc3 Qd6 20.Rg1 Bxf2 21.Rg4 Ne5 0-1 (21) ertras (2614)-MihailRodin (2552) Blitz 2023]

10.h3 Bf5 11.Nc3 Qd7 12.Be3 b5 13.Bc2 Bxc2 14.Qxc2 f6 15.Rad1 fxe5 16.Nxe5 Nxe5 17.dxe5 Bxe3 18.fxe3 Qe6 19.Rxf8+ Rxf8 20.Qd3 c6 21.e4 dxe4 22.Qxe4 Ng6 23.Rd6 Qxe5 24.Rxc6 Qg3 25.Qe6+ Kh8 26.Rc8 Qxg2+ 27.Kxg2 Nf4+ 28.Kf3 Nxe6+ 29.Rxf8+ Nxf8 30.Nd5 Ne6 31.Nb4 Nc7 32.Kf4 g6 33.Ke5 a5 34.Nc6 a4 35.Kd6 Na6 36.b4 a3 37.Nd4 Nxb4 38.Nxb5 Nxa2 39.Nxa3 Kg7 40.Ke5 Kh6 41.Kf4 Kh5 42.Kg3 Nc3 43.Nc4 Ne4+ 44.Kf4 Nf2 45.Kg3 Ne4+ 46.Kf4 Ng5 47.Kg3 Ne6 48.Ne5 Kg5 49.Nf7+ Kf6 50.Nd6 Nd4 51.Ne4+ Ke5 52.Nf2 Nf5+ 53.Kg4 h6 54.h4 Ne3+ 55.Kg3 Kf5 56.Nd3 Nc4 57.Nf2 Nd6 58.Ng4 Ne4+ 59.Kf3 Nd2+ 60.Kg3 h5 61.Ne3+ Ke4 62.Ng2 Nf1+ 63.Kf2 Nd2 64.Kg3 Nf1+ 65.Kf2 Nh2 66.Kg3 Ng4 67.Nf4 Ne5 68.Nh3 Nd3 69.Ng1 Ne1 70.Nh3 Nd3 71.Ng1 Kf5 72.Nh3 Nc5 73.Kf3 Nd7 74.Kg3 Nf6 75.Ng1 Ne4+ 76.Kf3 Nc5 77.Kg3 Ne6 78.Kh3 g5 79.Kg3 g4 0-1 (79) Chesspattern_on_IG (2632)-xiaochess (2852) Blitz 2023

57 **10.Ne5** Qd6 11.Nc3 0-0 12.Ne4 Qe6 13.Ng5 Qf6 14.Bc2 Bf5 15.Nd7 Qg6 16.Nxf8 Rxf8 17.Bxf5 Qxf5 18.Nf3 Rd8 19.Be3 Re8 20.Qd2 Bb6 21.a3 Na5 22.Rad1 Nc4 23.Qd3 Qxd3 24.Rxd3 Nxb2 25.Rb3 Nc4 26.Re1 Ba5 27.Bd2 Rxe1+ 28.Bxe1 Bxe1 29.Nxe1 b5 30.Nc2 Nd2 31.Rd3 Nc4 32.g3 a5 33.f3 Kf8 34.Kf2 b4 35.axb4 axb4 36.Rb3 Nd2 37.Rb2 Nc4 38.Rb3 Nd2 39.Rd3 Nc4 40.h4 Ke7 41.h5 Kd6 42.f4 f5 43.Kf3 g6 44.h6 c5 45.dxc5+ Kxc5 46.Rxd5+ Kxd5 47.Nxb4+ Ke6 48.Nd3 Nd2+ 49.Kg2 Ne4 50.Ne5 Kf6 51.Nd7+ Kf7 52.Ne5+ Kg8 53.Kf3 Nd2+ 54.Kg2 Ne4 55.Kf3 Nf6 56.g4 fxg4+ 57.Nxg4 Nh5 58.Ne5 Kf8 59.Kg4 Nf6+ 60.Kg5 Ne4+ 61.Kg4 Nd6 62.Kg5 Ne4+ 63.Kg4 Kg8 64.f5 Nf6+ 65.Kg5 Ne4+ 0-1 (65) MassterofMayhem (2695)-merrychristmas123 (2670) Blitz 2023

10.Bxc6+ bxc6 11.Bg5 f6 12.Re1+ Kf7 13.Ne5+ Kg8 14.Nxc6 Qd7 15.Nxa7 Rxa7 16.Bd2 Bb7 17.Nc3 h5 18.f3 h4 19.Nxd5 Bxd5 20.h3 Rb7 21.b3 Kf7 22.Qc2 Rh5 23.Bf4 c6 24.Re2 Bxf3 25.Qc4+ Bd5 26.Qxa6 Rb4 27.Rae1 Qf5 28.Re7+ Kg6 29.Bd6 Rg5 30.R1e2 Qf3 0-1 (30) V_vs (2658)-doreality (2738) Blitz 2022

58 **10...Be6** 11.Ng5

[11.Bxc6+ bxc6 12.Bg5 Qd6 13.Nbd2 0-0 14.Nc4 Qb4 15.Rc1 Rfe8 16.Nfe5 Qb7 17.Be3 f6 18.Na5 Qxb2 19.Re2 Qb5 20.Nexc6 Bb6 21.a4 Nxe3 22.fxe3 Qh5 23.Re1 Bg4 24.Qb3+ Kh8 25.Nc4 Be6 26.Qc3 Bd5 27.Nb4 Bb7 28.a5 Ba7 29.Nd3 Rad8 30.Nf4 Qg5 31.g3 h5 32.Rb1 Ba8 33.Nd2 h4 34.Nf1 Be4 35.Rbc1 c5 36.dxc5 Rc8 37.c6 Rxc6 38.Qd2 Rxc1 39.Rxc1 hxg3 40.Nxg3 Bf3 41.Rc4 Bxe3+ 42.Qxe3 Rxe3 43.Kf2 Ra3

44.h4 Qe5 45.Ng6+ Kh7 46.Nxe5 fxe5 47.Rc5 e4 48.Nf5 Ra2+ 49.Kg3 Rg2+ 50.Kf4 Rg4+ 51.Ke3 g6 52.Rc7+ Kh8 53.Nh6 Rxh4 54.Nf7+ Kg8 55.Ng5 Kf8 56.Rc8+ Ke7 57.Rc7+ Kf6 58.Ra7 Kxg5 59.Rxa6 Rh2 60.Rb6 Kg4 61.Kd4 Re2 62.Ke5 Rd2 63.Rb4 Kg3 64.Rxe4 Bxe4 65.Kf6 Ra2 66.a6 Rxa6+ 67.Kg7 Ra5 68.Kh6 Bf5 69.Kg7 Ra4 70.Kh8 ½-½ (70) wuzhaobing (2708)-MihailRodin (2570) Blitz 2022]

[11.Ne5 Nde7 12.Nxc6 bxc6 13.d5 Qxd5 14.Qxd5 Bxd5 15.Nc3 Be6 16.Bg5 h6 17.Bxe7 Kxe7 18.Bxc6 Rab8 19.b3 Rhd8 20.Rad1 Kf8 21.Bd5 Bg4 22.Bf3 Bxf3 23.gxf3 Bd4 24.Ne4 c5 25.Rc1 Rbc8 26.Rc2 f5 27.Ng3 g6 28.Kg2 Re8 29.Rxe8+ Rxe8 30.Ne2 Rd8 31.Nc1 Ke7 32.Nd3 Kd6 33.Re2 g5 34.f4 g4 35.f3 h5 36.Ne5 Kd5 37.Nf7 Rd7 38.Nh6 a5 39.Nxf5 a4 40.Nxd4 cxd4 41.Re5+ Kc6 42.fxg4 d3 43.Re1 axb3 44.axb3 hxg4 45.Kg3 Kc5 46.Kxg4 d2 47.Rd1 Kb4 48.f5 Kxb3 49.Kg5 Kc2 50.Rxd2+ Kxd2 51.f6 Ke3 52.Kg6 Kf4 53.h4 Kg4 54.h5 Kf4 55.h6 Ke5 56.f7 Rd8 57.Kg7 Ke6 58.f8Q Rxf8 59.Kxf8 Kf6 60.h7 Kg5 61.h8Q 1-0 (61) dark_flash (2664)-MihailRodin (2557) Blitz 2023]

[11.Bg5 Qd6 12.Nc3 0-0 13.Ne4 Qb4

A) 14.Bxc6 bxc6 15.Qc2 *(15.Qc1 Bxd4 16.Nxd4 Qxd4 17.Qxc6 Qxb2 18.Nc5 Nb4 19.Qxc7 Nc2 20.Rab1 Qxa2 21.Rec1 Nd4 22.Re1 Qd5 23.Be7 Rfc8 24.Qb6 Nc6 25.Nxe6 fxe6 26.Ba3 Rab8 27.Qxa6 Ra8 28.Qb7 Rcb8 29.Qc7 Rxb1 30.Rxb1 Rxa3 31.Qc8+ Nd8 32.h3 Ra8 33.Qc3 h6 34.Re1 Nf7 35.Qc7 Rf8 36.Rb1 Ng5 37.Rb7 Qd4 38.Qc2 Ne4 39.Kh2 Qe5+ 40.Kg1 Rxf2 41.Qc8+ Kh7 42.Rb8 Rxg2+ 43.Kxg2 Qg3+* 0-1 (43) Soundwave6666 (2632)-MihailRodin (2593) Blitz 2023*)*

15...Bxd4 16.Bd2 Qxb2 17.Qd3 Qxa1 18.Rxa1 Bxa1 19.Neg5 g6 20.Nxe6 fxe6 21.Qc4 Rab8 22.h4 Rb6 23.Qe4 c5 24.a4 Rd6 25.h5 Nf6 26.Qb1 Bd4 27.hxg6 e5 28.gxh7+ Nxh7 29.Qb3+ Kg7 30.Be3 Rf7 31.Qc2 Nf6 32.Nh4 Rd8 33.Qg6+ Kf8 34.Bh6+ Ke8 35.Nf5 e4 36.Bg5 c4 37.Nxd4 Rxd4 38.Bxf6 Rd6 39.Qxe4+ Kf8 40.Bd4 Rfd7 41.Bc5 c3 42.Bxd6+ 1-0 (42) Sethuraman,S (2647)-Rodin,M (2321) Chess.com INT 2016;

B) 14.a3 Qb6 15.Nc5 Nxd4 16.b4 Nxf3+ 17.Qxf3 c6 18.Qg3 Qc7 19.Qxc7 Nxc7 20.Nxb7 Nb5 21.Rac1 Bd5 22.Na5 Rac8 23.Be3 Bxe3 24.Rxe3 Rfd8 25.h3 Kf8 26.Bd1 Nd4 27.Bg4 Rc7 28.Rd3 Be4 29.Re3 f5 30.Bd1 g6 31.Kf1 Bd5 32.Nb3 Nxb3 33.Bxb3 Bxb3 34.Rxb3 Ke7 35.Rbc3 Rd6 36.Ke2 Kd7 37.Rd3 Rb7 38.Rc5 Rb5 39.Rc4 a5 40.bxa5 Rxa5 41.a4 Re5+ 42.Kd2 Red5 43.Rcc3 Kc7 44.Rxd5 Rxd5+ 45.Rd3 Ra5 46.Rd4 c5 47.Rc4 Kc6 48.Kc3 Kd5 49.Rh4 h5 50.Kb3 Ra7 51.g4 Rb7+ 52.Ka3 Rb4 53.a5 fxg4 54.a6 Kc6 55.hxg4 Rxg4 56.Rxg4 hxg4 57.Ka4 Kb6 58.a7 Kxa7 59.Kb5 Kb7 60.Kxc5 Kc7 61.Kd5 Kd7

62.Ke5 Ke7 63.Kf4 Kf6 64.Kxg4 g5 65.f4 gxf4 66.Kxf4 ½-½ (66) qdxds123 (2659)-MihailRodin (2558) Blitz 2021]

[11.Nc3 0-0 12.Bxc6 bxc6 13.Ng5 Bf5 14.Bf4 Qf6 15.Nxd5 cxd5 16.Nf3 Bg4 17.Bxc7 Bxf3 18.Qxf3 Qxf3 19.gxf3 Bxd4 20.Rad1 Bxb2 21.Rxd5 h6 22.Rd7 Rfe8 23.Ree7 Bf6 24.Rxe8+ Rxe8 25.Kf1 Bc3 26.Rd3 Re1+ 27.Kg2 Bf6 28.Ra3 Re6 29.f4 Rc6 30.Be5 Be7 31.Ra4 f6 32.Bd4 Bd6 33.Be3 Kf7 34.Kf3 f5 35.Ra5 g6 36.Rd5 Ke6 37.Ra5 Bc7 38.Ra4 a5 39.Bd2 Rc5 40.Be3 Rb5 41.Rc4 Bd6 42.Rc8 Rb2 43.Rg8 Kf7 44.Rd8 Bb4 45.Rd7+ Ke8 46.Rg7 Rxa2 47.Rxg6 a4 48.Rxh6 a3 49.Ra6 Rc2 50.Bd4 a2 51.h4 Bd6 52.Rxd6 Rd2 53.Ra6 Rxd4 54.Rxa2 Rd3+ 55.Kg2 Kf7 56.Ra6 Kg7 57.f3 Rd1 58.Ra7+ Kh6 59.Rf7 Kg6 60.Rf8 Ra1 61.h5+ Kxh5 62.Rxf5+ Kg6 63.Rg5+ Kf6 64.Kg3 Rg1+ 65.Kh4 Rh1+ 66.Kg4 Rg1+ 67.Kh4 Rh1+ 68.Kg3 Rg1+ 69.Kf2 Rxg5 70.fxg5+ Kxg5 71.Ke3 Kf5 72.Kf2 Kf4 73.Kg2 Kf5 74.Kg3 Kg5 75.f4+ Kf5 76.Kf3 Kf6 77.Kg4 Kg6 78.f5+ Kf6 79.Kf4 Kf7 80.Ke4 Ke7 81.Ke5 Kf7 82.f6 1-0 (82) ChuckPhil (2618)-MihailRodin (2565) Blitz 2022]

11...0-0

[11...b5 12.Bb3 0-0 13.Qh5 Nf6 14.Nxe6 Nxh5 15.Nxd8 Raxd8 16.d5 Nd4 17.Nc3 h6 18.Be3 Nxb3 19.axb3 Bxe3 20.Rxe3 Nf6 21.Rxa6 Nxd5 22.Re1 Nb4 23.Ra7 Nd3 24.Rf1 b4 25.Na4 c5 26.g3 Rfe8 27.Rc7 Rd5 28.Rd1 Nf4 29.Rf1 Ne6 30.Rc6 Rd2 31.Kg2 g6 32.Rc1 Rd3 33.Nxc5 Nxc5 34.R1xc5 Rxb3 35.Rb6 Rxb2 36.Rc4 b3 37.Rc3 Ree2 38.Rf3 Re7 39.Rbxb3 Rxb3 40.Rxb3 Kg7 41.Rf3 f5 42.h4 Kf6 43.Rc3 Re6 44.Rc7 g5 45.hxg5+ hxg5 46.Rh7 Kg6 47.Ra7 g4 48.Ra3 Rc6 49.Re3 Rc2 50.Ra3 Rc6 51.Ra8 Re6 52.Ra7 Rd6 53.Ra5 Rb6 54.Ra7 Rb5 55.Rc7 Rd5 56.Rc6+ Kg5 57.f4+ gxf3+ 58.Kxf3 Rd3+ 59.Kg2 Ra3 60.Rc8 Kf6 61.Rg8 Kf7 62.Rc8 Kf6 63.Rc4 Kg5 64.Rf4 Rc3 65.Kh3 Rc1 66.Rh4 Rh1+ 67.Kg2 Rxh4 68.gxh4+ Kxh4 69.Kf3 Kg5 70.Kf2 Kf6 71.Kg3 Ke5 72.Kf3 Kf6 73.Kf4 Kg6 74.Kf3 Kg5 75.Kg3 Kf6 76.Kf3 Ke5 77.Ke3 f4+ 78.Kf3 Kf5 79.Ke2 Kg4 80.Kf2 Kf5 81.Ke1 Ke5 82.Kf2 Ke4 83.Ke2 Kf5 84.Kf2 Kg4 85.Ke2 Kg3 86.Kf1 Kf3 87.Kg1 Ke2 88.Kg2 f3+ 89.Kh3 f2 90.Kh2 f1Q 91.Kg3 Qf5 92.Kh2 Qg4 0-1 (92) abcdalirezaaa (2621)-Buffy7 (2660) Blitz 2023]

[11...Qd7 12.Nxe6 fxe6 13.Nc3 0-0 14.Ne4 Kh8 15.Ng5 Rf6 16.Bc2 h6 17.Qd3 Rf5 18.Nxe6 Nce7 19.Qg3 Rf7 20.Bd2 Nf5 21.Qg6 Rf6 22.Qh5 Nxd4 23.Nxd4 Bxd4 24.Rad1 Bxf2+ 25.Kh1 Bxe1 26.Rxe1 Raf8 27.h3 Rf1+ 28.Rxf1 Rxf1+ 29.Kh2 Qd6+ 30.g3 Rf2+ 31.Kh1 Nf6 32.Qg6 Qxd2 33.Kg1 Rg2+ 34.Kf1 Qf2# 0-1 (34) manulchik76 (2615)-spectraline (2491) Blitz 2024]

12.Qd3

[12.Bxc6 bxc6 13.Nxe6 fxe6 14.Nc3 Qf6 15.Be3 Nxe3 16.fxe3 Qf2+ 17.Kh1 Qxb2 18.Ne4 *(18.Qb3 Qxb3 19.axb3 c5 20.d5 exd5 21.Nxd5 Bb6 22.e4 a5 23.e5 Rfe8 24.e6 Rad8 25.Rad1 Rd6 26.e7 h6 27.g4 Ba7 28.Nxc7 Rxd1 29.Rxd1 Rxe7*

30.Nd5 Rf7 31.Kg2 Kh7 32.Ra1 Rd7 33.Rxa5 Rxd5 34.Rxa7 Rd2+ 35.Kg1 Rd3 36.Rc7 Rxb3 37.Rxc5 Rb2 ½-½ (37) solxe (2645)-Pohalifmanu (2649) Blitz 2024*)* 18...e5 19.Rb1 Qxa2 20.dxe5 Qe6 21.Ng5 Qxe5 22.Qb3+ Qd5 23.Ne6 Qxb3 24.Rxb3 Rf7 25.Rc3 Bb6 26.Rxc6 a5 27.g3 a4 28.Ra1 Re7 29.e4 a3 30.Ra2 Ra4 31.e5 h6 32.Kg2 g5 33.Rf2 Bxf2 0-1 (33) CarlesMurusevich (2690)-MihailRodin (2552) Blitz 2021]

12...Nf6

[12...g6 13.Bxc6 bxc6 14.Nc3 Bf5 15.Qg3 Bxd4 16.Rd1 Nxc3 17.bxc3 Bxf2+ 18.Kxf2 Qxd1 19.Qh4 Qc2+ 20.Kg1 h5 21.Be3 Qxc3 22.Bd4 Qc4 23.Nf3 c5 24.Be5 Qxh4 0-1 (24) JoeAssaad (2616)-BENED7707 (2736) Blitz 2024]

13.Bc2 Nb4 14.Qd2 Qxd4 15.Nxe6 Qxd2 16.Bxd2 Nxc2 17.Nxf8 Nxa1 18.Na3 Ng4 19.Rxa1 Nxf2 20.Nd7 Rd8 21.Kf1 Rxd7 0-1 (21) AP-2804 (2773)-merrychristmas123 (2608) Blitz 2025

10...Nde7 11.d5 b5 12.Bc2 Nb4 13.Bb3 0-0 14.Nc3 Bb7 15.Bg5 Re8 16.a3 Qd6 17.axb4 Nf5 18.Qd3 Qxb4 19.Bc2 g6 20.Ne4 Kf8 21.g4 Ng7 22.Nf6 Rxe1+ 23.Rxe1 Qxb2 24.Nxh7+ Kg8 25.Nf6+ Kf8 26.Ne5 Bc8 27.Qh3 Bxf2+ 28.Kh1 Nh5 29.Nxh5 Bxe1 30.Bh6+ Ke7 31.Nc6+ Kd6 32.Bf8+ Kd7 33.g5+ f5 34.gxf6+ Ke8 35.Ng7+ Kf7 36.Qh8 Qxf6 37.Nd8+ Qxd8 0-1 (37) Ballsy_Binge (2638)-Franmu14 (2611) Blitz 2023

[59] **12.Ne5** f6 13.Nd3 Bxd4 14.Nxd5 Nxd5 15.Qh5 g6 16.Bh6+ Kf7 17.Qh4 c5 18.Rad1 b5 19.Nxc5 Bxc5 20.Rxd5 Qxd5 21.Bb3 Qxb3 22.axb3 Be6 23.Rxe6 Kxe6 24.Qe4+ Kd7 25.Qd5+ 1-0 (25) swimmerchess (2820)-suyu28 (2583) Blitz 2022

[60] **7.Nxe5** Ncxe5 8.d4 b5 9.Bb3 d6 10.dxc5 dxc5 11.Qxd8+ Kxd8 12.f4 c4 13.Bc2 Nd7 14.Be3 Bb7 15.Nd2 Re8 16.Rad1 Ke7 17.Nf3 Nf6 18.Bc5+ 1-0 (18) KRUMMEL2008 (2618)-C4_sicilian (2339) Blitz 2024

[61] **8.Bb3** Edouard,Romain: 'led to another efficient victory by GM Frolyanov:' 8...0-0 9.Bg5

[9.Be3 Kuzmin, Alexey: 'was met in the first game, where the ♘gambit variation had been applied - 7...Ng6.' d6 10.Nbd2 h6 11.Re1 Qf6 Kuzmin, Alexey: '=' Kuzmin, Alexey: 'Alavkin,A - Rodin,M Saratov 2006' 12.a4 *(12.d5 Nce7 13.Nf1 Nf4 14.Ng3 Bg4 15.Bxa7 Rxa7 16.Re3 Neg6 17.Qe1 Nxg2 18.Kxg2 Bxf3+ 19.Kg1 Nh4 20.Bd1 Raa8 21.Nf5 Qg5+ 22.Ng3 Bxd1 23.Rxd1 f5 24.exf5 Rxf5 25.Kh1 Rf4 26.Qg1 Raf8 27.Ne4 Qf5 28.Rde1 Nf3* 0-1 (28) MaLeKkoNihli (2622)-Enialios (2727) Blitz 2023*)* 12...exd4 13.cxd4 Nxd4 14.Nxd4 Bxd4 15.Qc2 Bxb2 16.Rab1 Be5 17.Qxc7 d5 18.Qb6 d4 19.Qxf6 Bxf6 20.e5 dxe3 0-1 (20) Mavi_alpha (2629)-CaptainSploosh (2646) Blitz 2022]

[9.Ng5 Na5 *(9...Qf6 10.Qh5 h6 11.f4 exf4 12.Nxf7 Rxf7 13.Rxf4 Nxf4 14.Qxf7+ Qxf7 15.Bxf7+ Kxf7 16.Bxf4 Nxd4* 0-1 (16) DrFunny (2688)-Hamisandwich (2673) Blitz 2021*; 9...h6 10.Qh5 Nh8 11.Nf3 exd4 12.Bxh6 gxh6 13.Qxh6 Re8 14.Ng5 Qxg5 15.Qxg5+ Kf8 16.Nd2*

d6 17.Nf3 dxc3 18.bxc3 Be6 19.Qh6+ Ke7 20.Bxe6 fxe6 21.Rab1 Bb6 22.e5 Nf7 23.Qf6+ Kf8 24.Ng5 Ncxe5 25.Nxe6+ Rxe6 26.Qxe6 Re8 27.Qf6 Nd7 28.Qf5 Nde5 29.Rbe1 Re7 30.Kh1 Nc6 31.Rxe7 Nxe7 32.Qe6 Ne5 33.f4 Nd3 34.g3 Nc5 35.Qf6+ Ke8 36.Re1 1-0 (36) Strelok2222 (2633)-kartoGM (2642) Blitz 2021*)* 10.Qh5 1-0 (10) Erebuni91 (2715)-voraylk (2609) Blitz 2024]

[9.a4 d6 10.h3 h6 *(10...a5 11.Re1 h6 12.Na3 Qf6 13.Nb5 Bb6 14.Be3 Nf4 15.Kh2 g5 16.Ng1 Kh8 17.Ne2 g4 18.Bxf4 exf4 19.hxg4 f3 20.gxf3 Qxf3 21.Kg1 Qh3 22.Ng3 Bxg4 23.Qd3 Rg8 24.Bxf7 Rg7 25.Ba2 Rf8 26.Qf1 Qh4 27.Qg2 Bf3 28.Qh2 Qg5 29.Re3 Rf4 30.Rxf3 Rxf3 31.Kg2 Rf4 32.Rh1 Rg6 33.Bb1 Qg4 34.Qh5 Rxf2+ 35.Kxf2 Qxg3+ 36.Ke2 Qg2+ 37.Kd3 Rg3+ 38.Kc4 Ne5+ 39.Kb3 Rg5 40.Qxh6+* 1-0 (40) I_M_A_O_B (2606)-MasterOffPuppets (2518) Blitz 2025*)* 11.Be3 Kh8 12.Na3 f5 13.exf5 Bxf5 14.Qd2 e4 15.Nh2 Qh4 16.d5 Nce5 17.Bxa7 Rxa7 18.Rfe1 Raa8 19.Re3 Nf4 20.Rae1 Rf6 21.Rg3 Nh5 22.Rge3 Rg6 23.g4 Bxg4 24.hxg4 Nxg4 25.Nxg4 Rxg4+ 26.Kf1 Nf4 27.Rg3 Qh1+ 28.Rg1 Qxg1# 0-1 (28) Gigante-Noble (2647)-QWERT0808 (2533) Blitz 2025]

[9.dxe5 Ncxe5 10.Nxe5 Nxe5 11.Qh5 Qf6 12.Be3 d6 13.h3 Qg6 14.Qxg6 Nxg6 15.Nd2 Be6 16.Rae1 Bxb3 17.Nxb3 Bxe3 18.Rxe3 Rae8 19.f4 f5 20.Nd2 fxe4 21.f5 Nh4 22.g4 d5 23.Kh2 c6 24.Kg3 g5 25.Rfe1 Kg7 26.b4 Kf6 27.Nb3 Nf3 28.R1e2 Ne5 29.Nc5 Nc4 30.Nd7+ Kf7 31.Nxf8 Kxf8 32.h4 Nxe3 33.Rxe3 h6 34.Re1 Kg7 35.hxg5 hxg5 36.Rh1 b6 37.Kf2 c5 38.Rh5 Kf6 39.Rh6+ Ke5 40.Rxb6 d4 41.bxc5 dxc3 42.Ke3 c2 43.Kd2 Kf4 44.Re6 Rd8+ 45.Kxc2 Kxg4 46.f6 Kf5 47.Re7 Kxf6 48.Rxe4 Kf5 49.Ra4 g4 50.c6 g3 51.Ra3 Rg8 52.Rf3+ Ke6 53.Rf1 Kd6 54.Kd3 Kc7 55.Rg1 Kxc6 56.Ke3 Kb5 57.Kd4 Ka4 58.Rg2 Rd8+ 59.Kc5 Rg8 60.Kc4 Ka3 61.Kc3 Rc8+ 62.Kd4 Rg8 63.Kd5 Rd8+ 64.Kc6 Rg8 65.Kb6 Rb8+ 66.Kxa6 Rg8 67.Kb6 Rg4 68.Kc5 Rf4 69.Kd5 Rf2 70.Rxg3+ Rf3 71.Rxf3+ Kxa2 72.Rf4 1-0 (72) Fritzi_2003 (2635)-spectraline (2605) Blitz 2023]

9...Qe8 10.d5

[10.Be3 Kuzmin, Alexey: 'Having spent time on the move 8. ♗b3, White forced the move ♕e8, although it is not a considerable achievement for him. Black has normal counterplay.' d6 Postny,Evgeny: '!' 11.Nbd2 Bg4 12.h3 Kuzmin, Alexey: 'Frolyanov,D - Petukhov,D Kazan 2012' Ribli,Zoltan: '⩲' Bxf3 Kuzmin, Alexey: '!' *(12...Bd7 13.Re1 Qd8 14.Nf1 Kh8 15.Ng3 Nh4±* Edouard,Romain: '?' with a superb blockade. *16.Ng5 f6* Edouard,Romain: '?' *17.Nxh7* Edouard,Romain: '+-!' Edouard,Romain: '1-0 (27) Frolyanov,D (2555)-Petukhov,D (2332) Tolyatti 2012')* 13.Nxf3 exd4 14.cxd4 Ribli,Zoltan: '!?' Qxe4 Kuzmin, Alexey: '∞']

10...Nce7 11.d6 cxd6 12.Qxd6 Bb8 13.Qd1

[13.Qd3 h6 14.Be3 Kh8 15.Nbd2 f5 16.exf5 Nxf5 17.Bd5 Ba7 18.Kh1 d6 19.Rad1 Qe7 20.Ne4 Nxe3 21.fxe3

Bf5 22.Qe2 Rad8 23.a4 Nh4 24.h3 Bg6 25.Ng3 Nxf3 26.Rxf3 Rxf3 27.Qxf3 Rf8 28.Qg4 Bc2 29.Rc1 Bh7 30.e4 b5 31.axb5 axb5 32.Ra1 Be3 33.Nf5 Bxf5 34.exf5 Qg5 35.Qxg5 Bxg5 36.g4 h5 37.Kg2 Kh7 38.Ra6 Bc1 39.b3 hxg4 40.hxg4 Bd2 41.Rxd6 Bxc3 42.g5 Rc8 43.Rd7 Kh8 44.Kf3 Bd2 45.Kg4 Bf4 46.f6 gxf6 47.g6 1-0 (47) Sevian,S (2687)-Ghosh,D (2553) chess.com INT 2023]

13...d6 14.Nbd2 h6 15.Bxe7 Qxe7 16.Nc4 Bc7 17.Ne3 Nf4 18.g3 Nh3+ 19.Kg2 Ng5 20.Nxg5 Qxg5 21.Qf3 Be6 22.h4 Qg6 23.Rad1 Rae8 24.Nf5 Bxf5 25.exf5 Qf6 26.Rfe1 b5 27.Re4 a5 28.Bd5 Rb8 29.Rd3 b4 30.c4 Bb6 31.Qh5 Bd4 32.b3 Kh7 33.Rf3 g6 34.Qg4 g5 35.Qh5 Rbe8 36.hxg5 Qxg5 37.Bxf7 Qxh5 38.Bxh5 Re7 39.Rg4 e4 40.Rff4 Be5 41.Rxe4 Rf6 42.f4 1-0 (42) cutemouse83 (2869)-IMFAR (2674) Blitz 2021

8.Nxe5 Ncxe5 9.dxe5 Nxe5 10.Bf4

[10.Nd2 0-0 *(10...Nd3 11.Nf3 Nxc1 12.Rxc1 0-0 13.Bb3 d6 14.Nd4 Qh4 15.Qd3 Bd7 16.Rce1 Rae8 17.Kh1 c5 18.Nf3 Qh6 19.Bd5 b5 20.c4 Kh8 21.b3 Bb6 22.e5 Ba5 23.Re4 Bf5 24.exd6 Qxd6 25.cxb5 Bxe4 26.Bxe4 Qxd3 27.Bxd3 axb5 28.Bxb5 Rd8 29.Bc4 f6 30.a4 Rfe8 31.g3 g5 32.h3 Kg7 33.Kg2 Re7 34.Rc1 Bb4 35.Rc2 h5 36.h4 g4 37.Ng1 Rd2 38.Rxd2 Bxd2 39.Ne2 f5 40.Nf4 Bxf4 41.gxf4 Ra7 42.Bd3 Kf6 43.Kg3 Ke6 44.Bc4+ Kf6 45.Bd3 Rd7 46.Bc4 Rd1 47.a5 Rg1+ 48.Kh2 Ra1 49.a6 Ke7 50.Kg3 Kd6 51.Kg2 Ra2 52.Kg3 Kc6 53.Be6 Ra3 54.Bc4 Kb6 55.f3 gxf3 56.Kxf3 Rxa6 57.Bf7 Ra3 58.Ke3 c4 59.Kd2 cxb3 60.Kc3 b2+ 61.Kxb2 Rh3 62.Bxh5 Rxh4 63.Bg6 Rxf4 64.Kb3 Kc5 65.Kc3 Rf3+ 66.Kd2 Kd4 67.Ke2 Rf4* 0-1 (67) d3rocks (2657)-CaptainSploosh (2676) Blitz 2021*; 10...b5 11.Bb3 d6 12.Kh1 0-0 13.f4 Ng4 14.Qf3 Nxh2 15.Qg3 Nxf1 16.Nxf1 Be6 17.Bc2 f5 18.Ne3 Bxe3 19.Bxe3 Qe8 20.Bd4 Qg6 21.Qxg6 hxg6 22.e5 Rfd8 23.exd6 cxd6 24.a3 Kf7 25.Kh2 Re8 26.Rd1 Bc4 27.b3 Re2 28.bxc4 Rxc2 29.c5 dxc5 30.Bxc5 Rxc3 31.Rd7+ Ke6 32.Rd6+ Ke7 33.Rxa6+ Rxc5 34.Rxa8 Rc4 35.Ra7+ Kf6 36.Ra6+ Kf7 37.Kg3 Rd4 38.Rb6 Ra4 39.Rxb5 Rxa3+ 40.Kf2 Kg8 41.Rb6 Kh7 42.g3 Kh6 43.Rb8 g5 44.fxg5+ Kxg5 45.Rb4 g6 46.Kg2 Re3 47.Kf2 Re4 48.Rb6 Kh5 49.Rb8 g5 50.Rb3 Kg4 51.Rb2 Ra4 52.Kg2 Re4 53.Rc2 Rd4 54.Rb2 Rc4 55.Ra2 Rb4 56.Rf2 Rb3 57.Kh2 Rxg3 58.Rxf5 Rh3+ 59.Kg2 Kxf5 60.Kxh3 Kf4 61.Kh2 Kf3 62.Kg1 Kg3 63.Kf1 Kh2* 0-1 (63) drawingchest (2624)-FraDoNicks (2744) Blitz 2021*)* 11.Nf3 d6 *(11...f6 12.Bb3+ Kh8 13.Nh4 d6 14.h3 Qe8 15.Kh1 Be6 16.Nf5 Bxb3 17.axb3 Qc6 18.f4 Ng6 19.Qf3 Rae8 20.Re1 Qb5 21.Nd4 Bxd4 22.cxd4 Re7 23.f5 Nh4 24.Qg3 g5 25.fxg6 Nxg6 26.Bh6 Rfe8 27.Qf3 f5 28.d5 f4 29.Qc3+ Re5 30.Qxc7 R5e7 31.Qxd6 Rf7 32.Rf1 Kg8 33.Rae1 f3 34.Rxf3 Rxf3 35.gxf3 Qxb3 36.Qf6 Re7 37.d6 Rf7 38.d7 Rxf6 39.d8Q+ Nf8 40.Qxf6 Qf7 41.Qxf7+ Kxf7 42.Bxf8 Kxf8 43.f4* 1-0 (43) Strelok2222 (2603)-Temur_Odinaev (2557) Blitz 2023*)*

12.Nxe5 dxe5 13.Qe2 *(13.Bb3 Qe7 14.Be3 Bxe3 15.fxe3 Be6 16.Bxe6 Qxe6 17.Qd5 Qb6 18.Rf3 c6 19.Qb3 Qxb3 20.axb3 Rad8 21.Kf1 Rd2 22.Rf2 Rfd8 23.Ke1 Rxf2 24.Kxf2 Rd2+ 25.Kf3 Rxb2 26.b4 Rd2 27.Rb1 Kf8 28.c4 Ke7 29.b5 axb5 30.cxb5 c5 31.h4 h5 32.g4 hxg4+ 33.Kxg4 g6 34.b6 Kd7 35.Rf1 Kc6 36.Rxf7 Kxb6 37.Rf6+ Kb5 38.Rxg6 Rg2+ 39.Kf5 Rxg6 40.Kxg6 c4 41.h5 c3 42.h6 c2 43.h7 c1Q 44.h8Q Qxe3 45.Qe8+ Kc4 46.Qxe5 b5 47.Qd5+ Kb4 48.e5 Qg3+ 49.Kf6 Qf4+ 50.Ke7 Qg5+ 51.Kd7 Qf5+ 52.Kc7 Qh7+ 53.Kb6 Qe7 54.Qd6+ Qxd6+ 55.exd6 Kc4 56.d7 b4 57.d8Q b3* 1-0 (57) Pblu35 (2716)-Rebalo (2621) Blitz 2023*; 13.Qxd8 Rxd8 14.Bb3 Kf8 15.Re1 Bd7 16.Be3 Bxe3 17.Rxe3 Bc6 18.Re2 a5 19.a3 Bb5 20.c4 Bc6 21.f3 Rd4 22.Kf2 Rad8 23.Rc1 g6 24.Ba2 Rd3 25.Bb1 R3d4 26.b4 axb4 27.axb4 b6 28.Ra2 Rd2+ 29.Ke3 Rxa2 30.Bxa2 Ra8 31.Rc2 Ra3+ 32.Kd2 Ke7 33.Kc1 Rd3 34.b5 Bd7 35.c5 Bxb5 36.cxb6 cxb6 37.Rc7+ Rd7 38.Rc2 f5 39.Rb2 Rc7+ 40.Kd2 Rc5 41.exf5 gxf5 42.Bb1 Kf6 43.Bd3 Rd5 44.Rxb5 Rd6 45.Ke3 h5 46.h4* 1-0 (46) Nadigraj (2716)-alfredogto (2658) Blitz 2024*)* 13...Be6 14.Be3 Bxe3 15.Qxe3 Qe7 16.Rfd1 *(16.Bb3 Rfd8 17.Rfd1 b6 18.Qe2 a5 19.Bd5 Rac8 20.h3 h6 21.a4 Bxd5 22.exd5 Rd6 23.c4 Rcd8 24.Re1 Re8 25.Qe4 Rf6 26.Re3 Rf4 27.Qxf4 exf4 28.Rxe7 Rxe7 29.Kf1 Re4 30.b3 f5 31.Re1 Kf7 32.f3 Rd4 33.Re6 Rd3 34.Rc6 Rxb3 35.Rxc7+ Kf6 36.Ke2 g6 37.Kd2 Ke5 38.Rc6 g5 39.Kc2 Ra3 40.Rxb6 Ra2+ 41.Kd3 Rxg2 42.Re6#* 1-0 (43) KhatanbaatarGM (2669)-alfredogto (2683) Blitz 2024*)* 16...Rfd8 17.a3 h6 18.f3 h5 19.g3 h4 20.g4 g6 21.h3 Kg7 22.Kf2 b5 23.Bc2 a5 24.f4 exf4 25.Qxf4 Qc5+ 26.Kg2 b4 27.Qf3 Rxd1 28.Rxd1 bxa3 29.bxa3 Rb8 30.Rd2 Rb2 31.Rf2 Qe5 32.Bd1 Rxf2+ 33.Kxf2 Qc5+ 34.Qe3 Qxa3 35.Qd4+ Kh7 36.g5 Qe7 37.Qe5 Qd6 38.Qxd6 cxd6 39.Ke3 Bxh3 40.Kf4 Be6 41.e5 dxe5+ 42.Kxe5 h3 43.Kd4 Kg7 44.Bf3 f6 45.gxf6+ Kxf6 46.c4 a4 47.c5 a3 48.Kc3 Ke5 49.Bh1 g5 50.Bf3 g4 0-1 (50) ilqar_7474 (2826)-MrShaibel1895 (2791) Blitz 2023]

[10.Qh5 Qf6

A) 11.Be3 Bxe3 12.fxe3 Qe7 13.Nd2 0-0 14.Nf3 *(14.Bb3 d6 15.Rf4 Be6 16.Raf1 h6 17.Nf3 Ng6 18.Nd4 Nxf4 19.Rxf4 Bxb3 20.axb3 Qg5 21.Qf3 Rae8 22.h4 Qe5 23.Nf5 Kh7 24.h5 Re6 25.Rg4 Rg8 26.Rf4 Rf6* 0-1 (26) drawingchest (2626)-FraDoNicks (2743) Blitz 2021*)* 14...d6 15.Nxe5 Qxe5 16.Qxe5 dxe5 17.Bb3 Be6 18.Bxe6 fxe6 19.Rad1 Rfd8 20.Kf2 Rd6 21.Ke2 Rad8 22.Rxd6 Rxd6 23.g4 a5 24.b3 a4 25.b4 b5 26.Rc1 Rc6 27.Kd3 Rd6+ 28.Ke2 Rc6 29.c4 bxc4 30.Kd2 Rd6+ 31.Kc3 Rd3+ 32.Kxc4 Rxe3 33.Kb5 a3 34.Rxc7 Re2 35.Rc3 Rxa2 36.Rb3 Kf7 37.Ka4 Ke7 38.h3 Kd6 39.Rxa3 Re2 40.Rf3 Rxe4 41.Rf7 Re3 42.h4 Rh3 43.h5 e4 44.Rf2 e3 45.Re2 Kd5 46.b5 Ke4 47.b6 Rh1 48.Rb2 Ra1+ 49.Kb5 Ra8 50.b7 Rf8 51.Kc6 Kf3 52.b8Q

Rxb8 53.Rxb8 Kxg4 54.Re8 Kxh5 55.Rxe6 g5 56.Rxe3 Kg4 57.Kd5 h5 58.Ke4 h4 59.Re1 h3 60.Rg1+ Kh4 61.Kf3 h2 62.Rg4+ Kh3 63.Rg3+ Kh4 64.Rg4+ Kh5 65.Rxg5+ Kxg5 66.Kg2 Kh4 67.Kxh2 ½-½ (67) Nadigraj (2788)-zvonokchess (2846) Blitz 2022;

B) 11.Bg5 Qg6 12.Qxg6 hxg6 13.Nd2 f6 14.Bf4 Ke7 15.Bc2 d6 16.Rae1 Be6 17.b3 Ng4 18.Bg3 Ne5 19.Bf4 Ng4 20.h3 g5 21.Bg3 Ne5 22.Bxe5 dxe5 23.Nf3 g4 24.hxg4 Bxg4 25.Nh2 Be6 26.g3 Rh7 27.Kg2 Bh3+ 28.Kf3 Bxf1 29.Nxf1 Rd8 30.Ke2 Rh1 31.Bd3 Bxf2 32.Rb1 Ba7 33.b4 c6 34.a4 Rg1 35.b5 Rg2+ 36.Kf3 Rf2+ 0-1 (36) Nadigraj (2752)-Sushila1 (2725) Blitz 2024;

C) 11.Qe2 g5 12.Be3 g4 13.Bxa7 Rxa7 14.Nd2 Rg8 15.Kh1 b5 16.Bb3 d6 17.f4 gxf3 18.Nxf3 Be6 19.Nd4 Qg6 20.Nxe6 fxe6 21.Rf4 Ke7 22.Raf1 Raa8 23.Qf2 Rg7 24.Qh4+ Kd7 25.Qh3 Ng4 26.e5 d5 27.Qg3 Re8 28.R4f3 Ree7 29.h3 Nh6 30.Qf2 Nf5 31.g4 Nh6 32.Qe3 Rgf7 33.Rf6 Rxf6 34.exf6 Rf7 35.Qe5 Rxf6 36.Qxf6 Qe4+ 37.Qf3 Time forfeit 1-0 (37) Nadigraj (2821)-AgressiveMode (2773) Blitz 2024]

[10.Kh1 Qh4 *(10...0-0 11.f4 b5 12.Bb3 Nc4 13.Nd2 Bb7 14.Nxc4 bxc4 15.Bxc4 Bxe4 16.Bd5 Bxd5 17.Qxd5 c6 18.Qd3 d5 19.Qxa6 Be3 20.Qxc6 Bxc1 21.Rfxc1 Qf6 22.Qxd5 Qxf4 23.Rf1 Qg4 24.Rxf7* 1-0 (24) Ute-Manfred (2622)-spectraline (2617) Blitz 2023*)* 11.h3 Bxf2 12.Qe2 Bg3 13.Rf5 h6 14.Nd2 b5 15.Nf1 g6 16.Nxg3 Qxg3 17.Bf4 Qxf4 18.Rxf4 bxa4 19.Raf1 0-0 20.Qd2 d6 21.Rh4 h5 22.Qh6 Be6 23.g4 f6 24.gxh5 g5 25.Rxf6 Rxf6 26.Qxf6 gxh4 27.h6 Kh7 28.Qg7# 1-0 (28) MassterofMayhem (2652)-slouuurps (2683) Blitz 2025]

10...Qf6

[10...Qe7 11.Nd2 0-0 12.Bg3 d6 13.Qc2 f5 14.Rae1 f4 15.Bb3+ Kh8 16.Kh1 fxg3 17.fxg3 Bd7 18.Nf3 Ng4 19.Nd4 Bxd4 20.cxd4 c5 21.dxc5 dxc5 22.Rf4 g5 23.Qc3+ Qe5 24.Rxf8+ Rxf8 25.Qc4 Nf2+ 26.Kg1 Qd4 27.Qxd4+ cxd4 28.Rf1 Kg7 29.Rxf2 Rxf2 30.Kxf2 Kf6 31.Bd5 b6 32.Bc4 a5 33.Bd3 Ke5 34.h3 h6 35.Kf3 b5 36.a3 b4 37.g4 Bc6 38.g3 bxa3 39.bxa3 Bb7 40.Bc2 Ba6 41.Bb3 Bb5 42.Bd5 Bf1 43.h4 Bd3 44.Bc6 Bc2 45.Bd5 Bd1+ 46.Kf2 Bxg4 47.hxg5 hxg5 48.Bb7 Bd1 49.Bc6 g4 50.Bb7 Bf3 51.Bc8 Bxe4 52.Bxg4 Bc2 53.Ke1 Ke4 54.Kd2 Bb1 55.Bd7 Kf3 56.g4 Kf4 57.Kc1 Be4 58.Kd2 Bg6 59.Bc8 Be4 60.Bd7 Bf3 61.Kd3 Bxg4 62.Bxg4 Kxg4 63.Kxd4 Kf5 64.Kc5 Ke6 65.Kb5 Kd7 66.Kxa5 Kc8 67.Ka6 Kb8 68.Kb6 Ka8 69.Kc7 1-0 (69) WhiteBoader (2658)-Nebonik (2535) Blitz 2024]

[10...Ng6 11.Bg3 0-0 12.Nd2 *(12.Kh1 d6 13.f4 f5 14.Bb3+ Kh8 15.Nd2 Be3 16.Nc4 Ba7 17.e5 d5 18.Nd2 c6 19.Nf3 Be6 20.Ng5 Bg8 21.Qh5 Qe8 22.Rae1 Ne7 23.Qh3 h6 24.Bf2 Bxf2 25.Rxf2 Ng6 26.Bc2 Ne7 27.g4 fxg4 28.Qxg4 g6 29.Ne6 Bxe6 30.Qxe6 Qf7 31.Qh3 Qh7 32.e6 Rf6 33.Qg3 Raf8 34.h4 h5 35.Re5 Qh6 36.Rg5 Rxe6 37.f5 Nxf5 38.Bxf5 gxf5 39.Qf3 Re4 40.Rh2 Rg4 41.Rh3 Re8 42.Rxf5*

Re1+ 43.Kh2 Qd6+ 44.Rg3 Qxg3+ 45.Qxg3 Re2+ 46.Kh3 Rxg3+ 47.Kxg3 Rxb2 48.Rxh5+ Kg7 49.a4 Ra2 50.Rg5+ Kf6 51.Kf4 Rxa4+ 52.Kf3 Rxh4 53.Rg8 Rh3+ 54.Kg4 Rxc3 55.Rf8+ Ke5 56.Rf3 Rc4+ 57.Kg3 b5 58.Ra3 a5 59.Rxa5 Kd6 60.Ra7 Kc5 61.Rh7 Rc3+ 0-1 (61) VVVVINREIT (2603)-SiroglanTalibov (2788) Blitz 2024*)*
12...d5 *(12...d6 13.Bb3 Be6 14.Qh5 Qf6 15.Nf3 Nf4 16.Bxf4 Qxf4 17.Ng5 h6 18.Bxe6 Qxg5 19.Qxg5 hxg5 20.Bd5 c6 21.Bc4 Rfe8 22.Rfe1 Rad8 23.Kf1 Kf8 24.Rad1 Re7 25.Re2 a5 26.a4 Bc5 27.f3 g6 28.g3 Kg7 29.Kg2 f5 30.exf5 Rxe2+ 31.Bxe2 gxf5 32.Bd3 Kf6 33.Re1 d5 34.g4 f4 35.Bf5 Be3 36.Re2 c5 37.Rc2 Rd6 38.Kf1 Rd8 39.Ke2 Rh8 40.Kf1 Rh3 41.Kg2 Rh8 42.b3 Rb8 43.Bd3 Rc8 44.Bb5 Rc7 45.Kf1 Re7 46.Kg2 Rh7 47.Re2 Ke5 48.Bd3 Rc7 49.Rc2 c4 50.bxc4 dxc4 51.Be4 Rd7 52.Rb2 Rd2+ 53.Rxd2 Bxd2 54.Bxb7 Bxc3 55.Kf1 Kd4 56.Ke2 Bb4 57.Be4 Kc3 58.h3 Kb2 59.Kd1 Kb3 60.Bc2+ Kb2 61.Be4 Bc5 62.Bd5 Be3 63.Be4 Kb3 64.Bd5 Kb4 65.Kc2 Bd4 66.Bc6 Be3 67.Bb5 Kc5 68.Bc6 Kd4 69.Be4 Kc5 70.Bf5 Kb4 71.Bd7 Bc5 72.Bb5 Bd4 73.Be8 Kc5 74.Bb5 Kd5 75.Be8 Kc5 76.Bd7 Kb4 77.Bb5 Bf2 78.Be8 Be1 79.h4 Bxh4 80.Bc6 Bf2 81.Be4 Bd4 82.Bg6 Kc5 83.Bh5 Kb4 84.Be8 Kc5 85.Bd7 Kb4 86.Be8 Kc5 87.Bd7 Kb4 88.Be8* Normal ½-½ (88) strelok2222 (2605)-somkinkirill (2461) Blitz 2024*)* 13.Qh5 Be6 14.Nf3 h6 15.Rad1 c6 16.Bb3 Qb6 17.Nd4 Rad8 18.Nxe6 1-0 (18) MMMZ (2615)-mocaspoke (2559) Blitz 2021]
11.Bg3 h5
[11...0-0 12.Nd2 *(12.Kh1 d6 13.Nd2 Nd3 14.Bc2 Nxb2 15.Qc1 Qxc3 16.e5 Nd3 17.Ne4 Qd4 18.Qb1 Nxe5 19.Rd1 Qb6 20.Qc1 Bg4 21.f3 Be6 22.Qg5 f6 23.Qh5 Ng6 24.Rac1 Rae8 25.Bf2 c5 26.Rxd6 Qc7 27.Rxe6 Rxe6 28.Bb3 Rfe8 29.Qf5 Nf8 30.Bxc5 Kh8 31.Be3 Rc6 32.Rxc6 Qxc6 33.Bxa7 Ng6 34.Be3 Ne5 35.h4 Qc7 36.h5 h6 37.Nf2 Nf7 38.Bc2 Ng5 39.Ng4 Kg8 40.Bb3+ Kf8 41.Qf4 Qxf4 42.Bxf4 Re1+ 43.Kh2 b5 44.Bd6+ Ke8 45.Nf2 Re7 46.Bxe7 Kxe7 47.Ne4 Ne6 48.Kg3 Nd4 49.Kg4 Ne2 50.Kf5 Nd4+ 51.Kg6 f5 52.Ng3 Nc6 53.Nxf5+ Kd7 54.Nxg7 Ne5+ 55.Kxh6 Kc6 56.Nf5 Kc5 57.Ne7 Nd3 58.f4 Kb4 59.f5 a5 60.f6 Ka3 61.f7 b4 62.f8Q a4 63.Qa8 Nb2 64.Qxa4+ Nxa4 65.Bxa4 Kxa4 66.Nd5 Ka3 67.Nxb4 Kxb4 68.g3 Ka3 69.g4 Kxa2* Time forfeit ½-½ (69) legend2014 (2631)-pobimrbr (2590) Blitz 2024*)* 12...d6 13.Bc2 Bg4 14.Qe1 h5 15.Kh1 h4 16.Bxe5 dxe5 17.h3 Bd7 18.a4 Rad8 19.Qe2 Rfe8 20.Nc4 Be6 21.Ne3 Qf4 22.Rad1 Bxe3 23.fxe3 Qg3 24.Rf3 Rxd1+ 25.Qxd1 Qg5 26.Kh2 Rd8 27.Qe1 a5 28.Rf1 b6 29.Qf2 g6 30.Rd1 Rxd1 31.Bxd1 Kg7 32.Bc2 Qd8 33.Kg1 Bc4 34.Kh2 Qg5 35.Kg1 Qg3 36.Bd1 Kf8 37.Be2 Qxf2+ 38.Kxf2 Bb3 39.Bb5 Ke7 40.Ke2 Bc2 41.Bc6 Kd6 42.Be8 Ke7 43.Bc6 f6 44.Kd2 Bb3 45.Kd3 Kd6 46.Be8 g5 47.c4 Kc5 0-1 (47) beatles_21 (2721)-ma_long_ma (2649) Blitz 2024]
12.h3

[12.Nd2 b5 13.Bb3 h4 14.Bxe5 Qxe5 15.Nf3 Qf4 16.Qd5 c6 17.Qe5+ Qxe5 18.Nxe5 f6 19.Ng6 Rh6 20.Nf4 g5 21.Nd3 d6 22.h3 g4 23.hxg4 Bxg4 24.Kh2 0-0-0 25.f3 Bd7 26.Nf4 Bb8 27.Nh3 d5+ 28.Kh1 Rg6 29.exd5 cxd5 30.Nf2 h3 31.Ng4 hxg2+ 0-1 (31) Mischuk_D (2734)-efourwhitewins (2805) Blitz 2023]

12...g5 13.Nd2 b5 14.Bb3 d6 15.a4 h4 16.Bxe5 Qxe5 17.axb5 g4 18.Kh1 gxh3 19.gxh3 Bxh3 20.Qf3 Bxf1 21.Qxf7+ Kd8 22.Rxf1 Qe7 23.bxa6 Qxf7 24.Bxf7 c6 25.Bc4 Kc7 26.f4 Be3 27.Nf3 Bxf4 28.Nd4 Be5 29.Ne6+ Kb6 30.Rf7 Ra7 31.Rf3 h3 32.Bf1 h2 33.Nd4 Rg7 34.Bg2 Rxg2 0-1 (34) Konstantin_Tarlev (2857)-MothAndTheFlame (2840) Blitz 2022

8.Na3 0-0 9.Bg5

[9.Re1 d6 10.Bb3 *(10.Bc2 Kh8 11.Nc4 f6 12.Ne3 Qe8 13.Nf5 Nce7 14.g4 Bd7 15.h4 Nxf5 16.exf5 Ne7 17.h5 Bc6 18.Nh4 Qf7 19.Bb3 Bd5 20.c4 Bc6 21.d5 Bd7 22.Be3 g6 23.Bxa7 Rxa7 24.hxg6 hxg6 25.Qd2 g5 26.Nf3 Kg7 27.Nxg5 Qe8 28.Ne6+ Bxe6 29.dxe6 Rh8 30.Kg2 Qc6+ 31.f3 Raa8 32.Rh1 e4 33.Qe3 exf3+ 34.Qxf3 Qc5 35.Raf1 Rag8 36.Qxb7 Rxh1 37.Rxh1 Kf8 38.Qa8+ Kg7 39.Qf3 Kf8 40.Rh7 Nc6 41.Rf7+ Ke8 42.Ba4 d5 43.cxd5 Rh8 44.Bxc6+ Kd8 45.Rd7+ Kc8 46.d6 Qc2+ 47.Kf1 Qc1+ 48.Ke2 Qc2+ 49.Ke3 Qc1+ 50.Kd4 Qd2+ 51.Qd3 Qf2+ 52.Kc3 Qc5+ 53.Qc4 Qe3+ 54.Kb4 Qb6+ 55.Ka4 Rh3 56.Bb7+ Qxb7 57.Qxc7+ Qxc7 58.Rxc7+ Kb8 59.e7* 1-0 (59) boris1178 (2610)-alfredogto (2633) Blitz 2024*)* 10...Kh8 11.Nc2 f6 12.Ne3 Qe8 0-1 (12) yiyi1984 (2627)-Calzonesdesuperman (2610) Blitz 2024]

9...f6 10.Be3 d6 11.h3 Bd7 12.Rc1 Kh8 13.Qd2 Qe8 14.Bb3 exd4 15.cxd4 Qxe4 16.d5 Bxe3 17.Qxe3 Qxe3 18.fxe3 Nce5 19.Rxc7 b5 20.Nxe5 Nxe5 21.Rfc1 Rfc8 22.e4 Kg8 23.Kf2 Kf8 24.Ke3 Ke7 25.Bd1 Kd8 26.Rxc8+ Bxc8 27.Nc2 Bd7 28.Nd4 g6 29.Be2 Rc8 30.Rxc8+ Kxc8 31.a4 bxa4 32.Bxa6+ Kc7 33.Bb5 Kb6 34.Bxd7 Nxd7 35.Nc6 Kb5 36.Kd4 Ne5 37.Nd8 Kb6 38.Kc3 Kc7 39.Ne6+ Kd7 40.Kb4 Nd3+ 41.Ka3 Ke7 42.Nd4 Nc5 43.Ne2 Kd7 44.Nc3 Kc7 45.Kb4 Nd3+ 46.Ka3 Nc5 47.Kb4 Kd7 48.Kc4 Kc8 49.Kb5 Kc7 50.Kc4 Kb6 51.g4 Ka5 52.h4 Nd7 53.g5 Ne5+ 54.Kd4 fxg5 55.hxg5 Nf3+ 56.Ke3 Nxg5 57.e5 dxe5 58.d6 Nf7 59.d7 Kb4 60.Ke4 h5 61.Kd5 h4 62.Ke6 Nd8+ 63.Ke7 Nb7 64.Ne4 h3 65.Nd6 Na5 66.Nc8 Nc6+ 67.Kd6 h2 68.Kxc6 h1Q+ 69.Kc7 Qc1+ 70.Kb7 Qd2 71.Kc7 Qxd7+ 72.Kxd7 e4 73.Nb6 Kb3 74.Kd6 e3 75.Nd7 e2 76.Nc5+ Kc2 0-1 (76) Voltamper (2776)-coluichenontiaspetti (2739) Blitz 2023

8.g3 0-0 9.h4 exd4 10.h5 Nge5 11.Nxe5 Nxe5 12.cxd4 Bxd4 13.Kg2 Ba7 14.h6 g6 15.f4 Nc6 16.Nc3 d6 17.Nd5 Be6 18.Qc2 Bxd5 19.exd5 Nd4 20.Qd3 b5 21.Bb3 Re8 22.Be3 Nf5 23.Bxa7 Rxa7 24.Rh1 Qf6 25.Qd2 Raa8 26.a4 Re3 27.Bc2 Rae8 28.Rae1 Qxb2 0-1 (28) smihir6 (2679)-ma_long_ma (2670) Blitz 2023

8.dxe5 Ngxe5

[8...Ncxe5 9.Nbd2 Nxf3+ 10.Nxf3 0-0 11.Re1 d6 12.h3 Bd7 13.Bb3

Be6 14.Be3 Bxe3 15.Rxe3 Re8 16.Nd4 Bxb3 17.Qxb3 c5 18.Nf5 Qf6 19.Rd1 Rad8 20.Qxb7 Nf4 21.Kh2 d5 22.Rg3 g6 23.Nh6+ Kg7 24.Ng4 Qh4 25.exd5 Re2 26.Ne3 Qh5 27.Qc7 Rxe3 28.fxe3 Qxd1 29.Qxd8 Ne2 30.h4 Qg1+ 31.Kh3 h5 32.Rxg6+ fxg6 33.Qe7+ Kg8 34.Qe8+ Kg7 35.Qe7+ Kg8 36.Qe8+ Kg7 37.Qe7+ Normal ½-½ (37) ModernDefence (2623)-molenotyetwhacked (2554) Blitz 2024]

9.Bxc6 Nxc6 10.Bg5 f6 11.Bf4 d6 12.Na3 Be6 13.Nc2 0-0 14.Ncd4 Bf7 15.Nf5 Ne5 16.N3d4 Qd7 17.Qd2 Rae8 18.b3 Bg6 19.Rae1 c5 20.Bxe5 dxe5 21.Nf3 Bxf5 22.exf5 Qxf5 23.Qd5+ Kh8 24.Qxb7 Bb8 25.Re4 Qe6 26.Rfe1 Qd6 27.c4 Rd8 28.g4 Rd7 29.Qa8 Rfd8 30.R4e3 h6 31.Qe4 Qe6 32.h3 a5 33.Nh4 Rd4 34.Qg6 Qe8 35.Qf5 Rd2 36.Ng6+ Kg8 37.h4 Qd7 38.Qf3 Rd1 39.h5 Rxe1+ 40.Rxe1 Qd2 41.Re2 Qd1+ 42.Kg2 Qd7 43.Qe4 Bc7 44.Nh4 Qd1 45.Nf5 Qd7 46.Re3 Qd1 47.Nxh6+ Kf8 48.Qg6 Qd7 49.Nf5 Qf7 50.Qh7 Qg8 51.Qxg8+ Kxg8 52.Rf3 Kf7 53.h6 g6 54.Ng3 Rh8 55.Ne4 Bd8 56.g5 f5 57.Nxc5 Bxg5 58.Nd7 Bxh6 59.Nxe5+ Kf6 60.Nc6 Bg7 61.Rd3 Kg5 62.Rd6 Bf6 63.Nd4 Bxd4 64.Rxd4 Kf6 65.Rd6+ Kg5 66.Rd5 Re8 67.f4+ Kxf4 68.Kf2 Rh8 69.c5 Rh2+ 70.Ke1 Rxa2 71.c6 Kg5 72.Rc5 Ra1+ 73.Kd2 Rh1 74.c7 Rh8 75.c8Q Rxc8 76.Rxc8 Kg4 77.Rg8 g5 78.Rg7 f4 79.Ke2 Kf5 80.Kf2 Ke5 81.Rg8 g4 82.Re8+ Kf5 83.Rf8+ Kg5 84.Rf7 Kh5 85.Rxf4 Kh4 86.Kg2 Kh5 87.Rf3 1-0 (87) deboitoss (2663)-Calzonesdesuperman (2620) Blitz 2024

8.h4 Nxh4 9.Nxe5 Nxe5 10.dxe5 Ng6 11.Nd2 Nxe5 12.Nf3 Nxf3+ 13.Qxf3 0-0 14.Qg3 d6 15.Bg5 f6 16.Bb3+ Kh8 17.Bf4 Qe7 18.Rfe1 Be6 19.Bc2 Qf7 20.Rad1 Bxa2 21.Qh2 Bb3 22.Bxb3 Qxb3 23.Rd3 Rae8 24.Rh3 Qg8 25.Kh1 g5 26.Bg3 f5 27.Rh6 f4 0-1 (27) MassterofMayhem (2631)-Stammargg (2582) Blitz 2023

8.Kh1 0-0 9.Be3 d6 10.Nbd2 f6 11.Bb3+ Kh8 12.Re1 Qe8 13.Nf1 Nd8 14.Ng3 Be6 15.Bc2 Bd7 16.Bd3 Ne6 17.Nf5 Ngf4 18.Bf1 g6 19.Ng3 Ng5 20.Nd2 Nge6 21.Nf3 Bb6 22.Qd2 Rd8 23.d5 Ng5 24.Bxf4 exf4 25.Qxf4 Bxf2 26.Re2 Bxg3 27.Qxg3 Nxe4 28.Qh4 f5 29.Rae1 Qf7 30.Re3 Rde8 31.Bd3 Qxd5 32.Bxe4 fxe4 33.Ng5 Qg8 34.Nxe4 Qg7 35.h3 Bc6 36.Ng5 Rxe3 37.Rxe3 Re8 38.Rxe8+ Bxe8 39.Qe4 Bc6 40.Qe6 h6 41.Nf7+ Kh7 42.Nd8 Qf8 43.Nxc6 Qf1+ 44.Kh2 Qf4+ 45.Kg1 Qc1+ 46.Kh2 Qf4+ 47.Kg1 Qc1+ 48.Kf2 Qxb2+ 49.Kg3 Qxc3+ 50.Kh2 Qxc6 51.Qf7+ Kh8 52.Qf8+ Kh7 53.Qf7+ Kh8 54.Qf8+ Kh7 55.Qf7+ ½-½ (55) VadaPav2609 (2607)-Calzonesdesuperman (2592) Blitz 2023

62 **9.Bg5** f6 10.Be3 0

[10.Bc1 d6 11.Nbd2 exd4 12.cxd4 Nce7 13.h3 d5 14.Bb3 Kh8 15.exd5 Nxd5 16.Ne4 Ndf4 17.Bxf4 Nxf4 18.Qd2 Ne6 19.d5 Nc5 20.Nxc5 Bxc5 21.Rac1 Bd6 22.Nd4 Be5 23.Nf3 Bd6 24.Bc2 f5 25.Ng5 h6 26.Ne6 Bxe6 27.Rxe6 Qh4 28.Qe2 Qf4 29.g3 Qxc1+ 30.Kg2 Qxb2 31.Qh5 Rf6 32.Bxf5 Rxe6 33.dxe6 Qf6 34.g4 Rf8 35.h4 Kg8 36.Kf1 g6 37.Qxg6+ Qxg6 38.Bxg6 Be7 39.h5

Bh4 40.Bf5 Kg7 41.f4 Rxf5 42.gxf5 Kf6 0-1 (42) munster1 (2637)-ElonMuskTwitter (2410) Blitz 2024]

10...Kh8 0

[10...d6

A) 11.Bxc6 bxc6 12.Nbd2 Kh8 *(12...Be6 13.Nb3 Qe8 14.h3 Kh8 15.Rc1 Rd8 16.c4 Kg8 17.Qe2 Kh8 18.c5 d5 19.exd5 Bxd5 20.Qxa6 Bb8 21.Qe2 Qd7 22.dxe5 fxe5 23.Nbd2 e4 24.Ng5 Rde8 25.Qh5 Bg8 26.Ngxe4 Re5 27.Qg4 Qe7 28.Bd4 Re6 29.Nf3 Rf4 30.Qxe6 Qxe6 31.Neg5 Qd7 32.Rcd1 Qc8 33.Ne5 Nxe5 34.Rxe5 h6 35.Nf3 Bd5 36.Re7 Rf7 37.Ne5 Rxe7 38.Ng6+ Kh7 39.Nxe7 Qe6 40.Nxd5 cxd5 41.Rd3 c6 42.g3 Qe1+ 43.Kh2 Qb1 44.Re3 Qc2 45.Re8 Ba7 46.Re7 Bxc5 47.Rxg7+ Kh8 48.Be5 Qxf2+ 49.Kh1 Qg1#* 0-1 (49) wallywally (2672)-Calzonesdesuperman (2610) Blitz 2023 *)* 13.Nf1 *(13.c4 Bg4 14.Qa4 Qd7 15.c5 exd4 16.Bxd4 Nf4 17.cxd6 Bxf3 18.Nxf3 Qg4 19.g3 Nh3+ 20.Kg2 Nf4+ 21.Kg1 Nh3+* ½-½ (21) Sethuraman,S (2644)-Karthikeyan,M (2606) Barcelona ESP 2021*; 13.dxe5 Bxe3 14.Rxe3 fxe5 15.Nf1 Nf4 16.Ng3 Qf6 17.Qa4 Bg4 18.Qxc6 Nxg2 19.Kxg2 Bxf3+ 20.Kg1 Rab8 21.b4 h5 22.h4 Qxh4 23.Qxc7 Qg4 24.Rae1 Rbe8 25.Rxf3 Rxf3 26.Qc6 Ref8* 0-1 (26) Egor-Kovalev (2632)-Yolo_Gaming (2792) Blitz 2022 *)* 13...f5 14.dxe5 fxe4 15.Bg5 Bxf2+ 16.Kh1 Qe8 17.Rxe4 Bb6 18.Qe1 d5 19.Re2 Bg4 20.N1d2 h6 21.Be3 c5 22.Qg3 Qe6 23.Ree1 Ne7 24.b4 Bxf3 25.Nxf3 Nf5 26.Qh3 d4 27.cxd4 cxd4 28.Bf2 Rae8 29.a3 Qd5 30.Rad1 c5 31.bxc5 Bxc5 32.Rd3 Qc4 33.Red1 Ne3 34.Bxe3 dxe3 35.Rd7 e2 36.Ra1 Qc3 37.Re1 Qxe1+ 0-1 (37) Retro23 (2678)-cutemouse83 (2931) Blitz 2025;

B) 11.h3

B1) 11...Kh8 12.Na3 *(12.Bb3 Na5 13.Bc2 Nc4 14.Bc1 b5 15.a4 Bb7 16.b3 Nb6 17.Nbd2 c5 18.a5 Nc8 19.d5 Nce7 20.Nf1 c4 21.bxc4 bxc4 22.Be3 f5 23.Bxa7 Rxa7 24.Ng5 Qd7 25.Qh5 h6 26.Ne6 Rf6 27.exf5 Nxd5 28.Ne3 Ndf4 29.Nxf4 Nxf4 30.Qh4 Nd3 31.Reb1 d5 32.Rb6 Qf7 33.Rab1 e4 34.Ng4 Rxb6 35.Rxb6 h5 36.f6 g6 37.Qg5 hxg4 38.Qh6+ Kg8 39.hxg4 Bc8 40.g5 Ra8 41.Rd6 Be6 42.Ba4 Bf5 43.Bc6 Rf8 44.Bxd5 Ne5 45.Bxf7+ Rxf7 46.Rd8+* 1-0 (46) Andrey_Klymchuk (2650)-Belyakov,B (2372) Blitz 2024*)* 12...Bd7 13.Bb3 Qe8 14.Nc4 Nd8 15.a4 Ne6 16.Na5 Bc8 17.g3 h6 18.Qd2 Ng5 19.Nxg5 fxg5 20.Kg2 Rb8 21.Bxg5 hxg5 22.Qxg5 Be6 23.Bc2 Qf7 24.f4 exf4 25.e5 Bf5 26.Qh5+ Kg8 27.e6 Qf6 28.e7 Bxc2 29.exf8Q+ Rxf8 30.Qf3 Qg5 31.Kh1 Qxa5 32.Qxb7 fxg3 33.Re2 Bd3 34.Re3 g2+ 35.Qxg2 Bf5 36.Rf1 Qxa4 37.Qd5+ Kh7 38.Rxf5 Qd1+ 39.Kg2 Qd2+ 40.Kf3 Qd1+ 41.Ke4 Qh1+ 42.Ref3 Qe1+ 43.Kd3 Qb1+ 44.Ke2 Qc2+ 45.Kf1 Qd1+ 46.Kg2 Qc2+ 47.Kf1 Qd1+ 48.Kf2 Qd2+

49.Kf1 Qc1+ 50.Kf2 Rxf5 51.Rxf5 Qc2+ 52.Kf1 Qd3+ 53.Kf2 Qd2+ 54.Kf1 Qd1+ 55.Kf2 Qd2+ 56.Kf1 Qd3+ 57.Kf2 Qe2+ 58.Kxe2 Ne7 59.Rh5+ Kg6 60.Qg5+ Kf7 61.Qf4+ Ke8 62.Rg5 Kd7 63.Rg4 Nd5 64.Qe4 Nf6 65.Qf5+ Kc6 66.Rxg7 1-0 (66) povodnikonj3 (2662)-Calzonesdesuperman (2604) Blitz 2024;

B2) 11...Nce7 12.Bc2 Kh8 13.Nbd2

B2a) 13...Be6 14.d5 *(14.Bb3 Qd7 15.Bxe6 Qxe6 16.Qb3 Qxb3 17.Nxb3 Rae8 18.dxe5 Bxe3 19.exd6 Bxf2+ 20.Kxf2 cxd6 21.Rad1 f5 22.Rxd6 Nc6 23.exf5 Rxe1 24.Kxe1 Rxf5 25.Nbd4 Nxd4 26.Rd8+ Rf8 27.Rxf8+ Nxf8 28.Nxd4 Kg8 29.Ke2 Kf7 30.Kd3 Kf6 31.Ke4 Ng6 32.c4 Ne7 33.b4 h5 34.a4 g6 35.c5 Nc8 36.b5 axb5 37.axb5 Ne7 38.b6 Nc8 39.Kd5 Ke7 40.Nb5 Kd7 41.Nd4 Ne7+ 42.Ke5 Nc6+ 43.Nxc6 Kxc6 44.Kd4 g5 45.g3 h4 46.g4 Kd7 47.Kd5 Kc8 48.c6 Kb8 49.c7+ Kc8 50.Ke5 Kd7 51.Kf5 Kc8 52.Kxg5 Kd7 53.Kxh4 Kc6 54.c8Q+ Kxb6 55.g5 Ka7 56.g6 b6 57.g7 b5 58.g8Q b4 59.Qgc4 b3 60.Q8c5+ Ka8 61.Q5b5 b2 62.Qca4#* 1-0 (62) Napo18 (2626)-crazy_but_lazyy (2582) Blitz 2021; *14.Nf1 Qc8 15.Ng3 Nf4 16.Qd2 g5 17.Nh2 Bxh3 18.Bxf4 gxf4 19.Nh5 Rg8 20.Nxf6 Rxg2+ 21.Kh1 Qe6 22.Nd5 Rag8 23.Qd3 Nxd5 24.exd5 Qh6 25.Qxh7+ Qxh7 26.Bxh7 Kxh7 27.dxe5 Rxf2* 0-1 (27) jgeg (2619)-Coolestbean (2680) Blitz 2024 *)* 14...Bd7 15.Bxa7 Rxa7 16.Nc4 Ra8 17.Ne3 Nf4 18.Kh2 Qc8 19.Ng1 Qe8 20.g3 Nfg6 21.Nf5 Nxf5 22.exf5 Ne7 23.g4 g6 24.fxg6 Nxg6 25.Ne2 f5 26.gxf5 Bxf5 27.Ng3 Bd7 28.Bxg6 Qxg6 29.Qd2 Rf4 30.Rg1 Raf8 31.Rg2 Qh6 32.Kg1 Qxh3 33.Re1 Qh6 34.b3 Qf6 35.c4 Rf3 36.Nh5 Qf5 37.Qh6 Rf7 38.Re2 Rh3 39.Rg5 Qb1+ 0-1 (39) ak61 (2642)-mocaspoke (2613) Blitz 2021;

B2b) 13...h6 14.Nf1 f5 15.dxe5 Bxe3 16.Nxe3 f4 17.Nf5 Nxf5 18.exf5 Bxf5 19.Bxf5 Rxf5 20.Qd3 Qf8 21.exd6 cxd6 22.Re6 Ne5 23.Qxd6 Nxf3+ 24.gxf3 Rg5+ 25.Kh2 Qf5 26.Rg1 Rh5 27.Rg4 Qb1 28.Qxf4 Qxa2 29.Qd4 Rg8 30.Re7 Rd5 31.Rgxg7 1-0 (31) Martinez Alcantara,J (2611)-Demin,V (2430) chess.com INT 2023;

B2c) 13...exd4 14.Nxd4 d5 15.Qh5 c5 16.Nf5 Nxf5 17.exf5 Ne5 18.Rad1 Bd7 19.Nb3 Be8 20.Qh4 Rc8 21.Bf4 Bb8 22.Nd2 Bc6 23.Ne4 Qa5 24.Ng3 Rce8 25.a3 Qc7 26.Nh5 Qf7 27.Bg3 b5 28.Nf4 Rg8 29.Ng6+ 1-0 (29) AT323 (2713)-zvonokchess (2832)

Blitz 2022]
[10...exd4 11.Nxd4 Nxd4 12.Bxd4 Bxd4 13.Qxd4 d6 14.Nd2 Kh8 15.Nf1 f5 16.exf5 Bxf5 17.Ng3 Bd7 18.Bc2 Qg5 19.Qe3 Nf4 20.Qe4 Qh6 21.Qxb7 Rab8 22.Qxc7 Rxb2 23.Qxd7 Rxc2 24.Re8 Qf6 25.Ne4 Ne2+ 26.Kh1 Qf4 27.Re1 Rc1 28.Rxf8+ Qxf8 29.Rxc1 Nxc1 30.a4 h6 31.Qxd6 Qe8 32.Qd4 Ne2 33.Qe3 Qxa4 34.g3 Qd1+ 35.Kg2 Nc1 36.Nc5 Qd5+ 37.f3 a5 38.Qe8+ Kh7 39.Qe4+ Qxe4 40.fxe4 Ne2 41.Na4 Kg6 42.Kf3 Nc1 43.Ke3 Kg5 44.Kd4 Nb3+ 45.Kd5 Kf6 46.e5+ Ke7 47.c4 1-0 (47) chargemax23 (2690)-DarsLock (2545) Blitz 2024]

11.Nbd2 0

[11.h3

A) 11...Nce7 12.Bb3 *(12.c4 d6 13.Nc3 exd4 14.Bxd4 Bxd4 15.Qxd4 Ne5 16.Nd2 N7g6 17.Qe3 Be6 18.Bb3 Bg8 19.f4 Nd7 20.Nf3 Nc5 21.Nd4 Re8 22.Qd2 c6 23.Nf5 Qb6 24.Kh1 Rad8 25.Rad1 Rd7 26.Qf2 Qc7 27.h4 Ne7 28.Nd4 Nc8 29.h5 Nb6 30.h6 g6 31.Nf3 Rf8 32.Qd4 Ne6 33.Qe3 Re7 34.e5 dxe5 35.fxe5 Nd7 36.exf6 Nxf6 37.Ne4 Nxe4 38.Qxe4 Qf4 39.Qxf4 Rxf4 40.c5 Rf8 41.Re5 Rf5 42.Re4 Rh5+ 43.Kg1 Rxh6 44.Rde1 Rh5 45.Bxe6 Rxc5 46.Bxg8 Rxe4 47.Rxe4 Kxg8 48.Re7 b5 49.Kf2 g5 50.g4 h6 51.Nd4 Rc4 52.Nf5 h5 53.Rg7+ Kf8 54.Rxg5 Rc2+ 55.Ke3 hxg4 56.b4 Rc4 57.a3 a5 58.bxa5 Ra4 59.a6 Rxa6 60.Kd4 Rxa3 61.Ke5 b4 62.Rxg4 b3 63.Rb4 Ra5+ 64.Kf6 Rb5 65.Ra4 Rb8 66.Rh4* 1-0 (66) Firouzja,A (2767)-Nakamura,H (2802) Paris FRA 2024*; 12.Nbd2 exd4 13.Bxd4 d6 14.Bxa7 Rxa7 15.Nf1 Ra8 16.Ne3 Bd7 17.Bb3 f5 18.Ng5 f4 19.Qh5 h6 20.Nf5 Nxf5 21.Nf7+ Rxf7 22.exf5 Rxf5 23.Qxg6 Rg5 24.Qf7 Bxh3 25.Bd5 c6 26.Bf3 Qf6 27.Qxf6 gxf6 28.Kh2 Bg4 29.Bxg4 Rxg4 30.f3 Rg5 31.Rad1 d5 32.Re7 Rag8 33.Rd2 R8g7 34.Re6 Rf7 35.Rd4 Rf5 36.Kh3 Kg7 37.Kg4 Kg6 38.Rxf4 h5+ 39.Kg3 Rxf4 40.Kxf4 Rd7 41.g4 hxg4 42.fxg4 d4 43.cxd4 Rxd4+ 44.Kf3 Kf7 45.Re3 Rd2 46.Rb3 b5 47.Kf4 c5 48.Ra3 Rd4+ 49.Kf5 Rd5+ 50.Kf4 Rd6 51.Rc3 c4 52.b3 Rd4+ 53.Kf5 Rd5+ 54.Kf4 Kg6 55.bxc4 Rd4+ 56.Kg3 Rxc4 57.Ra3 Ra4 58.Rxa4 bxa4 59.Kf4 a3 60.Kf3 Kg5 61.Kg3 a5 62.Kf3 Kh4 63.Kf4 Kh3 64.Kf3 a4 65.Kf4 Kg2 66.Kf5 Kf3 67.Kxf6 Kxg4 68.Ke5 Kf3 69.Kd4 Ke2 70.Kc3 Kd1 71.Kb4 Kc2 72.Kxa3 Kc3 73.Kxa4 Kc4 74.Ka3 Kc5 75.Kb3 Kb6 76.Kc3 Ka7 77.Kc2 Ka8 78.Kd2 Ka7 79.Ke1 Ka6 80.Ke2 Ka5 81.Ke3 Ka4 82.Kd2 Ka3 83.Kc1 Kxa2* ½-½ (83) smihir6 (2750)-TheMachine64 (2827) Blitz 2025*) 12...d6 13.Nbd2 exd4 *(13...c5 14.dxc5 dxc5 15.a4 b6 16.Nc4 Bb7 17.Nd6 Bc6 18.Nf7+ Rxf7 19.Bxf7 Bxe4 20.Qxd8+ Rxd8 21.Rad1 Rf8 22.Bxg6 Nxg6 23.Rd7 Bb8 24.a5 Bc6 25.Rd2 bxa5 26.Bxc5 Rc8 27.Red1 Bc7 28.Ne1 Nf4 29.Kh2 h5 30.g3 Ne6 31.Bd6 Bb6 32.Ba3 Bc7 33.Nc2 Ng5 34.Ne1 h4 35.Rd3 e4 36.Re3 hxg3+ 37.fxg3 f5 38.Ng2 Nf3+ 39.Kh1*

Bxg3 40.Bd6 Bh4 41.Nxh4 Nxh4 42.Be7 Ng6 43.Rd8+ Rxd8 44.Bxd8 f4 45.Re1 Ne5 46.Bc7 Nd3 47.Rd1 f3 48.Rd2 Bd5 49.Bg3 g5 50.Bf2 Kg7 51.Be3 Kf6 52.Kg1 Kf5 53.b3 Bxb3 54.c4 Bxc4 55.Bd4 Bb5 56.Rb2 Nf4 57.Ra2 Ke6 58.Rxa5 Kd5 59.Be3 Kc4 60.Ra3 Nd5 61.Bxg5 Nb4 62.Be3 Nd3 63.h4 Be8 64.h5 Bxh5 65.Rxa6 Be8 Time forfeit 0-1 (65) kc6 (2649)-Rain_Noise (2500) Blitz 2024*; 13...Nf4 14.Nf1 Neg6 15.Ng3 Bd7 16.Kh2 Qc8 17.Ng1 Nh4 18.Bxf4 exf4 19.Nh5 g5 20.Nf3 Nxg2 21.Kxg2 Bxh3+ 22.Kh2 Qg4 23.Ng3 fxg3+ 24.fxg3 Qh5 25.Kg1 Bg4 26.Rf1 f5 27.Bc2 f4 28.gxf4 Rxf4 29.Qd3 Bxf3 30.e5 Qg4+ 31.Kf2 Be4+* 0-1 (31) DarkKnight1095 (2628)-HelgiGretarsson (2560) Blitz 2023*)* 14.Nxd4 d5 *(14...f5 15.N2f3 f4 16.Bd2 Nc6 17.Qe2 Nce5 18.Rad1 Qf6 19.Bc1 Bd7 20.Kh2 Rae8 21.Bc2 Bc8 22.Nxe5 Nxe5 23.Qh5 g6 24.Qh6 Bg4 25.f3 Bd7 26.h4 Rf7 27.Ne2 Rg8 28.Nxf4 Qe7 29.Nd5 Qe6 30.Nf4 Nxf3+ 31.Kh1 Qg4 32.e5 Nxh4 33.Be4 Bc6 34.Bxc6 bxc6 35.exd6 Rxf4 36.Rd2 Rf2 37.Rxf2 Bxf2 38.Qg5 Qxg5 39.Bxg5 Kg7 40.d7 Bxe1* 0-1 (40) Firouzja,A (2738)-Le Tuan,M (2567) chess.com INT 2024*)* 15.Nc2 Bxe3 16.Nxe3 dxe4 17.Nxe4 b6 18.Qc2 Bb7 19.Rad1 Qe8 20.c4 Qc6 21.Nd5 Nxd5 22.cxd5 Qxc2 23.Bxc2 Rad8 24.d6 Bxe4 25.Bxe4 Rxd6 26.Rxd6 cxd6 27.Rc1 Nf4 28.Rc6 d5 29.Bf3 Rb8 30.Rd6 a5 31.b3 f5 32.h4 g6 33.g3 Nd3 34.Rxd5 Nb4 35.Rd2 Rc8 36.a3 Nc2 37.Rd6 Rc3 38.Bd1 Nxa3 39.Rxb6 Rc1 40.Rd6 Nb5 41.Rd8+ Kg7 42.Kg2 Nc3 43.Bf3 a4 44.Rd7+ Kh8 45.bxa4 Nxa4 46.h5 Nc5 47.Re7 gxh5 48.Bxh5 Nb3 49.Rd7 Rc4 50.Bf7 Rb4 51.Kh3 f4 52.g4 Nc5 53.Rd8+ Kg7 54.Bd5 h6 55.Rg8+ Kh7 56.Rf8 Rd4 57.Rf5 Nd3 58.Kg2 Kg7 59.Kf3 Ne1+ 60.Ke2 Nc2 61.Bb3 Nb4 62.Bf7 Nc6 63.Bh5 Nd8 64.Kf1 Rb4 65.Kg2 Rd4 66.Ra5 Ne6 67.Ra7+ Kf6 68.Ra6 Ke5 69.Ra5+ Rd5 70.Ra8 Kf6 71.Ra6 Ke7 72.Bg6 Rg5 73.Bf5 Nd4 74.Bc8 h5 75.Ra4 Nc6 76.Kf3 hxg4+ 77.Kxf4 Rb5 78.Ra6 Nb4 79.Ra7+ Kf6 80.Bxg4 Nd3+ 81.Kg3 Rb3 82.Ra6+ Kg5 83.f3 Ne5 84.Ra5 Kf6 85.Bh5 Kf5 86.Bg4+ Kf6 87.Ra6+ Kg5 88.Ra5 Kf6 89.Ra6+ Kg5 90.Ra5 ½-½ (90) Nepomniachtchi,I (2770)-Gukesh,D (2763) Bucharest ROU 2024;

B) 11...exd4 12.cxd4 d5 13.exd5

B1) 13...Qxd5 14.Nc3 Qd8 15.d5 Bxe3 16.Rxe3 Nce7 17.Bb3 Nf5 18.Re1 Nd6 *(18...Bd7 19.Qd2 Re8 20.Ne4 b6 21.Rac1 Nd6 22.Nxd6 cxd6 23.Nd4 Rxe1+ 24.Rxe1 Rc8 25.Ne6 Qe7 26.f4 Qf7 27.Qf2 b5 28.a3 Ne7 29.f5 Ng8 30.Qf4 Nh6 31.Nd4 Qf8 32.Kh2 Nf7 33.Ne6 Qe7 34.Re3 Ne5 35.Rg3 Bxe6 36.dxe6 g5 37.fxg6 hxg6 38.Qh6+ Qh7 39.Qf4 Qe7 40.Qh6+ Qh7 41.Qf4 Kg7 42.Rc3 Rxc3 43.bxc3 g5 44.Qd4 Kg6 45.Bc2+ f5 46.g4 Nf3+ 47.Kg3*

Nxd4 48.cxd4 Kf6 49.Bxf5 Qc7 50.Kf3 Ke7 51.Ke3 d5 52.Ke2 Qc3 53.h4 Qxa3 54.h5 Qb2+ 55.Kf3 Qc3+ 56.Kg2 Qxd4 57.h6 Qh8 58.h7 b4 59.Kf3 b3 60.Ke2 a5 61.Kd2 a4 62.Kc1 a3 63.Kb1 a2+ 64.Kc1 a1Q+ 65.Kd2 Qac3+ 66.Ke2 Qhe5+ 67.Kf2 Qce3+ 68.Kg2 Q5g3+ 0-1 (68) Firouzja,A (2737)-Nakamura,H (2794) chess.com INT 2024 *)* 19.Nd4 Re8 20.Ne6 Bxe6 21.dxe6 c6 22.Qh5 Qe7 23.Bc2 Nf8 24.Rad1 Rad8 25.Bb3 g6 26.Qf3 Nf5 27.Qf4 Kg7 28.g4 Nd6 29.Rd3 Nb5 30.Rde3 g5 31.Qe4 Ng6 32.Ne2 Nd6 33.Qc2 Kh8 34.Ng3 Nf4 35.Kh2 Nb5 36.Nf5 Qc7 37.Kg1 Re7 38.Qc5 Nd6 39.Nxe7 Qxe7 40.Rd1 Ng6 41.Bc2 Ne5 42.Rxe5 fxe5 43.Qxe5+ Kg8 44.Bb3 c5 45.Rxd6 Rxd6 46.Qxd6 Qxd6 47.e7+ c4 48.e8Q+ Kg7 49.Bxc4 1-0 (49) Firouzja,A (2737)-Nakamura,H (2794) chess.com INT 2024;

B2) 13...Nce7 14.Nc3 Nxd5 15.Nxd5 *(15.Bb3 Be6 16.Ne4 Bg8 17.Rc1 c6 18.Nc5 Qc7 19.Bd2 Rfe8 20.Qc2 Ngf4 21.Kh1 Rab8 22.Bc4 Bf7 23.Bf1 Bg6 24.Qb3 Bxc5 25.dxc5 Be4 26.Kg1 Qd7 27.Nd4 Re7 28.Qg3 g5 29.b4 Rbe8 30.f3 Bg6 31.h4 h6 32.Rxe7 Rxe7 33.Re1 Kg7 34.Rxe7+ Qxe7 35.hxg5 hxg5 36.Qf2 Qe5 37.g3 Nd3 38.Bxd3 Bxd3 39.f4 gxf4 40.gxf4 Qe4 41.f5 Kf7 42.Ne6 Qxf5 43.Qxf5 Bxf5 44.Nd8+ Ke7 45.Nxb7 Bd3 46.Nd6 Ke6 47.Kf2 Ke5 48.Nc8 f5 49.Na7 Bb5 50.Kf3 Kd4 51.Nc8 Kd3 52.Be1 Kc2 53.Nd6 Bd3 54.a4 Kb3 55.b5 axb5 56.axb5 cxb5 57.c6 b4* 0-1 (57) Andrey_Klymchuk (2655)-slouuurps (2694) Blitz 2025*)* 15...Qxd5 16.Bb3 Qd8 *(16...Qh5 17.Ne5 Qxd1 18.Nxg6+ hxg6 19.Raxd1 Bd7 20.d5 Bxe3 21.Rxe3 Rfe8 22.Rc3 c6 23.dxc6 Bxc6 24.Rg3 g5 25.Rg4 Re4 26.Rxe4 Bxe4 27.Rd4 Bf5 28.h4 g4 29.Rd5 g6 30.Rd6 Kg7 31.Bd5 Re8 32.Bxb7 Re1+ 33.Kh2 Re2 34.Kg3 Rxb2 35.Bxa6 Rxa2* ½-½ (35) povodnikonj3 (2630)-HowardShore (2684) Blitz 2024*)* 17.d5 Bxe3 18.Rxe3 Ne7 *(18...Qd6 19.Rc1 Bd7 20.Qc2 Rac8 21.Qc5 Ne5 22.Nd4 b6 23.Qxd6 cxd6 24.Rce1 g5 25.Ne6 Rfe8 26.f4 gxf4 27.Nxf4 Bf5 28.Nh5 Bg6 29.Nxf6 Rf8 30.Ne4 Bxe4 31.Rxe4 Rf6 32.Rb4 Rg8 33.Re2 b5 34.Kh2 Re8 35.Rbe4 Ref8 36.a4 bxa4 37.Rxa4 Re8 38.Ree4 Ref8 39.Rxa6 Rf2 40.Ra7 Rg8 41.Rg4 Nf3+ 42.Kg3 Rxg2+ 43.Kxg2 Rxg4+ 44.hxg4 Ne5 45.Kg3* 1-0 (45) Andrey_Klymchuk (2642)-slouuurps (2661) Blitz 2025*)* 19.Rc1 Nf5 20.Rec3 Nd6 21.Rxc7 a5 22.Nd4 a4 23.Bxa4 f5 24.Ne6 Bxe6 25.dxe6 Qh4 26.e7 Rg8 27.Bb3 Ne4 28.Qc2 Rge8 29.Bf7 1-0 (29) Firouzja,A

(2737)-Nakamura,H (2794) chess.com INT 2024;
B3) 13...Nb4 14.Nc3 Ne7 15.d6 Qxd6 16.Ne4 Qd8 17.Bd2 Nbd5 18.Nc5 Qd6 19.Rc1 c6 20.Qe2 Ng6 21.Qe4 Rb8 22.Bb3 Nge7 23.Ne6 Re8 24.Qg4 Ng6 25.Neg5 Rxe1+ 26.Rxe1 Bxg4 27.Nf7+ Kg8 28.Nxd6 Bxf3 29.gxf3 Bxd4 30.f4 Kf8 31.Nf5 Bxb2 32.Bxd5 cxd5 33.Bb4+ Kf7 34.Rd1 Nxf4 35.Bd6 Ne2+ 36.Kf1 Re8 37.Rxd5 g6 38.Ne3 Nc3 39.Rc5 Ke6 40.Bh2 Na4 41.Rc7 Re7 42.Rc4 b5 43.Rc6+ Kf7 44.Rxa6 Bd4 45.Nd5 Rd7 46.Nc7 Nc3 47.Rc6 Nxa2 48.Nxb5 Be5 49.Bxe5 fxe5 50.Nd6+ Ke6 51.Ne4+ Kf5 52.f3 Nb4 53.Rf6# 1-0 (53) Chewbacca18 (2778)-Dekelija (2765) Blitz 2024]
[11.Bxc6 bxc6 12.dxe5 Bxe3 13.Rxe3 fxe5 14.Qa4 Qe8 15.Nbd2 d6 16.Nf1 Bg4 17.N3d2 Nf4 18.f3 Be6 19.g3 Nh3+ 20.Kg2 Ng5 21.h4 Nf7 22.g4 h5 23.g5 Kh7 24.Ng3 Nh8 25.Kf2 Rf4 26.Rh1 g6 27.Ne2 Rf7 28.c4 c5 29.Qxe8 Rxe8 30.Ra3 Bc8 31.Ke3 Rff8 32.Rb1 Nf7 33.b4 cxb4 34.Rxb4 Nd8 35.c5 dxc5 36.Rc4 Ne6 37.Ra5 Rd8 38.Nb3 Nd4 39.Nbxd4 cxd4+ 40.Kf2 Bg4 41.Rxc7+ Kh8 42.Rxe5 Rxf3+ 43.Kg2 d3 44.Nc3 d2 45.Ree7 Be6 46.Kxf3 Rd3+ 47.Ke2 Rxc3 48.Re8+ Bg8 49.Rxc3 1-0 (49) chargemax23 (2677)-DarsLock (2475) Blitz 2024]
[11.d5 Nce7 12.d6 cxd6 13.Bxa7 Rxa7 14.Qxd6 b5 15.Bc2 Bb7 16.a4 Nc8 17.Qd1 d5 18.axb5 axb5 19.Rxa7 Nxa7 20.exd5 Bxd5 21.Na3 Qa8 22.Qe2 Nf4 23.Qe3 Nxg2 24.Kxg2 f5 25.Bd1 f4 26.Qc5 e4 27.Ne5 Rf5 28.Qe7 h6 29.Bg4 Rg5 30.h4 e3+ 31.Kh2 exf2 32.hxg5 fxe1Q 33.Ng6+ Kh7 34.Qxe1 Kxg6 35.gxh6 Kxh6 36.Qh4+ Kg6 37.Nc2 Kf7 38.Nd4 Kg8 39.Qe7 Nc6 40.Be6+ Bxe6 41.Qxe6+ Kh7 42.Qxc6 Qa2 43.Qe4+ Kh8 44.Qe8+ Kh7 45.Qh5+ Kg8 46.Qe8+ Kh7 47.Qh5+ Kg8 48.Qe8+ Kh7 ½-½ (48) CaptainSploosh (2644)-mocaspoke (2636) Blitz 2021]
11...exd4 0 12.cxd4
[12.Nxd4 0 Nxd4 0
A) 13.cxd4 d5 14.exd5 Ne7 15.d6 *(15.Bc2 Bf5 16.Bxf5 Nxf5 17.Qb3 Rb8 18.Ne4 Nxd4 19.Bxd4 Bxd4 20.Rad1 Ba7 21.d6 Qd7 22.Qg3 Rbe8 23.h3 cxd6 24.Qxd6 Qf7 25.Nc3 h6 26.g3 Bb8 27.Qd5 Rxe1+ 28.Rxe1 Be5 29.Qxf7 Rxf7 30.Re3 Rd7 31.Kf1 Rd2 32.Re2 Bxc3 33.bxc3 Rd1+ 34.Re1 Rd3 35.Re8+ Kh7 36.Rb8 Rd7 37.Ke2 Kg6 38.Rc8 Kf5 39.Rc4 Ke5 40.h4 Ke6 41.Ke3 h5 42.a4 Re7 43.Kd3 Kd6 44.Rd4+ Kc6 45.Rc4+ Kb6 46.Rd4 Ka5 47.Kd2 Rc7 48.Kd3 Re7 49.Kd2 Rf7 50.f3 Rc7 51.Kd3 Rf7 52.Kd2 Re7 53.g4 hxg4 54.fxg4 b6 55.h5 Re5 56.Kd3 Rg5 57.Rf4 Re5 58.Kc2 Rd5 59.Kb3 Rg5 60.Re4 Rd5 61.Rf4 Rg5 62.Rd4 Re5 63.Rf4 Rg5 ½-½ (63) Swiercz,D (2640)-Lobanov,S (2547) chess.com INT 2023)* 15...Qxd6 16.Ne4 Qd8 17.Bc2 Bf5 18.Qf3 Qd5 19.Rac1 c6 20.Bf4 Ng6 21.Bg3 Rae8 22.h4 Bxe4 23.Bxe4 Qxd4 24.Rcd1 Qxb2 25.Bd6 f5 26.Bxf8

fxe4 27.Ba3 Qc2 28.Rxe4 Bxf2+ 29.Kh2 Rg8 30.h5 Nh4 31.Qe2 Qxe2 32.Rxe2 Bb6 33.Rf1 h6 34.g3 Bc7 35.Kh3 Rd8 36.Be7 Re8 37.gxh4 c5 38.Rf8+ 1-0 (38) Niemann,H (2733)-Nakamura,H (2802) Paris FRA 2024;

B) 13.Bxd4 0 13...Bxd4 0 14.cxd4 0

B1) 14...d6

B1a) 15.Rc1 f5 *(15...c6 16.Bb3 Qc7 17.Nc4 f5 18.e5 d5 19.Nd6 Be6 20.Qh5 a5 21.Bc2 Ne7 22.Rcd1 Qb6 23.b3 Qb4 24.Qg5 Rae8 25.Nxe8 Rxe8 26.Qd2 Qb6 27.Qc3 Kg8 28.a3 Ra8 29.Ra1 Qd8 30.b4 Nc8 31.bxa5 Rxa5 32.a4 Ra7 33.Reb1 Nb6 34.Qc5 Nc8 35.a5 h6 36.Bd3 Qc7 37.Bf1 Kf7 38.Qb4 Ke8 39.h4 Qd8 40.h5 Bf7 41.Be2 Qd7 42.Ra3 Be6 43.Rg3 Qc7 44.Ra3 Kf7 45.Rc1 Qb8 46.a6 Qa8 47.axb7 Qxb7 48.Rxa7 Qxa7 49.Rxc6 Ne7 50.Rc1 f4 51.Qc5 Qa2 52.Qc2 Qa4 53.Qxa4 1-0 (55) AngeryTroll (2675)-jjosujjosu (2769) Blitz 2024)* 16.e5 Nf4 17.Nf3 d5 18.Qd2 Ne6 19.b4 c6 20.Bb3 g5 21.Red1 g4 22.Ne1 f4 23.a4 Bd7 24.Qc3 Qh4 25.Bc2 Ng5 26.Ra1 Rae8 27.b5 Re6 28.bxc6 bxc6 29.Qb4 Kg8 30.Qb7 Rf7 31.Qb8+ Kg7 32.Rab1 Rh6 33.e6 Qxh2+ 34.Kf1 Rxe6 0-1 (34) Nepomniachtchi,I (2770)-Nakamura,H (2794) chess.com INT 2024;

B1b) 15.Bb3 f5 16.e5 d5 17.Rc1 Nf4 18.Qf3 Ne6 19.Qxd5 c6 20.Qxd8 Rxd8 21.Nf3 h6 22.Red1 Nf4 23.Kf1 Be6 24.Bxe6 Nxe6 25.d5 Rxd5 26.Rxd5 cxd5 27.Ke2 Rd8 28.g3 g5 29.Kd3 Kg7 30.Nd4 Kf7 31.Nxf5 b6 32.Nd6+ Ke7 33.b4 Kd7 34.Rf1 Rf8 35.Ke3 g4 36.f4 gxf3 37.Rxf3 d4+ 38.Kf2 d3 39.Rxf8 Nxf8 40.Ke3 Ng6 41.Nf5 Nxe5 42.Nxh6 Ke6 43.h3 Kd5 44.Ng4 Nc6 45.a3 Kc4 46.Kd2 a5 47.bxa5 Nxa5 48.Ne5+ Kd4 49.Nxd3 Nc4+ 50.Ke2 Nxa3 51.h4 Ke4 52.Nf2+ Kf5 53.Kf3 Nc4 54.g4+ Kg6 55.Kf4 b5 56.Nd3 b4 57.Nxb4 Nb6 58.Nd3 Nd5+ 59.Kg3 Nf6 60.Nf4+ Kg7 61.g5 1-0 (61) vistagusta (2770)-Dekelija (2761) Blitz 2024;

B2) 14...d5 0 15.exd5 *(15.Rc1 0 c6 0 16.Bb3 0 Be6 0 17.Qf3 0 dxe4 0 18.Nxe4 0 Bd5 0 19.Bxd5 0 Qxd5 0 20.Qb3 0 Qxb3 0 21.axb3 0 Rad8 0 22.Nc5 0 Rf7 0 23.g3 0 Kg8 0 24.Rcd1 0 Nf8 0 25.Kf1 0 Rc7 0 26.Re3 0 Kf7 0 27.Ke2 0 a5 0 28.h4 0 Rd6 0 29.Red3 0 Re7+ 0 30.Kf1 0 Ne6 0 31.Ne4 0 Rd5 0 32.Nc3 0 Rd8 0 33.R3d2 1:12 Red7 0 34.d5 11 cxd5 0 35.Rxd5 Rxd5 0 36.Rxd5 30 Rxd5 0 37.Nxd5 1 Nd4 0* ½-½ (37) Vitiugov,N (2668)-Manmay Chopra (2156) British

Rapidplay Championship 2025 | B 2025; *15.Bb3 dxe4 16.Nxe4 b6 17.Rc1 Bb7 18.d5 Nf4 19.Nc3 Qd7 20.Qf3 Ng6 21.Rcd1 b5 22.a3 Ne5 23.Qe4 Rad8 24.h3 Qc8 25.Bc2 g6 26.Qf4 c5 27.Ne4 Nc4 28.b3 Nxa3 29.Bd3 Rxd5 30.Nxf6 Qd8 31.Nxd5 Rxf4 32.Nxf4 Qf6 33.Re8+ Kg7 34.Ne6+ Kh6 35.g4 g5 36.Bf5 Nc2 37.Rd7* 1-0 (37) Hard-Training (2659)-ma_long_ma (2663) Blitz 2023*)*
15...Qxd5 16.Ne4

B2a) 16...Bf5 17.Bb3 Qd8 18.Nc5 b6 19.Ne6 Bxe6 20.Rxe6 *(20.Bxe6 Nf4 21.d5 Re8 22.Qf3 Qd6 23.Rad1 Rad8 24.g3 Nxe6 25.dxe6 Rxe6 26.Rxd6 Rxe1+ 27.Kg2 cxd6 28.Qc6 d5 29.Qxb6 Ree8 30.Qxa6 d4 31.Qd3 h6 32.b4 Re7 33.a4 Rc7 34.b5 Rc3 35.Qd2 Ra3 36.Qa5 Rd7 37.Qa8+ Kh7 38.Qe4+ g6 39.Qc6 Rg7 40.b6 d3 41.Qxf6 Rxa4 42.Qd6 Ra2 43.Qxd3 Rb2 44.Qa6 Rf7 45.Kh3 Rbxf2 46.b7 h5 47.b8Q* 1-0 (46) Shazil (2652)-slouuurps (2646) Blitz 2025*)*
20...Nf4 21.Re4 Qd6 22.Qf3 Ng6 23.Rae1 Rad8 24.h4 f5 25.Re6 Qxd4 26.h5 Nf4 27.Re7 c5 28.h6 gxh6 29.Qb7 Nh3+ 30.gxh3 Rg8+ 31.Bxg8 Rxg8+ 32.Kh1 1-0 (32) smihir6 (2663)-TheDayThatNeverCome (2669) Blitz 2024;

B2b) 16...Qd8 17.d5 *(17.Bc2 f5 18.Nc5 b6 19.Nd3 Bb7 20.Ne5 Qg5 21.d5 Rad8 22.Bb3 c5 23.Nf3 Qh5 24.Ne5 Qg5 25.Nf3 Qh5 26.Ne5 Qg5 27.Nf3* ½-½ (27) Nepomniachtchi,I (2758)-Nakamura,H (2789) Toronto CAN 2024*)* 17...b6 18.d6 Bb7 19.dxc7 Qxc7 20.Rc1 Qf4 21.g3 Qb8 22.f4 b5 23.Bb3 Qa7+ 24.Nc5 Rad8 25.Qe2 Bd5 26.Qf2 Bxb3 27.axb3 Rd6 28.Ne6 Qxf2+ 29.Kxf2 Re8 30.Re2 Kg8 31.Nc7 Rxe2+ 32.Kxe2 Ne7 33.Rd1 Rc6 34.Rd7 Nf5 35.Nd5 Rc2+ 36.Kd3 Rxb2 37.Ke4 Nh6 38.Nc7 Rxb3 39.Ne6 Nf7 40.Ra7 Rb4+ 41.Kd5 Nh6 42.Rxg7+ Kh8 43.Ra7 Rb1 44.g4 Rd1+ 45.Kc6 b4 46.g5 fxg5 47.fxg5 Ng8 48.Rxa6 b3 49.Rb6 Re1 50.Kd6 Re3 51.h4 Rh3 52.Rb4 b2 53.Rxb2 Rxh4 54.Rb8 Rg4 55.Ke5 h6 56.Kf5 Rxg5+ 57.Nxg5 hxg5 58.Kg6 g4 59.Kf7 g3 60.Rxg8+ Kh7 61.Rxg3 1-0 (61) Nepomniachtchi,I (2770)-Ragger,M (2601) chess.com INT 2024]

12...d5 13.exd5 Nce7

[13...Qxd5 14.Rc1 Bf5 15.Bb3 Qd7 16.d5 Nce5 17.Bxa7 Rxa7 18.Rc3 Raa8 19.Nd4 Nf4 20.Nc4 Nxd5 21.Nxe5 fxe5 22.Nxf5 Qxf5 23.Bxd5 Qxf2+ 24.Kh1 Rad8 25.Rd3 Rd6 26.Be4 Rd4 27.Rxd4 exd4 28.h3 h6 29.Re2 Qg3 30.Bxb7 c5 31.Bxa6 1-0 (31) warrior211 (2767)-Prat1983 (2780) Blitz 2024]

14.h3

[14.Ne4 Qxd5 15.Nc3 Qh5 16.d5

Bxe3 17.Rxe3 Bg4 18.d6 Nf5 19.Rd3 Nxd6 20.h3 Bxf3 21.Qxf3 Qxf3 22.Rxf3 Nc4 23.Bb3 Nce5 24.Re3 Rad8 25.Ne4 b6 26.g3 Rd4 27.f4 Nd3 28.Rd1 Rfd8 29.Nf2 Nge5 30.fxe5 Nxe5 31.Rxd4 Rxd4 32.Ng4 h6 33.Nxe5 fxe5 34.Rxe5 c5 35.Re8+ Kh7 36.Bc2+ g6 37.Re7+ Kg8 38.Bxg6 Rd1+ 39.Kf2 Rd2+ 40.Re2 Rxb2 41.Rxb2 1-0 (41) calculatebetter (2772)-HowardShore (2664) Blitz 2024]

[14.d6 Qxd6 15.Ne4 Qd8 16.Nc5 *(16.Bb3 Nf5 17.Rc1 Nxe3 18.Rxe3 Bg4 19.h3 Bxf3 20.Rxf3 Bxd4 21.Rd3 Nf4 22.Rd2 Re8 23.Ng3 c5 24.Rxc5 Bxc5 25.Rxd8 Raxd8 26.Qf3 Nd3 27.Ne4 Ba7 28.Bc2 Nxf2 29.Nxf2 Rd2 30.Qf5 Bxf2+ 31.Kh2 Rxc2 32.Qxc2 Bd4 33.b4 Be5+ 34.g3 Bd6 35.Qd2 Rd8 36.Kg2 g6 37.Qd5 b5 38.a3 Kg7 39.Qb7+ Kh6 40.Qxa6 Be5 41.Qxb5 Rd2+ 42.Kf3 Rc2 43.a4 Rc3+ 44.Ke2 Bxg3 45.a5 f5 46.Qe8 f4 47.Qf8+ Kh5 48.Qg7 f3+ 49.Kd2 Rc4 50.Qxh7+ Kg5 51.Qe7+ Kh5 52.Qf7 Rf4 53.Qh7+ Kg5 54.Qe7+ Kh6 55.Qe8 Kg7 56.Qe7+ Rf7 57.Qg5 f2 58.Qxg3 f1N+* 0-1 (58) Fratz71 (2604)-samira_chess2010 (2647) Blitz 2024*)* 16...Nd5 17.Bd2 c6 18.Ne6 Bxe6 19.Rxe6 Qd7 20.Re1 Rae8 21.Bb3 Ngf4 22.Be3 Bb8 23.g3 Ng6 24.Kg2 Nge7 25.Rc1 Nf5 26.Bc2 Ndxe3+ 27.fxe3 Nxe3+ 28.Rxe3 Rxe3 29.Bd3 Rfe8 30.Bf1 Qd5 31.Rc5 Qe4 32.Rh5 g6 33.Rh4 Qd5 34.Bd3 Kg7 35.Kf2 Ba7 36.Bc2 Rxf3+ 37.Qxf3 Bxd4+ 38.Rxd4 Qxd4+ 39.Kg2 Qd2+ 40.Kh3 Qxc2 41.Qa3 Qe4 42.Qb3 Qe6+ 43.Qxe6 Rxe6 44.Kg2 Rd6 45.Kh3 Rd2 46.Kh4 Rxh2+ 47.Kg4 Rxb2 48.Kf3 Rxa2 49.Kg4 Ra5 50.Kh4 Rg5 51.g4 h5 52.Kg3 Rxg4+ 53.Kf3 f5 54.Ke3 Kf6 55.Kd3 Ke6 56.Kc3 c5 57.Kb3 b5 58.Ka3 a5 59.Kb2 Rg3 60.Kc2 h4 61.Kd2 f4 62.Ke2 g5 63.Kf2 g4 64.Ke2 c4 65.Kd2 b4 66.Kc2 a4 67.Kd2 Ke5 68.Ke2 Ke4 69.Kf2 h3 70.Ke1 Rg2 71.Kf1 g3 72.Ke1 f3 0-1 (72) AvoNSWFins0034 (2745)-HowardShore (2646) Blitz 2024]

[14.Bb3 Nxd5 15.Ne4 c6 16.h3 Be6 17.Rc1 Bf7 18.Nc3 Qd7 19.Bd2 Rad8 20.Ne4 Ngf4 21.Bxf4 Nxf4 22.Bxf7 Qxf7 23.Qd2 Bb8 24.Rc3 Qg6 25.Nh4 Qh6 26.Nf5 Qg6 27.Nh4 Qh5 28.Nf3 Rfe8 29.Nc5 Qg6 30.Rxe8+ Rxe8 31.Nh4 Qg5 32.Re3 Rg8 33.g3 Nxh3+ 34.Kh2 Nf4 35.Ne4 Qh6 36.Kg1 Nd5 37.Re1 Qxd2 38.Nxd2 Ba7 39.Nf5 g6 40.Nd6 Bxd4 41.Nf3 Bxb2 42.Rb1 Ba3 43.Nxb7 Rb8 44.Rb3 Be7 45.Nd4 Nb4 46.Na5 Rd8 47.Naxc6 Nxc6 48.Nxc6 Rd7 49.Rb8+ Kg7 50.Nb4 Bxb4 51.Rxb4 Rd2 52.Kg2 Rd6 53.Ra4 Re6 54.Rb4 Kf7 55.Rb7+ Kg8 56.Ra7 h5 57.Ra8+ Kg7 58.Ra7+ Kh6 59.Rc7 Kg5 60.Rc4 Kf5 61.Rf4+ Kg5 62.Rf3 f5 63.Re3 Kf6 64.Rb3 Re5 65.Rb7 Re6 66.Rb8 Re5 67.Rb7 Ra5 68.Rb8 Kg5 69.Rb6 Rxa2 70.Kf3 Ra4 71.Kg2 h4 72.Rb7 hxg3 73.Rb8 gxf2 74.Kxf2 1-0 (74) Stas-2444 (2628)-HowardShore (2662) Blitz 2024]

14...Nxd5 15.Rc1

[15.Ne4 c6 16.a3 Ngf4 17.Qd2 Bb8 18.Rad1 Bxh3 19.gxh3 Qc8 20.Bxf4 Nxf4 21.Re3 Qxh3 22.Ne1 Qg4+ 23.Ng3 h5 24.Ng2 h4 25.Nxf4 Bxf4

26.Qe2 Qg5 27.Rf3 hxg3 28.fxg3 Bxg3 29.Qg2 Bh4 30.Rh3 Qxg2+ 31.Kxg2 g5 0-1 (31) Papolabestia123 (2621)-TheDayThatNeverCome (2651) Blitz 2024]

15...c6 16.Ne4 f5 17.Bg5 Qc7 18.Nc5 h6 19.Nh4 Nxh4 20.Bxh4 f4 21.f3 Bf5 22.Bf2 Rad8 23.Ne6 Bxe6 24.Rxe6 Ne3 25.Qd3 Rxd4 26.Qa3 Qd8 27.Bb3 Rd2 28.Qe7 Qxe7 29.Rxe7 Rxf2 30.Rxb7 Rxg2+ 31.Kh1 Bd4 32.Rxc6 Bxb2 33.Be6 Bf6 34.Rxa6 Rf2 35.Rb1 Rxf3 36.a4 Rf2 37.Rab6 Ra8 38.Rg1 f3 39.a5 Rg2 40.Rgb1 Rxa5 41.Rb8+ Kh7 42.Bg8+ Kg6 43.Be6 Raa2 44.Bxa2 Rxa2 45.Rg1+ Rg2 46.Rbb1 Rxg1+ 47.Rxg1+ Kf5 48.Rb1 Kf4 49.h4 Kg3 50.h5 f2 51.Rf1 g6 52.Rb1 f1Q+ 53.Rxf1 Nxf1 54.hxg6 Bg7 55.Kg1 Kg4 56.Kh1 Kg5 57.Kg1 Kxg6 58.Kh1 h5 59.Kg1 ½-½ (59) AvoNSWFins0034 (2797)-thedaythatnevercome (2651) Blitz 2024

9.Bb3 d6 10.Bg5 Qe8 11.Na3 [11.h3 h6 12.Bc1 Kh7 *(12...Kh8 13.Bd5 Nce7 14.Bb3 Nc6 15.Bd5 Nce7 16.Bb3 Nc6* ½-½ (16) Fritzi_2003 (2684)-gmmitkov (2562) Blitz 2022*)* 13.Na3 Bd7 14.Nc4 f6 15.Ne3 Nce7 16.Bc2 a5 17.Qd3 a4 18.Bd2 b5 19.Rad1 Nc6 20.Nd5 Qd8 21.a3 Na5 22.Bc1 Ne7 23.dxe5 fxe5 24.Be3 Nxd5 25.exd5+ Kh8 26.Qh7# 1-0 (26) MS_Speedster_2007 (2698)-ma_long_ma (2673) Blitz 2023]

[11.Be3 exd4 12.cxd4 Bg4 13.Qd3 Bxf3 14.gxf3 Qd7 15.Nd2 Qh3 16.Kh1 Nh4 17.Rg1 Nxf3 18.Rg2 Rae8 19.Nxf3 Qxf3 20.Rag1 g6 21.Qc4 Qxe4 22.Bh6 Bxd4 23.Bxf8 Rxf8 24.f3 Qxf3 25.Rf1 d5 26.Qc1 Qe4 27.Re1 Qf3 28.Qg5 Qf6 29.Qxd5 Kg7 30.Rg3 Rd8 31.Qg2 Ne5 32.Rf1 Qd6 33.Qxb7 Rd7 34.Qe4 c5 35.Ba4 Re7 36.Qg2 a5 37.Bc2 Nc4 38.Qf3 Ne3 39.Rc1 Qe5 40.Bd3 Bxb2 41.Rb1 Bd4 42.Re1 Qd6 43.Be2 Nd5 44.Rf1 Nf6 45.Bc4 Qe5 46.Qg2 Qd6 47.Rgf3 Qe6 48.Bxe6 Rxe6 49.Rf4 Nd5 50.Rxf7+ Kh6 51.Qxd5 Re4 52.Qxe4 1-0 (52) Sarana,A (2686)-Dubnevych,M (2292) chess.com INT 2025]

[11.h4 Bg4 12.d5 Nce7 13.Nbd2 f6 14.Be3 Nxh4 15.Bxa7 Rxa7 16.g3 Qg6 17.Nxh4 Qh5 18.f3 Bd7 19.Nf1 g5 20.Ng2 f5 21.exf5 Qh3 22.g4 h5 23.Nh2 hxg4 24.fxg4 Kg7 25.Qd2 Rh8 26.Qxg5+ Kf7 27.Nf1 Rg8 28.Qh5+ Qxh5 29.gxh5 Bxf5 30.Kf2 Rh8 31.Ng3 Bg4 32.Ne3 Bd7 33.Rh1 Raa8 34.Rag1 Raf8 35.Ke2 Ke8 36.h6 Ng6 37.Nh5 Kf7 38.Rg5 Rxh6 39.Rf1+ Ke7 40.Rxf8 Kxf8 41.Kd2 Kf7 42.Bc2 Ne7 43.Be4 c6 44.c4 c5 45.Rg7+ Kf8 46.Rh7 Rxh7 47.Bxh7 b5 48.Nf6 Bc8 49.Bd3 Kf7 50.Ne4 Bd7 51.Nxd6+ Kf6 52.Ne4+ Kg6 53.Nxc5+ 1-0 (53) BxBomber (2685)-Calzonesdesuperman (2640) Blitz 2024]

11...h6 12.Be3 Bg4 13.Nc2 Nh4 [13...exd4 14.Bxd4 Nxd4 15.cxd4 Qb5 16.h3 Bh5 17.Na3 Bxf3 18.Qxf3 Qg5 19.Rad1 Rae8 20.Nc2 Re7 21.Ne3 Nh4 22.Qg4 Qxg4 23.Nxg4 Rfe8 24.f3 Kh8 25.Ne3 f5 26.Nd5 Rd7 27.Kh2 fxe4 28.fxe4 c6 29.Nf4 Rf8 30.Rf1 g5 31.Ne6 Rxf1 32.Rxf1 Ng6 33.Rf6 Nf4 34.Rf8+ Kh7 35.Rxf4 gxf4 36.Nf8+ Kg7 37.Nxd7 Bxd4 38.h4 b5 39.Kh3 a5 40.a4 bxa4 41.Bxa4 c5 42.b3 Kf7

43.Kg4 Ke6 44.Kxf4 Bf2 45.Nb6 Bxh4 46.Nd5 Bg5+ 47.Kf3 Bc1 48.Bb5 Ke5 49.Bc4 Kd4 50.Nf6 a4 51.Bf7 a3 52.b4 cxb4 53.e5 dxe5 54.Ne4 Bb2 55.Bg8 Kd3 56.Nc5+ Kc2 57.g4 Bd4 58.Nb3 Bc3 59.Nc5 Be1 60.Bh7+ Kc3 61.Bg8 Kd4 62.g5 Kxc5 63.gxh6 e4+ 64.Kxe4 Bc3 65.h7 a2 66.Bxa2 Bh8 67.Bb1 Kc4 68.Kf5 Kc5 69.Kg6 Kd6 70.Kf7 Bc3 71.Kg8 Kc7 72.h8Q Bxh8 73.Kxh8 Kd6 74.Bd3 Kc5 75.Bb1 Kd4 76.Bc2 Kc3 77.Bb1 Kb2 78.Bf5 Kc1 79.Bg6 Kb2 80.Bh7 Ka1 81.Bg6 Ka2 82.Bh7 Ka3 83.Bg6 Ka4 84.Bh7 b3 85.Bg6 b2 86.Bh7 Ka3 0-1 (86) OUT-knock123 (2697)-ba6yshka (2617) Blitz 2021]

14.Nxh4 Bxd1 15.Raxd1 Kh7

[15...exd4 16.Bxd4 Nxd4 17.cxd4 Qd7 18.Ne3 Rfe8 19.Nef5 Kh7 20.Nf3 g6 21.Ng3 Re7 22.h4 Rae8 23.e5 d5 24.h5 Kg7 25.Bc2 c5 26.dxc5 Bxc5 27.Bb3 Rd8 28.hxg6 fxg6 29.Rd3 Qg4 30.Kf1 h5 31.Rc1 Bb6 32.Bxd5 Red7 33.Rc4 Rxd5 34.Rxg4 hxg4 35.Rxd5 Rxd5 36.Nh2 Rxe5 37.Nxg4 Ra5 38.a3 Bd4 39.b4 Rxa3 40.Ne4 Rb3 41.Ke2 Rxb4 42.Kd3 a5 43.Ng5 Bf6 44.Ne4 Bb2 45.Ne3 a4 46.Nc2 Rb6 0-1 (46) Vachier Lagrave,M (2734)-Le, T (2567) chess.com INT 2024]

16.Nf5 Ne7 17.Ng3 a5 18.a4 b5 19.Na3 bxa4 20.Bc4 Rb8 21.Re2 Ng6 22.Nh5 exd4 23.Bxd4 Bxd4 24.cxd4 c6 25.e5 dxe5 26.dxe5 Nxe5 27.f4 f6 28.Ng3 Rxb2 29.Rxb2 Nxc4 30.Nxc4 Qe6 31.Nxa5 a3 32.Re2 Qg4 33.Ra1 h5 34.Rxa3 h4 35.h3 Qxf4 36.Nf1 Ra8 37.Nc4 Qxc4 38.Rxa8 Qxe2 39.Ra4 g5 40.Rd4 c5 41.Rd7+ Kg6 42.Rc7 c4 43.Nh2 Qe3+ 44.Kh1 Qc1+ 0-1 (44) rob188 (2739)-mutdpro (2713) Blitz 2023

9.Bxc6 dxc6 10.Nxe5 Nxe5 11.dxe5 Qxd1 12.Rxd1 Bg4 13.Re1 Rad8

[13...Rfe8 14.Bf4 g5 15.Bxg5 Rxe5 16.Bf4 Re7 17.Nd2 Rd8 18.Bg5 f6 19.Bf4 Red7 20.Nf1 Be6 21.Be3 c5 22.a3 b5 23.Ng3 Bb6 24.Ne2 Bb3 25.f3 c6 26.Kf2 Kf7 27.Nc1 Be6 28.b4 Bc7 29.Bxc5 Rd2+ 30.Re2 Bc4 31.Rxd2 Rxd2+ 32.Kg1 Rd1+ 33.Kf2 Bf4 34.Ne2 Rxa1 35.Nxf4 Rxa3 36.Bd4 Be6 37.g4 a5 38.bxa5 Rxa5 39.Nh5 Ra4 40.Bxf6 c5 41.g5 b4 42.cxb4 cxb4 43.Nf4 b3 44.Nd3 Ra2+ 45.Nb2 Ra1 46.Kg3 Rg1+ 47.Kf4 Rh1 48.Kg3 Rg1+ 49.Kf2 Rc1 50.h4 Rc2+ 51.Kg3 Kg6 52.f4 h6 53.f5+ Bxf5 54.exf5+ Kxf5 55.Kf3 hxg5 56.hxg5 Rxb2 57.Bxb2 Kxg5 58.Ke4 Kg4 59.Kd5 Kg5 60.Kc4 Kg4 61.Kxb3 ½-½ (61) canc3111 (2605)-sushila1 (2713) Blitz 2024]

14.Na3 Rd3 15.Nc4 Rfd8 16.Be3 Bxe3 17.Nxe3 Be6 18.f4 Rd2 19.f5 Bc8 20.Rad1 g6 21.g4 Kg7 22.Rxd2 Rxd2 23.Rd1 Re2 24.Rd3 Rxb2 25.Kf1 Rb5 26.Rd8 Rxe5 27.Rxc8 Rxe4 28.Kf2 Ra4 29.Rxc7 Rxa2+ 30.Kg3 Re2 31.Kf3 Rxh2 32.Rxb7 Kf6 33.Rb6 h5 34.Rxc6+ Kg5 35.fxg6 fxg6 36.Rc5+ Kh6 37.gxh5 gxh5 38.Nf5+ Kg5 39.Ng3+ Kg6 40.c4 Ra2 41.Rc6+ Kg5 42.Rc5+ Kg6 43.Ne4 h4 44.Rg5+ Kh6 45.Rg8 Kh5 46.Rh8+ Kg6 47.Rxh4 Rc2 48.Nf2 Kf5 49.Rh5+ Ke6 50.Rh4 Kd7 51.Ke3 Kc6 52.Nd3 Rc1 53.Kd4 Rd1 54.Rh6+ Kb7 55.Kc3 a5 56.Nc5+ 1-0 (56) Kartvelii (2661)-spectraline (2505) Blitz 2025

9.d5 Nce7 10.d6

[10.c4 d6 11.Nc3 Bg4 *(11...h6 12.Be3 f5 13.Bxa7 Rxa7 14.b4 a5 15.Nb5 Ra8 16.a3 Bd7 17.Nc3 Bc8 18.Bc2 f4 19.c5 Nh8 20.Nd2 g5 21.Nc4 g4 22.g3 Nf7 23.gxf4 exf4 24.e5 Ng5 25.e6 Nf3+ 26.Kh1 Nxd5 27.e7 Nxe7 28.cxd6 Nf5 29.Qd5+ Kh8 30.Be4 Qh4 31.Bxf3 gxf3 32.dxc7 Ng3+ 33.fxg3 fxg3 34.Qe5+ Kg8 35.Qxg3+ Qxg3 36.hxg3 f2 37.Rf1 b5 38.Nd6 Bd7 39.Kg2 Bc6+ 40.Kh2 axb4 41.c8Q Raxc8 42.Nxc8 bxc3 43.Ne7+ Kg7 44.Nxc6 c2 45.Rac1* 1-0 (45) ute-manfred (2608)-spectraline (2602) Blitz 2023*)* 12.h3 Bxf3 13.Qxf3 f5 14.Re2 Nh4 15.Qh5 Nhg6 16.exf5 Nxf5 17.Bg5 Qc8 18.Bc2 Ng3 19.Qg4 Qxg4 0-1 (19) InfinitumErrata (2640)-misterbluff (2806) Blitz 2024]

[10.Bc2 d6 11.Be3 Bxe3 12.Rxe3 f5 13.exf5 Nxf5 14.Re1 Qf6 15.Nbd2 Nfh4 16.Rf1 Bg4 17.Be4 Nf4 18.Qc2 Nhxg2 19.Bxh7+ Kf7 20.Ne4 Bxf3 21.Rfc1 Qh4 22.Ng3 g6 23.Bxg6+ Nxg6 24.Qf5+ Qf6 25.Qxf6+ Kxf6 26.c4 b6 27.b4 N6f4 28.c5 bxc5 29.bxc5 Bxd5 30.cxd6 cxd6 31.Kf1 Rh8 32.Rc3 Rxh2 33.Rd1 Rah8 34.f3 Rh1+ 35.Nxh1 Rxh1+ 36.Kf2 Rxd1 0-1 (36) Nonsense_10 (2629)-Calzonesdesuperman (2608) Blitz 2024]

10...cxd6 11.Qxd6 Bb8 12.Qd3 d6 13.Bb3 h6 14.Nbd2 Kh8 15.Nc4 f5 16.Rd1 fxe4 17.Qxe4 Bf5 18.Qe3 b5 19.Ncxe5 Nxe5 20.Nxe5 Ba7 21.Qg3 Qe8 22.Rxd6 Bh7 23.Nf7+ Rxf7 24.Bxf7 Qxf7 25.Be3 Nf5 26.Qf3 Rf8 27.Rxa6 Bxe3 28.fxe3 Qe7 29.Rf1 Re8 30.Re1 Nd6 31.Ra8 Ne4 32.Rxe8+ Qxe8 33.Rf1 Kg8 34.h3 Bg6 35.Rd1 Bf7 36.a3 Nf6 37.Rd4 Bg6 38.Qf4 Qe7 39.Kf2 Ne4+ 40.Kg1 Nf6 41.Kh2 Kh7 42.e4 Nh5 43.Qe3 Qe5+ 44.Kg1 Nf4 45.Rd5 Nxd5 46.Qd4 Qxe4 0-1 (46) Grukjr (2649)-Calzonesdesuperman (2654) Blitz 2024

9.Bc2 d6 10.h3 f6 11.a4 Kh8 12.b4 Qe8 13.b5 Nd8 14.Nbd2 Ne6 15.Nc4 Ngf4 16.Kh2 Ng5 17.Bxf4 exf4 18.Qd3 Qh5 19.Nxg5 fxg5 20.f3 Bg4 21.fxg4 Qh6 22.Qf3 Rae8 23.e5 axb5 24.axb5 Bb8 25.exd6 cxd6 26.Rxe8 Rxe8 27.d5 Qf6 28.Qd3 Qh6 29.Ra8 g6 30.Nxd6 Rf8 31.Rxb8 1-0 (31) first-move (2625)-Calzonesdesuperman (2589) Blitz 2023

[63] **9...Qf6** 10.Bg5 Qd6 11.Be3 Qf6 12.Qd3 h6 13.Nbd2 d6 14.Bxc6 bxc6 15.Qc4 Bb7 16.b4 a5 17.bxa5 Rfe8 18.a6 d5 19.exd5 cxd5 20.dxe5 Nxe5 21.Qxc7 Nxf3+ 22.Nxf3 Qxa6 1-0 (22) EdwardFerrars (2831)-ma_long_ma (2681) Blitz 2023

9...h6 10.Bxc6 dxc6 11.Nxe5 Nxe5 12.dxe5 Qxd1 13.Rxd1 Be6 14.Bf4 Rfd8 15.Nd2 Rd3 16.Nb3 Rad8 17.Rxd3 Rxd3 18.Kf1 g5 19.Bg3 Bxb3 20.axb3 Rd2 21.Rb1 Kf8 22.Ke1 Rd7 23.Ke2 Ke7 24.f3 Ke6 25.b4 c5 26.bxc5 Bxc5 27.Rd1 Rxd1 28.Kxd1 b5 29.Bh2 h5 30.g3 h4 31.gxh4 gxh4 32.f4 Bf8 33.f5+ Kd7 34.Bf4 Bc5 35.Ke2 Bg1 36.Bg5 Bh2 37.Bxh4 Bxe5 38.Bg5 Ke8 39.h4 Kf8 40.h5 Kg7 41.Ke3 c5 42.Bf4 Bf6 43.e5 Bd8 44.Ke4 b4 45.c4 a5 46.b3 Bh4 47.h6+ Kh7 48.e6 fxe6 49.fxe6 Bf6 50.Kd5 a4 51.bxa4 b3 52.Bc1 Bd4 53.a5 1-0 (53) Pendos666 (2681)-spectraline (2550) Blitz 2023

9...exd4 10.cxd4 d5 11.e5 Bf5

12.Nc3 f6 13.Bb3 Nce7 14.exf6 Rxf6 15.Bg5 Rd6 16.Ne5 Qf8 17.Nxg6 Nxg6 18.Nxd5 Kh8 19.Ne7 Bxd4 20.Qf3 Bd7 21.Bf7 Ne5 22.Rxe5 Bxe5 23.Qh5 Be8 24.Bxe8 Rxe8 25.Re1 Re6 26.Rxe5 R8xe7 27.Bxe7 Qxe7 28.Rxe6 Qxe6 29.Qc5 Qc8 30.h4 h6 31.h5 Qd8 32.b4 b6 33.Qf5 Qd1+ 34.Kh2 Qd6+ 35.g3 Qxb4 36.Qc8+ Kh7 37.Qxc7 Qd2 38.Kg1 Qd1+ 39.Kg2 Qd5+ 40.Kg1 b5 41.Qf4 Qxh5 42.Qe4+ Qg6 43.Qb7 Qb1+ 44.Kg2 a5 45.a4 b4 46.Qb5 b3 47.Qxa5 Qe4+ 48.Kg1 b2 0-1 (48) Sigmachess08 (2658)-Sobino106 (2687) Blitz 2024

[64] **10.Bxc6** bxc6 11.dxe5 dxe5 12.Qa4

[12.Qxd8 Rxd8 13.Na3 Be6 14.Be3 f6 15.Bxa7 Rxa7 16.Rad1 Rb8 17.b4 a5 18.Nc2 Bxa2 19.bxa5 c5 20.Ne3 Rxa5 21.Rd7 Ra7 22.c4 Rb1 23.Nf5 Rxe1+ 24.Nxe1 Bxc4 25.Rxg7+ Kf8 26.Rxh7 Ra1 27.Rxc7 Rxe1+ 28.Kh2 Rxe4 29.Rc8+ Kf7 30.Nd6+ Ke6 31.Nxe4 Nf4 32.Nxc5+ Kf5 33.Ne4 Bd5 34.Ng3+ Ke6 35.f3 Ng6 36.Re8+ Kf7 37.Rd8 Ke6 38.Rb8 f5 39.Rb6+ Kf7 40.Nxf5 1-0 (40) Frutek (2648)-Calzonesdesuperman (2616) Blitz 2023]

12...Qf6 13.Bg5 Qe6 14.Be3 Bxe3 15.Rxe3 h6 16.Qa5 Qe7 17.Nbd2 f6 18.Nb3 Nf4 19.Qc5 Qf7 20.Kh2 Qh5 21.Ng1 Bd7 22.Qa5 Rf7 23.Nc5 Raf8 24.Nd3 Bc8 25.Nxf4 exf4 26.Qxh5 fxe3 27.fxe3 Re7 28.Rd1 Rxe4 29.Qf3 Rfe8 30.Rd8 Rxe3 1-0 (30) JackHenry (2712)-spectraline (2619) Blitz 2023

10.dxe5 Ncxe5 11.Nbd2 Nd3 12.Re2 Ngf4 13.Nd4 Nxe2+ 14.Qxe2 Nxc1 15.Rxc1 Bd7 16.Bb3 Qf6 17.N2f3 Rfe8 18.Qd3 c5 19.Ne2 Bc6 20.Ng3 b5 21.Bd5 c4 22.Qd2 Bxd5 23.Qxd5 Bc5 24.Rd1 Qe6 25.Qg5 h6 26.Qf4 Kh7 27.Nd4 Qe5 28.Qxf7 Rf8 29.Qd5 Qxd5 30.exd5 Bxd4 31.Rxd4 Rf6 32.Ne4 Rg6 33.f4 h5 34.f5 Rh6 35.Kf2 Rf8 36.Ng5+ Kg8 37.Rf4 Rhf6 38.Ne6 Re8 39.g4 hxg4 40.hxg4 g6 41.Ke3 gxf5 42.gxf5 Kf7 43.Ke4 Rh8 44.Rg4 Rh7 45.Ng5+ Kg7 46.Nxh7+ Kxh7 47.b3 cxb3 48.axb3 a5 49.c4 a4 50.cxb5 axb3 51.Rg3 Rh6 52.Rxb3 Rh4+ 53.Kd3 Kg7 54.b6 Rh8 55.b7 Rc8 56.bxc8Q 1-0 (56) smihir6 (2650)-spectraline (2578) Blitz 2023

10.Nbd2 Nce7 11.Bc2 h6 12.Nf1 Be6 13.Ng3 exd4 14.cxd4 d5 15.e5 Qd7 16.Nh5 Bf5 17.Bxh6 Bxc2 18.Qxc2 Qf5 19.Qxf5 Nxf5 20.Be3 Rfe8 21.Rac1 c6 22.g4 Nfh4 23.Nxh4 Nxh4 24.Red1 Rad8 25.Kh2 c5 26.Kg3 Ng6 27.f4 c4 28.f5 Ne7 29.f6 Nc6 30.Nxg7 Rf8 31.Nf5 Rfe8 32.Kf4 b5 33.h4 Rb8 34.g5 Nd8 35.h5 Ne6+ 36.Kg4 b4 37.g6 Rb7 38.Nh6+ Kf8 39.g7+ Nxg7 40.fxg7+ Kxg7 41.Nf5+ Kh7 42.Rg1 b3 43.a3 Rg8+ 44.Kf4 Rxg1 45.Rxg1 c3 46.bxc3 b2 47.Rb1 Bb8 48.Ng3 Bc7 49.Bd2 Ba5 50.Ke3 Rb3 51.Kd3 Rb7 52.Kc2 Bd8 53.Rxb2 Rc7 54.Rb8 Be7 55.Nf5 Bxa3 56.Nd6 Bxd6 57.exd6 Rd7 58.Bf4 a5 59.Rc8 a4 60.Rc7 Kg7 61.Rxd7 Kf6 62.Ra7 Ke6 63.d7 Kf5 64.d8Q Ke4 65.Qd6 Kf3 66.Qe5 Kg4 67.Qxd5 Kh3 68.Qxf7 Kg4 69.Qg6+ Kh3 70.h6 a3 71.h7 a2 72.h8Q# 1-0 (72) Yakimkin,I (2626)-spectraline (2626) Blitz 2023

[65] **10...Re8** 11.Nbd2 b5 12.Bb3 Na5 13.Bc2 h6 14.Qe2 c5 15.dxc5 dxc5 16.Rad1 Qc7 17.Nf1 Be6 18.b3 c4

19.b4 Nc6 20.Bxa7 Nf4 21.Qe3 Rxa7 22.Rd2 a5 23.a4 Qb8 24.axb5 Qxb5 25.bxa5 Rxa5 26.Rb1 Qc5 27.Qxc5 Rxc5 28.Ba4 Nd3 29.Ne1 Rd8 30.Rbd1 Na5 31.Nxd3 cxd3 32.Rxd3 Rxd3 33.Rxd3 Rc4 34.Bc2 Nb7 35.Nd2 Rc7 36.Bb3 Nc5 37.Rd8+ Kh7 38.Bxe6 Nxe6 39.Rd5 Rxc3 40.Rxe5 Rc1+ 41.Kh2 Rc2 42.Rd5 Nf4 43.Rd7 f6 44.g3 Ne6 45.Kg2 Nc5 46.Rd4 Ne6 47.Rd5 Nc7 48.Rd7 Nb5 49.Nf3 Rc7 50.Rxc7 Nxc7 51.Kg1 Kg6 52.Kf1 Ne6 53.Ke2 Kf7 54.Ke3 Nc5 55.Nd4 Nd7 56.f4 Nb6 57.Kd3 Nd7 58.Nb3 g6 59.Kd4 Ke7 60.Nc5 Nb8 61.Kd5 h5 62.h4 Ke8 63.Kd6 Kd8 64.Ke6 1-0 (64) mick_chess (2754)-xiaochess (2840) Blitz 2024

10...Nce7 11.Bb3 exd4 12.cxd4 d5 13.e5 c6

[13...Nf5 14.Bg5 Qd7 15.Nc3 c6 16.Ne2 h6 17.Bd2 Ngh4 18.Nxh4 Nxh4 19.Bc2 Nxg2 20.Kxg2 Qxh3+ 21.Kg1 Bg4 22.Nf4 Bxd1 0-1 (22) mick_chess (2671)-Samira_Chess2010 (2652) Blitz 2024]

14.Nc3 Nf5 15.Bc2 f6 16.exf6 Nxe3 17.fxe3 Qxf6 18.Rf1 Qe7 19.Qd2 Bf5 20.Rae1 Bxc2 21.Qxc2 Rae8 22.e4 Nh4 23.Qd2 Nxf3+ 24.gxf3 Qh4 25.Kh2 Re6 26.Rd1 Rg6 27.Qf2 Qf4+ 28.Kh1 Rg3 29.Qh2 Qh4 0-1 (29) Sjugirov,S (2703)-Le Tuan,M (2567) chess.com INT 2023

10...f5 11.Bb3+

[11.Ng5 Qf6 12.Bb3+ Kh8 13.Nxh7 Qh4 14.Nxf8 Nxf8 15.exf5 Bxf5 16.Qf3 Be4 17.Qg3 Qxg3 18.fxg3 exd4 19.Bf2 d5 20.Nd2 Re8 21.Nf3 dxc3 22.bxc3 Bxf2+ 23.Kxf2 Ne6 24.Kg1 Rf8 25.Rad1 Bxf3 26.gxf3 Ng5 27.Kg2 Nxf3 28.Rf1 Nce5 29.Bxd5 1-0 (29) smihir6 (2679)-Temur_Odinaev (2568) Blitz 2023]

[11.Bxc6 bxc6 12.exf5 Bxf5 13.dxe5 dxe5 14.Bxa7 Qxd1 15.Rxd1 Rxa7 16.Nbd2 Raa8 17.Nc4 Rae8 18.Re1 e4 19.Nd4 Bd7 20.b4 Nf4 21.Na5 Nd3 22.Re2 Nf4 23.Re3 Nd5 24.Rg3 e3 25.fxe3 Nxc3 26.Naxc6 Bxc6 27.Nxc6 Ne2+ 28.Kh2 Nxg3 29.Kxg3 Rxe3+ 30.Kh2 Rf2 31.a4 Ree2 32.Rg1 Ra2 33.a5 h5 34.Nb8 Rf6 35.Rc1 Rb2 36.Rxc7 Rxb4 37.Rc5 Rb5 38.Rxb5 axb5 39.a6 Rf7 40.Nc6 Rf8 41.Kg3 Kh7 42.a7 Ra8 43.Kf4 Kh6 44.Ke5 Kg5 45.g3 h4 46.g4 g6 47.Ke4 Kf6 48.Kd5 b4 49.Kc4 Ke6 50.Kxb4 Kd6 51.Kb5 Kc7 52.Kc5 Kb7 53.Kb5 Rf8 54.Ne5 g5 55.Kc5 Kxa7 56.Kd6 Kb6 57.Ke6 Kc7 58.Nf7 Kc6 59.Ke7 Rg8 60.Kf6 Rf8 61.Kg7 Ra8 62.Nxg5 Ra3 63.Kg6 Kd6 64.Kh5 Ke5 65.Kxh4 Kf6 66.Ne4+ Kg6 67.Ng3 Ra1 68.Nf5 Ra8 69.Kg3 Rh8 70.h4 Ra8 71.Kf3 Ra4 72.Ne3 Kf6 73.Kg3 Kg6 74.Kf3 Ra3 75.Kf4 Ra4+ 76.Kg3 Ra3 77.Kf3 Ra4 78.Ng2 Ra3+ 79.Ne3 Ra4 80.Nd5 Ra3+ 81.Kf4 Ra1 82.h5+ Kh6 83.Ne3 Ra4+ 84.Kg3 Ra5 85.Kh4 Ra4 86.Nf5+ Kh7 87.Kg5 Ra8 88.Ne7 Rg8+ 89.Nxg8 1-0 (89) KhatanbaatarGM (2673)-spectraline (2502) Blitz 2024]

11...Kh8 12.Ng5 Qe8 13.Nxh7 Nh4 14.Nxf8 f4 15.Bc1 f3 16.Qd2 fxg2 17.Qd1 Na5 18.Bg5 Nxb3 19.axb3 Qxf8 20.Bxh4 exd4 21.Nd2 dxc3 22.bxc3 Qf4 23.Qh5+ Kg8 24.Nf3 Bxh3 25.Bg5 Qg3 26.Be3 Bg4 27.Qd5+ 1-0 (27) mila2010 (2699)-KGB_MI6_CIA (2381) Blitz 2025

10...Qe7 11.Nbd2 h6 12.Nf1 b5

13.Bc2 Na5 14.Ng3 Nc4 15.Bc1 c5 16.b3 Nb6 17.Be3 Rd8 18.d5 c4 19.Nf5 Qf6 20.g4 Nf4 21.Bxf4 exf4 22.N3d4 Bxf5 23.gxf5 Nd7 24.Qd2 b4 25.Qxf4 Ne5 26.Nc6 Nxc6 27.dxc6 Qxc3 28.Rac1 Qxh3 29.bxc4 Bd4 30.Bb3 a5 31.c5 Be5 32.Qe3 Qg4+ 33.Kf1 dxc5 34.Bd1 Qh4 35.Qf3 Rd2 36.Bb3 Bd4 37.Re2 Rd3 38.Qg2 Rh3 0-1 (38) Iran-first (2669)-KKlie4 (2876) Blitz 2023

10...exd4 11.cxd4 f5 12.exf5 Bxf5 13.Nc3 Kh8 14.Bb3 h6 15.Qd2 Bxh3 16.Bxh6 Rxf3 17.Bg5 Qd7 18.gxf3 Nxd4 19.Bd1 Ne5 20.Qf4 Kg8 21.Re4 Rf8 22.Qg3 Ndxf3+ 23.Kh1 Nxg5 24.Qxg5 Rxf2 25.Bb3+ Be6 26.Nd5 Rh2+ 27.Kxh2 Nf3+ 28.Kg3 Nxg5 29.Rae1 Nxe4+ 30.Rxe4 Bxd5 31.Bxd5+ Kh7 32.Be6 Qb5 33.Bf7 Qg5+ 34.Rg4 Qe3+ 35.Kg2 Qf2+ 36.Kh3 Qxf7 0-1 (36) mick_chess (2630)-usernamenotavail (2701) Blitz 2024

66 **11.Bxc6** bxc6 12.dxe5 Bxe3 13.Rxe3 dxe5 14.Qxd8 Rxd8 15.Nbd2 Be6 16.Nb3 Rab8 17.Nfd2 c5 18.c4 Nf4 19.Rc1 Rxd2 20.Nxd2 Rxb2 21.Rd1 Rxa2 22.h4 Bg4 23.f3 Bd7 24.g3 Ba4 25.Nb3 Ne2+ 26.Rxe2 Rxe2 27.Rd8+ Kh7 28.Nxc5 Ra2 29.Nxa6 Bd1 30.Rxd1 Rxa6 31.Rd7 Rc6 32.Rxf7 Rxc4 33.h5 Kg8 34.Re7 Rc5 35.Kf2 Kf8 36.Rd7 Rc3 37.Ke2 Rc5 38.Kd3 Kg8 39.Kd2 Kf8 40.Ke3 Kg8 41.Re7 Kf8 42.Rd7 Kg8 43.Kf2 Kf8 44.Kg2 Kg8 45.Kh3 Rc3 46.Kg4 c5 47.Re7 c4 48.Rxe5 Rd3 49.Rc5 c3 50.f4 Kf7 51.Kf5 Ke7 52.e5 Kd7 53.g4 Rf3 54.Rc4 Ke7 55.Kg6 Ke6 56.g5 Kd5 57.gxh6 gxh6 58.Rc7 Kd4 59.f5 Rg3+ 60.Kf6 Rf3 61.Rd7+ 1-0 (61) Liochess13 (2711)-spectraline (2603) Blitz 2023

67 **11...Nce7** 12.dxe5 Bxe3 13.Rxe3 Nxe5 14.Nxe5 dxe5 15.Nf3 Ng6 16.Rd3 Qf6 17.Bd7 Nf4 18.Rd2 Qg6 19.g3 Nxh3+ 20.Kh2 Bxd7 21.Nxe5 Qxe4 22.Nxd7 Ng5 23.Rd3 Rfe8 24.f4 Qe2+ 25.Kh1 Nh3 26.Qxe2 Rxe2 0-1 (26) Federtiu (2760)-NIndja64 (2888) Blitz 2021

11...Qf6 12.Bxc6 bxc6 13.dxe5 dxe5 14.Bxa7 Rxa7 15.Qe2 Nf4 16.Qe3 Rb7 17.Nb3 Bxh3 18.g3 Ng2 19.Qe2 Nxe1 20.Rxe1 Bg4 21.Kg2 a5 22.Nc5 Bxf3+ 23.Qxf3 Qxf3+ 24.Kxf3 Rxb2 0-1 (24) Firouzja,A (2737)-Nakamura,H (2794) chess.com INT 2024

11...exd4 12.cxd4 Nce7 13.d5 Bxe3 14.Rxe3 f5 15.Rc1 Nf4 16.Bb3 Kh8 17.Qc2 fxe4 18.Qxe4 Neg6 19.Nd4 c6 20.N2f3 c5 21.Ne6 Bxe6 22.dxe6 d5 23.e7 dxe4 24.exd8Q Raxd8 25.Rxe4 Nd3 26.Rc3 b5 27.Bc2 Ngf4 28.Bxd3 Nxd3 29.b3 Rd5 30.Re3 Rfd8 31.g3 Nb4 32.a3 Rd1+ 33.Re1 R1d3 34.Re3 Rxc3 35.Rxc3 Rd1+ 36.Kg2 Nd3 37.Rc2 Rb1 38.Rc3 Rd1 39.Rc2 Ra1 40.Rc3 c4 ½-½ (40) Ponomariov,R (2631)-Indjic,A (2612) Riga LAT 2021

12.Bxc6 bxc6 13.dxe5 dxe5 [13...Bxe3 14.Rxe3 dxe5 15.Nf1 Qf6 16.Ng3 Nf4 17.Qa4 Rb8 18.Qa5 Rxb2 19.Qa3 Rg8 20.Qxb2 Bxh3 21.gxh3 Nxh3+ 22.Kf1 Nf4 23.Ne2 Ng6 24.Rd1 Qe6 25.Nfg1 Qg4 26.Rg3 Qxe4 27.Qb1 Qh4 28.Rxg6 fxg6 29.Qxg6 Rf8 30.Qg3 Qe4 31.Rd3 Rb8 32.Rf3 Qb1+ 33.Kg2 Qxa2 34.Qxe5 a5 35.Nf4 Qf7 36.Rg3 Rb5 37.Qe4 Rf5

38.Ng6+ Kg8 39.Qxf5 1-0 (39) Tabatabaei,M (2695)-Sokhor,N (2251) chess.com INT 2024]
14.Bxa7 Rxa7 15.Qa4 Bd7 16.Rad1 Qe7 17.Qa5 Rb7 18.Nb3 Rb6 19.Qc5 Qe6 20.Nh4 Kg8 21.Nxg6 fxg6 22.Rd2 Bc8 23.Qe3 Qf6 24.Nc5 a5 25.a3 g5 26.b4 axb4 27.cxb4 g4 28.hxg4 Bxg4 29.f3 Bc8 30.Red1 Rb8 31.Rd3 h5 32.Qd2 h4 33.Rd8 h3 34.Rxf8+ Qxf8 35.Qd8 hxg2 36.Qxf8+ Kxf8 37.Rd8+ Ke7 38.Rg8 Kf7 39.Rh8 g5 40.Kxg2 Kg7 41.Rh1 g4 42.Kg3 gxf3 43.Kxf3 Kf6 44.Rh6+ Ke7 45.Rxc6 Bh3 46.Rxc7+ Kd6 47.Rh7 Rf8+ 48.Ke3 Bg2 49.Rh6+ Kc7 50.Ne6+ Kb7 51.Nxf8 1-0 (51) MikeGScarn (2857)-kartoGM (2670) Blitz 2021

[68] **9.dxe5** Qxd1
[9...Qe7 10.Bg5 f6 *(10...Qe6 11.Qb3 Qxb3 12.axb3 Bg4 13.Nbd2 h6 14.Be3 Bxe3 15.fxe3 0-0-0 16.h3 Bxf3 17.Nxf3 Rhe8 18.Kf2 Nxe5 19.Nxe5 Rxe5 20.Kf3 Rd2 21.Rf2 Rxf2+ 22.Kxf2 Rxe4 23.Ra5 f6 24.g4 Re5 25.Rxe5 fxe5 26.Kf3 Kd7 27.Ke4 Ke6 28.h4 c5 29.c4 c6 30.Kf3 b5 31.e4 Kd6 32.Ke3 Kc7 33.Kd3 Kb6 34.h5 a5 35.Kc3 Kc7 36.Kd3 Kd6 37.Ke3 Ke6 38.Ke2 Kf6 39.Kf3 g6 40.Kg3 gxh5 41.Kh4 hxg4 42.Kxg4 Kg6 43.Kh4 h5* 0-1 (43) Chess_Dog8 (2608)-solxe (2625) Blitz 2023*)* 11.exf6 gxf6 12.Bh6 Bd7 13.Nbd2 0-0-0 14.Qe2 Bg4 15.Be3 Nh4 16.Qc4 Nxf3+ 17.Nxf3 Bxf3 18.gxf3 Bxe3 19.fxe3 Rhg8+ 20.Kh1 Rg5 21.Rg1 Kb8 22.Rxg5 fxg5 23.Qe2 g4 24.Rd1 Rf8 25.fxg4 Qxe4+ 26.Qg2 Qxe3 27.Rf1 Rxf1+ 28.Qxf1 Qe4+ 29.Qg2 Qb1+ 30.Qg1 Qxb2 31.Qd4 Qb1+ 32.Kg2 Qxa2+ 33.Kg3 Qf7 34.h4 b5 35.h5 a5 36.h6 a4 37.Qg7 Qc4 38.Qxh7 Qxc3+ 39.Kh4 Qf6+ 40.Kh5 Kb7 41.Qg7 Qf3 42.h7 Qh3+ 43.Kg5 Qe3+ 44.Kg6 Qe4+ 45.Kf7 Qd5+ 46.Kf8 Qf3+ 47.Qf7 Qc3 48.Kg8 1-0 (48) czasnaszachy (2628)-HorstBrack (2583) Blitz 2022]
10.Rxd1 Bg4 11.Be3
[11.Re1 Bxf3 12.gxf3 Nxe5 13.Kg2 Nd3 14.Rd1 Nxf2 15.Rd2 Rd8 16.Rxf2 Bxf2 17.Kxf2 Rd1 18.Na3 f6 19.Nc2 Kf7 20.Bf4 Rxa1 21.Nxa1 Rc8 22.Nc2 c5 23.c4 Ke6 24.Ne3 c6 25.Ke2 b5 26.Bg3 g6 27.Bf2 Rb8 28.Kd3 Rd8+ 29.Kc2 Ke5 30.Ng4+ Kf4 31.Nxf6 bxc4 32.Bg3+ Kxf3 33.e5 Rd3 34.Nxh7 Re3 35.Nf8 Kg4 36.Nxg6 Kf5 37.Ne7+ Ke6 38.Nxc6 1-0 (38) JelenaZ (2661)-CaptainSploosh (2641) Blitz 2022]
[11.Nbd2 Nxe5 12.h3 Nxf3+ 13.Nxf3 Bd7 14.Ne5 Be6 15.Bf4 Bb6 16.Rd2 Rd8 17.Rxd8+ Kxd8 18.b3 Kc8 19.Rd1 f6 20.Ng4 Re8 21.Re1 Rd8 22.Kf1 Rd3 23.Rc1 Ba5 24.c4 b5 25.Ke2 Rd7 26.Ne3 Bb6 27.g4 Kb7 28.Nf5 Bxf5 29.gxf5 Bd4 30.f3 c5 31.Be3 c6 32.Rg1 Kb6 33.h4 Ka5 34.Bd2+ Kb6 35.Rg2 h6 36.f4 Ba1 37.Be3 Bd4 38.Rg3 bxc4 39.bxc4 Ka5 40.Bd2+ Ka4 41.Rb3 Ba1 42.Rb6 a5 43.Rxc6 Ka3 44.Bxa5 Bd4 45.Bb6 Kb4 46.Rc7 Kxc4 47.Rxd7 1-0 (47) KDB_Magic78 (2617)-mocaspoke (2600) Blitz 2021]
11...Bxe3 12.fxe3 Rd8 13.Nbd2 0-0 14.h3 Bc8 15.Nc4 h6 16.Kf2 Rfe8 17.a4 b6 18.b4 Be6 19.Nb2 Bb3 20.Rxd8 Rxd8 21.Ke2 Kf8 22.a5 b5 23.Nd2 Be6 24.Nd3 Bc8 25.Nf3 Be6 26.Nc5 Bc8 27.Rd1 Rxd1 28.Kxd1

Ke7 29.Kd2 Nf8 30.Nd4 Nd7 31.Nxc6+ Ke8 32.Nxd7 Kxd7 33.Nd4 Bb7 34.Kd3 c5 35.bxc5 Bc8 36.Nf5 Ke6 37.Kd4 g6 38.Nxh6 1-0 (38) tryhard122 (2724)-gmmitkov (2595) Blitz 2022

9.h3 0-0 10.Be3

[10.dxe5 Qe8 11.Nbd2 Nxe5 12.Qe2 Ng6 13.Nb3 h6 14.Re1 Be6 15.Nbd4 Bd7 16.b3 Qe7 17.Nf5 Qf6 18.g4 Rfe8 19.e5 Qd8 20.Qc2 Ne7 21.Kh2 Qc8 22.N3h4 Ng6 23.Nxg6 fxg6 24.Ng3 g5 25.f4 gxf4 26.Bxf4 Rf8 27.Rf1 Be6 28.Bxh6 Qe8 29.Rxf8+ Qxf8 30.Rf1 Qe7 31.Qg6 Rf8 32.Bxg7 Qxg7 33.Qxe6+ Kh8 34.Rf6 Rxf6 35.Qxf6 Kg8 36.Qxg7+ Kxg7 37.Nf5+ Kg6 38.Kg3 Bc5 39.h4 Bf8 40.Kf4 b5 41.h5+ Kf7 42.g5 a5 43.g6+ Kg8 44.h6 c5 45.e6 Bxh6+ 46.Nxh6+ Kg7 47.Kg5 Kf8 48.Nf5 Ke8 49.Kf6 b4 50.g7 Kd8 51.g8Q# 1-0 (51) borisov_maxim (2648)-Calzonesdesuperman (2588) Blitz 2023]

10...Qe7 11.Nbd2 Be6 12.Re1 Rad8 13.Qc2 Kh8 14.Rad1 f6 15.Kh1 Bb8 16.b4 Qf7 17.a4 h6 18.Rb1 Rde8 19.b5 axb5 20.axb5 cxb5 21.Rxb5 c6 22.Rb2 Bd6 23.Reb1 Re7 24.Ra1 f5 25.dxe5 Nxe5 26.Nxe5 Bxe5 27.f4 Bb8 28.e5 Bd5 29.c4 Be6 30.Rab1 Rd8 31.Rc1 Red7 32.Nf3 Rd3 33.Qe2 Bxc4 34.Qf2 Bd5 35.Kh2 Bxf3 36.gxf3 Qh5 37.Rg1 R8d7 38.Rg2 Qe8 39.Re2 Qe6 40.Bc5 Bc7 41.Bb6 Bd8 42.Bxd8 Rxd8 43.Qg3 R8d7 44.Ref2 Qc4 45.Rf1 R3d4 46.Ra1 Rd2 47.Ra8+ Qg8 48.Rxg8+ Kxg8 49.Rxd2 Rxd2+ 50.Kg1 Rd1+ 51.Kf2 Rb1 52.Qg6 Rb2+ 53.Kg3 b5 54.Qe8+ Kh7 55.Qxc6 Rb3 1-0 (55) beast2020 (2691)-Alfredo2345 (2538) Blitz 2025

9.d5 cxd5 10.exd5 0-0 11.c4 Bf5 12.Nc3 Qd7 13.Re1 Rfe8 14.Be3 Bxe3 15.Rxe3 Rad8 16.c5 f6 17.Qb3 Kh8 18.Qxb7 Rb8 19.Qxa6 Rxb2 20.Rd1 Nf4 21.d6 Bc2 22.c6 Qg4 23.g3 Bxd1 24.Nxd1 Rb1 25.Qf1 cxd6 26.Kh1 Nd5 27.Rd3 e4 28.Rxd5 Qxf3+ 29.Kg1 e3 30.Rd3 exf2+ 31.Qxf2 Qxd3 32.Kg2 Rxd1 33.c7 Rd2 34.c8Q Rxf2+ 35.Kxf2 Rxc8 36.Kg2 Rc2+ 37.Kh3 Qf5+ 38.g4 Qf3+ 39.Kh4 Rxh2# 0-1 (39) SherlockHomles (2657)-I_T_A_C_H_I (2632) Blitz 2022

69 **10...Qe7** 11.Qf3

[11.Qh5

A) 11...h6

A1) 12.Na3 g6 13.Qf3 Qxe5 14.Bf4 Qe7 15.Qg3 Bb8 16.Nc4 Be6 17.Ne5 Ba7 18.Rad1 h5 19.h4 Rd8 20.Bg5 f6 21.Nxg6 Qg7 22.Rxd8+ Kxd8 23.Qe5 1-0 (23) ice2breaker (2706)-solxe (2637) Blitz 2024;

A2) 12.Nd2 Be6 *(12...Bd7 13.Nc4 Be6 14.Ne3 g6 15.Qe2 0-0-0 16.Nc2 Qh4 17.Kh1 g5 18.f3 g4 19.Be3 Bxe3 20.Nxe3 gxf3 21.Qxf3 Rd2 22.Nf5 Qg5 23.Rf2 Rhd8 24.Nd4 Rxf2 25.Qxf2 Qxe5 26.Nxe6 fxe6 27.Qa7 Rd2 28.Qa8+ Kd7 29.Qxb7 Qxe4 30.Rg1 Qe2 31.h3 Rxb2 32.Qa8 Rxa2 33.Qf8 h5 34.Qg7+ Kc8 35.Rb1 Rb2 36.Ra1 Kb7 37.c4 e5 38.Kh2 Qe4 39.Rf1 h4 40.Rf7 Kb6 41.c5+ Kb5 42.Qg5 a5 43.Rf8 Ka6 44.Qg8 Rb7 45.Ra8+ Kb5 46.Qb3+ Qb4 47.Qd3+ Kxc5 48.Qe3+ Kb5 49.Qxe5+ c5 50.Qe8+ c6*

51.Qe2+ Kb6 52.Ra6+ Kc7 53.Qe7+ Kc8 54.Ra8+ Rb8 55.Qe8+ Kc7 56.Ra7+ Rb7 57.Qe7+ Kb8 58.Rxb7+ Qxb7 59.Qd8+ Ka7 60.Qxa5+ Kb8 61.Qd8+ Ka7 62.Qxh4 Qb4 63.Qe7+ Kb6 64.h4 Qf4+ 65.g3 Qf2+ 66.Kh3 Qf5+ 67.Kg2 Qd5+ 68.Kf2 c4 69.h5 Qxh5 70.Qd8+ Kb5 71.Qb8+ Ka4 72.Qa8+ Kb3 73.Qxc6 Qf5+ 74.Ke1 Qe5+ 75.Kd1 Qd4+ 76.Kc1 Qe3+ 77.Kd1 Qd3+ 78.Ke1 c3 79.Qe6+ Kb2 80.Qe5 Kb1 81.Qb8+ Kc1 82.Qf4+ Qd2+ 83.Kf1 Qxf4+ 84.gxf4 Kb2 0-1 (84) Kovalev,V (2603)-Le,T (2557) chess.com INT 2023 *)* 13.Qe2 0-0-0 14.Nf3 Bg4 15.Be3 Bxe3 16.Qxe3 Bxf3 17.Qxf3 Qxe5 18.Rad1 Qe6 19.b3 a5 20.g3 b6 21.Kg2 Kb7 22.Rd3 Rhe8 23.Re1 a4 24.c4 Rxd3 25.Qxd3 axb3 26.axb3 Qe5 27.f4 Qe7 28.Rd1 g5 29.fxg5 hxg5 30.Qf3 Ra8 31.Rd2 Ra1 32.Rf2 Re1 33.Qxf7 Qxe4+ 34.Qf3 Qb1 35.Re2 Rg1+ 36.Kh3 Rf1 37.Qe4 Qxb3 38.Kg4 Rc1 39.Re3 Qb4 40.Kxg5 Rxc4 41.Qf3 Qc5+ 42.Kg6 Qd6+ 43.Qf6 Rg4+ 44.Kf7 Qd5+ 45.Re6 Qh5+ 46.Ke7 Rg8 47.Qf7 Qg5+ 48.Qf6 Qd5 49.Kf7 Rc8 50.g4 b5 51.g5 Qd7+ 52.Re7 Qd5+ 53.Re6 Qd7+ 54.Qe7 Qd5 55.g6 Qh5 56.h4 Qh6 57.Qg5 Qf8# 0-1 (57) Nihal,S (2680)-Le,T (2567) chess.com INT 2024;

A3) 12.Bf4 g6 *(12...Bd7 13.Nd2 0-0-0 14.Nb3 g6 15.Qe2 g5 16.Be3 c5 17.f3 Qxe5 18.Qf2 b6 19.Rfd1 Be6 20.Qe2 Kb7 21.Nd2 b5 22.Nb3 c4 23.Nd4 Bd7 24.Nc2 c5 25.Rd5 Qe7 26.Rad1 Be6 27.Rxd8 Rxd8 28.Rxd8 Qxd8 29.Qd2 Qd3 30.Ne1 Qb1 31.Kf1 Kc8 32.Qd6 Qxb2 33.Qxa6+ Kb8 34.Qd6+ Kb7 35.Bxc5 Bxc5 36.Qxc5 Qxc3 37.Qxb5+ Kc7 38.a4 Qb3 39.Qc5+ Kb7 40.a5 Ka6 41.Kf2 Qa2+ 42.Ke3 Qxa5 43.Qxa5+ Kxa5 44.Kd4 Kb4 45.Nc2+ Kb3 46.Ne3 c3 47.Kd3 Bc8 48.Ke2 Ba6+ 49.Kd1 Kb2 50.g3 Bd3 51.f4 Bxe4 52.fxg5 hxg5 53.h4 gxh4 54.gxh4 f5* 0-1 (54) No_Move_Left (2627)-mocaspoke (2558) Blitz 2021*)* 13.Qf3 *(13.Qe2 g5 14.Bg3 h5 15.h3 h4 16.Bh2 g4 17.hxg4 Rg8 18.Kh1 Bxg4 19.f3 Be6 20.Nd2 0-0-0 21.Nb3 Rg3 22.Nd4 Rdg8 23.Rf2 Bd7 24.Rd1 Qxe5 25.f4 Qe7 26.f5 Qe5 27.Qh5 Qxe4 28.Bxg3 hxg3 29.Re2 Qf4 30.Kg1 Bb6 31.Qf3 Qh4 32.Re4 Qh6 33.Kf1 c5 34.Nb3 c4 35.Nd4 Rg5 36.Ke2 Kb8 37.Re7 Bxd4 38.Rxd4 Rxf5 39.Qe3 Qh5+ 40.Kd2 Rf2+ 41.Kc1 Bc6* 0-1 (41) randy_segarra (2685)-merci_mon_ami (2859) Blitz 2023 *)* 13...g5 14.Be3 Bxe3 15.Qxe3 Qxe5 16.Nd2 Be6 17.Rfd1 b6 18.Nf3 Qf6 19.Nd4 Bd7 20.e5 Qe7 21.Qe4 0-0 22.Nxc6 Bxc6 23.Qxc6 Qxe5 24.Qxh6 Rad8 25.Qh5 Kg7 26.h4 f6 27.Re1 Rh8 28.Qxh8+ Kxh8 29.Rxe5 fxe5 30.hxg5

Rd2 31.Re1 Rxb2 32.Rxe5 c5 33.f4 Rxa2 34.f5 1-0 (34) MELND-777 (2783)-HorstBrack (2550) Blitz 2022;

B) 11...Bd7 12.Qg5 h6 13.Qxg7 0-0-0 14.Qf6 Qe8 15.Bxh6 Qg8 16.Qg7 Qe8 17.Bg5 Rg8 18.Qf6 Rxg5 19.Qxg5 Qh8 20.Qf6 Qh5 21.Na3 Rg8 22.Rad1 Rg6 23.Qf4 Rg4 24.Qf3 Qg5 25.Rxd7 Kxd7 26.Qf5+ Qxf5 27.exf5 Re4 28.Rd1+ Ke8 29.Kf1 Rxe5 30.g4 Re4 31.h3 Rf4 32.Rd2 Rf3 33.Kg2 Rf4 34.Nc2 Ra4 35.a3 c5 36.Ne3 Re4 37.Nd5 Kf8 38.Nxc7 Bb8 39.Rd8+ Kg7 40.Rxb8 Re2 41.Rxb7 Rxb2 42.Rxb2 Kf6 43.Re2 Kg5 44.Nd5 f6 45.Kg3 Kh6 46.f4 Kg7 47.Re7+ Kh6 48.h4 c4 49.g5+ 1-0 (49) onewaytraffic (2627)-BarbDefcon1 (2584) Blitz 2022;

C) 11...g6 12.Qg5 Qxg5 13.Bxg5 0-0 14.Nd2 Re8 15.Bf6 Be6 16.b3 Bc5 17.Rad1 a5 18.Nf3 Bf8 19.Nd4 Bc8 20.f4 a4 21.b4 a3 22.Rd2 Ra6 23.h3 c5 24.Nb5 Rc6 25.Na7 Rb6 26.Nxc8 Rxc8 27.bxc5 Bxc5+ 28.Kh2 Kf8 29.Rfd1 Be7 30.Bxe7+ Kxe7 31.Rd7+ Ke8 32.R7d4 Rb2 33.R1d2 Ra8 34.g4 Rxd2+ 35.Rxd2 Ra5 36.Kg3 Rb5 37.Kf3 Rb2 38.Ke3 Rb1 39.f5 Rh1 40.Kf4 Rxh3 41.e6 gxf5 42.gxf5 fxe6 43.f6 Rxc3 44.Ke5 Rc6 45.Rg2 Kf8 46.Rg7 h5 47.Rh7 b5 48.Rh8+ Kf7 49.Rh7+ Kg8 50.Rxh5 b4 51.Rg5+ Kf8 52.Rg3 Rb6 53.Rh3 b3 54.Rh8+ Kf7 55.Rh7+ Kg8 56.f7+ Kf8 57.axb3 a2 0-1 (57) UnknownM8 (2608)-solxe (2700) Blitz 2023;

D) 11...0-0 12.Nd2 *(12.Bf4 f6 13.Nd2 fxe5 14.Qxe5 Qxe5 15.Bxe5 Re8 16.Bxc7 Be6 17.Rfe1 Rac8 18.Bf4 Rcd8 19.Nf3 h6 20.Be3 Bxe3 21.Rxe3 g5 22.Nd4 Bc8 23.b4 a5 24.a3 Re5 25.f3 axb4 26.axb4 c5 27.bxc5 Rxc5 28.Rb1 h5 29.Kf2 Kg7 30.Rb5 Rxb5 31.Nxb5 Rd2+ 32.Re2 Rd1 33.Ke3 h4 34.Rd2 Rb1 35.Nd6 Be6 36.g3 h3 37.f4 Bg4 38.e5 Re1+ 39.Kd4 gxf4 40.gxf4 Rf1 41.f5 Bxf5 42.Nxf5+ Rxf5 43.Kd5 Kf7 44.Kd6 Ke8 45.Ra2 Rf3 46.Ra8+ Kf7 47.e6+ Kg7 48.e7 Rd3+ 49.Kc5 Rxc3+ 50.Kb4 Re3 51.e8Q Rxe8 52.Rxe8 Kg6 53.Re3 Kg5 54.Rxh3 Kg4 55.Rg3+ Kh4 56.Kb5* 1-0 (56) ertras (2609)-Fightbro (2609) Blitz 2023*)* 12...g6 *(12...f5 13.exf6 Rxf6 14.Nf3 h6 15.Nd4 Qxe4 16.Be3 Rg6 17.Qf3 Qxf3 18.Nxf3 Bh3 19.Nh4 Rg4 20.Bxa7 Rxa7 21.Rfd1 g5 22.Kf1 Rxh4 23.gxh3 Rxh3 24.Rd8+ Kg7 25.Kg2 Rh4 26.Re1 b5 27.Re7+ Kf6 28.Rdd7 c5 29.Rxc7 Rxc7 30.Rxc7 Ra4 31.a3 b4 32.cxb4 cxb4 33.Rc4 a5 34.axb4 axb4 35.Rc6+ Kf5 36.Rxh6 Ra2 37.b3 Rb2 38.Rh3 Rc2 39.Re3 Kf4 40.h3 Rc3 41.Rg3 Rc2 42.Rg4+ Kf5 43.Rxb4 Rb2 44.Rb5+ Kf4 45.b4 Rb3 46.Rb6 Kf5 47.Rb8 Kg6 48.b5 Kg7 49.b6 Kh7 50.Kf1 Kg7 51.b7 Rb2 52.Ke1 Kh7 53.Kd1 Kg7 54.Kc1 Rb6 55.Kc2 Rb4 56.Kd3 Rb1 57.Ke4 Rb5 58.Kd4 Kh7 59.Ke4 Kg7 60.Kf3 Rb4 61.Kg3 Rb3+ 62.Kg4 Rb5 63.Kh5 Kh7 64.f3 Rb4 65.h4 Rb5* 0-1 (65) persianking2000 (2773)-

Dekelija (2737) Blitz 2024*)* 13.Qh6 Qxe5 14.Nf3 Qg7 15.Qh4 h5 16.Bf4 f6 17.Qg3 Bb6 18.e5 Bg4 19.exf6 Qxf6 20.Be5 Qf7 21.Ng5 Qf5 22.h4 Be2 23.Bd4 Bxf1 24.Rxf1 Qf4 25.Qd3 Qf5 26.Qc4+ Qd5 27.Qd3 Rf5 28.Qe3 c5 29.Qe7 cxd4 30.Qh7+ Kf8 31.Re1 dxc3 32.Qe7+ Kg8 33.Qh7+ Kf8 34.Qe7+ Kg8 35.Qh7+ Kf8 ½-½ (35) JumanjiWasReal (2791)-doreality1991 (2763) Blitz 2022]

[11.Bf4 g5 *(11...0-0 12.Nd2 Be6 13.Qe2 Rad8 14.Be3 c5 15.f4 Bd7 16.Nf3 Bc6 17.Bf2 b5 18.f5 Bb6 19.Kh1 f6 20.e6 c4 21.Bxb6 cxb6 22.Rad1 Rd6 23.Rxd6 Qxd6 24.e5 fxe5 25.Nxe5 Bd5 26.h3 h6 27.Ng6 Re8 28.Rd1 Qc6 29.Qg4 Kh7 30.Ne5 Qd6 31.Qg6+* 1-0 (31) AlexD64 (2620)-simplesimpson03 (2444) Blitz 2024 *)*

A) 12.Bg3 h5 13.h3

A1) 13...h4 14.Bh2

A1a) 14...Rg8 15.Nd2 *(15.Kh1 g4 16.hxg4 Bxg4 17.f3 Be6 18.f4 h3 19.g3 Bg4 20.Qe1 0-0-0 21.Nd2 Rd3 22.Bg1 Bxg1 23.Rxg1 Rgd8 24.Nf1 Bf3+ 25.Kh2 Qc5 26.Rc1 Bg4 27.Rc2 Rd1 28.Qf2 Qb5 29.Ne3 Rxg1 30.Qxg1 Qd3 31.Qf2 Bd1 32.Nxd1 Qxd1 33.Qe2 Qb1 34.Rd2 Rg8 35.f5 Qxa2 36.c4 Qa5 37.e6 fxe6 38.f6 Qe5 39.Qf3 Rf8 40.Rf2 a5 41.Kxh3 a4 42.Kg2 b5 43.Qf4 Qd4 44.e5 Qd3 45.cxb5 cxb5 46.g4 Qd5+ 47.Qf3 c6 48.Qxd5 exd5 49.Kg3 Kd7 50.Kf4 Ke6 51.g5 c5 52.g6 b4 53.g7 Rg8 54.Kg5 a3 55.bxa3 bxa3 56.Kg6 a2 57.f7 Rxg7+ 58.Kxg7 a1Q 59.f8Q Qxe5+ 60.Qf6+ Kd7* 1-0 (60) Ute-Manfred (2615)-NTDVAN (2621) Blitz 2021*)* 15...g4 16.hxg4 Bxg4 17.Nf3 Rd8 18.Qe2 Rd2 0-1 (18) jahveni (2648)-kichot78 (2554) Blitz 2024;

A1b) 14...g4 15.hxg4

A1b1) 15...Qg5 16.Kh1 Bxg4 17.f3 Bh5 18.Qd2 Be3 19.Qd3 Rd8 20.Qe2 Bf4 21.e6 fxe6 22.Qc4 Kf7 23.Bxf4 Qxf4 24.Na3 h3 25.g4 Rd2 Normal 0-1 (25) Aggressive-Python (2712)-Hard-Training (2634) Blitz 2024;

A1b2) 15...h3

A1b21) 16.gxh3 Rxh3 17.Kg2 Rxh2+ 18.Kxh2 Qh4+ 19.Kg2 Bxg4 20.Qd3 *(20.Rh1 Qxf2#* 0-1 (20) samisahi (2643)-MikeGScarn (2833) Blitz 2020 *)* 20...Bd7 21.Qg3 Qxe4+ 22.Kg1 0-0-0 23.Nd2 Qh7 24.Nf3 Rg8 25.Ng5 Qh5 26.Ne4 Rxg3+ 27.Nxg3 Qf3 28.Kh2 Bxf2 29.Nh1 Qh3# 0-1 (29) Muhammadali77 (2681)-NIndja64 (2818) Blitz 2021;

A1b22) 16.Bg3 Qg5 17.Qf3 Bxg4 18.Qf4 Qh5 19.e6 fxe6 0-1 (19) Derrick3110 (2693)-Ural_bogatyr (2599) Blitz 2023;

A1b3) 15...Rg8 16.Qb3 Rxg4 17.Kh1 h3 18.gxh3 Rh4 19.Rg1 Kf8 20.Rg3 Bxf2 21.Rf3 Bb6 22.Nd2 Bxh3 23.Nc4 Be6 24.Raf1 Rxh2+ 25.Kxh2 Qh4+ 26.Kg2 Qg4+ 27.Kh2 Qh5+ 28.Kg2 Qg6+ 29.Kh2 Kg7 30.Rg3 Rh8+ 31.Kg2 Bg4 32.Qc2 Rh3 33.Rxh3 Bxh3+ 34.Kxh3 Qh5+ 35.Kg3 Qg5+ 36.Kf3 Qh5+ 37.Kg2 Qg4+ 38.Kh1 Qh3+ 0-1 (38) Corre_por_tu_vida (2725)-CrazyTogether (2743) Blitz 2022;

A2) 13...Be6 14.Na3 Rd8 15.Qe2 Rd7 16.Nc2 Kd8 17.Rad1 Kc8 18.Rxd7 Bxd7 19.Nd4 h4 20.Bh2 Re8 21.Nf5 Qc5 22.Qh5 Qc4 23.Qxf7 Qxf7 0-1 (23) Corre_por_tu_vida (2670)-misterbluff (2777) Blitz 2024;

A3) 13...Bd7 14.Nd2 *(14.Qf3 Rh6 15.Rd1 0-0-0 16.e6 Rxe6 17.Qxh5 Rxe4 18.Nd2 Re2 19.Nf3 Rxb2 20.Nxg5 Rg8 21.Qxf7 Qxf7 22.Nxf7 Rxg3* 0-1 (22) MELND-777 (2682)-solxe (2715) Blitz 2023*)* 14...0-0-0 15.Qe2 h4 16.Bh2 g4 17.hxg4 Rdg8 18.Kh1 Bxg4 19.f3 Be6 20.Nc4 Rg3 21.Ne3 Qg5 22.f4 Qg8 23.Rf3 Bg4 24.Nxg4 Qxg4 25.Re1 Qg8 26.f5 Rg4 27.e6 fxe6 28.f6 h3 29.Rxh3 Rxh3 30.gxh3 Rh4 31.Qf3 Bc5 32.Rf1 Qf7 33.Qg3 Rh7 34.e5 b5 35.Bg1 Bxg1 36.Rxg1 Kb7 37.Kh2 Qh5 38.Re1 Rd7 39.Qf2 a5 40.a3 a4 41.Re3 Qg5 42.Rg3 Qxe5 43.f7 Rxf7 44.Qxf7 Qe2+ 45.Rg2 Qe5+ 46.Kg1 Qe3+ 47.Qf2 Qc1+ 48.Kh2 Qg5 49.Qg3 Qd5 50.h4 e5 51.Qg5 e4 52.Qxd5 cxd5 53.h5 d4 54.h6 d3 55.h7 e3 56.h8Q d2 57.Qd4 c6 58.Qxe3 d1Q 59.Rg7+ Ka6 60.Qa7# 1-0 (60) Dynamikus (2728)-mocaspoke (2599) Blitz 2021;

B) 12.Bc1 Qxe5 13.Nd2 g4 14.Nc4 Qf6 15.Be3 c5 16.Qd2 Be6 17.Bg5 Qg7 18.Na5 h6 19.Bh4 Qe5 20.Rad1 Kf8 21.c4 Bb6 22.b3 Kg7 23.Nxb7 Qxe4 24.Nd8 Rhxd8 25.Bxd8 a5 26.Rfe1 Qf5 27.Qc3+ Kg8 28.Bf6 a4 29.Bh8 Qh7 30.Rxe6 fxe6 31.Be5 axb3 32.axb3 Rf8 33.Qe3 Qf5 34.Bc3 e5 35.Bxe5 Kh7 36.Bg3 Rf7 37.Qe8 Qf6 38.Qc8 Qf5 39.Qxf5+ Rxf5 40.Rd7+ Kg6 41.Bxc7 Bxc7 42.Rxc7 Re5 43.g3 Re1+ 44.Kg2 Rb1 45.Rc6+ Kg7 46.Rxc5 Rxb3 47.Rc8 Rc3 48.c5 h5 49.c6 Rc2 50.c7 Rc3 51.h3 Rc2 52.hxg4 hxg4 53.Kg1 Rc1+ 54.Kg2 Kh7 55.f4 gxf3+ 56.Kxf3 Kg7 57.g4 Rc3+ 58.Ke4 Rc1 59.Kd5 Rd1+ 60.Ke4 Re1+ 61.Kf3 Rc1 62.g5 Rc4 63.g6 Rc5 64.Ke4 Rc1 65.Kd3 Rd1+ 66.Kc2 Rd6 67.Rg8+ Kxg8 68.c8Q+ Kg7 69.Qc7+ Kxg6 70.Qxd6+ Kf5 ½-½ (70) Corre_por_tu_vida (2667)-FraDoNicks (2751) Blitz 2021;

C) 12.Be3 Bxe3 13.fxe3 Qxe5 *(13...Be6 14.Nd2 0-0-0 15.Qe1 Qc5 16.Nf3 h6 17.Qf2 Bc4 18.Rfd1 Bd3 19.h3 Bxe4 20.Rd4 Bxf3 21.Qxf3 Qxe5 22.Rad1 f5 23.Kf2 Rxd4 24.exd4 Qe6 25.Re1*

Qxa2 26.Qxf5+ Kb8 27.Re2 Qd5 28.Qxd5 cxd5 29.Re6 c6 30.Kg3 a5 31.Kg4 Ka7 32.Kh5 Kb6 33.Rxh6 Re8 34.Kxg5 Re2 35.g4 Rxb2 36.Rh8 Ka7 37.Rf8 Rc2 38.h4 Rxc3 39.h5 Rh3 40.h6 b5 41.Kg6 b4 42.h7 b3 43.Rf3 Rxh7 44.Rxb3 Rh4 45.Kg5 Rh1 46.Kf5 Rf1+ 47.Ke5 Rg1 48.Kd6 a4 49.Rb4 Ka6 50.Kxc6 Rc1+ 51.Kxd5 Ka5 52.Rb8 a3 53.g5 Ka4 54.Ra8+ Kb3 55.Ke6 a2 56.g6 a1Q 57.Rxa1 Rxa1 58.g7 Rg1 59.Kf7 Kc4 60.g8Q Rxg8 61.Kxg8 Kxd4 ½-½ (61) Kovalev,V (2634)-Ivanisevic,I (2604) chess.com INT 2021) 14.Qd4 Qxd4 15.exd4 0-0 *(15...Be6 16.Nd2 0-0-0 17.Rf6 Rhg8 18.Nf3 a5 19.a3 Bb3 20.Ne5 Rge8 21.Re1 c5 22.Nxf7 Bxf7 23.Rxf7 cxd4 24.Rxh7 d3 25.Rf7 d2 26.Rd1 Rxe4 27.Kf2 a4 28.Rf3 Re5 29.g4 Rb5 30.Rf5 Rxb2 31.Rxg5 Rb3 32.c4 Rxa3 33.Rd5 Rxd5 34.cxd5 Rd3 35.Ke2 Rxd5 36.h4 Kd7 37.h5 Ke6 38.h6 Kf6 39.Rxd2 Rxd2+ 40.Kxd2 Kg6 41.g5 b5 42.Kc3 c5 43.Kc2 b4 44.Kb2 c4 45.Kc2 a3 46.Kc1* 0-1 (46) SherlockHomles (2630)-solxe (2588) Blitz 2023*)* 16.Nd2 f5 17.g3 Kg7 18.Rae1 fxe4 19.Nxe4 Rxf1+ 20.Rxf1 Bh3 21.Re1 Re8 22.Kf2 h6 23.Nc5 Rxe1 24.Kxe1 Bc8 25.c4 Kf6 26.Kf2 b6 27.Nd3 Be6 28.b3 a5 29.Ke3 a4 30.Nb4 axb3 31.axb3 b5 32.Kd3 bxc4+ 33.bxc4 Bd7 34.Na6 Kf5 35.Ke3 Kg4 36.Kf2 Kh3 37.Kg1 Be6 38.c5 Kg4 39.Nxc7 Bc4 40.Kf2 Kh3 41.d5 cxd5 42.c6 d4 43.Ne8 Kxh2 44.Nd6 Ba6 45.c7 d3 46.Ne4 Kh3 47.Ke3 Kg4 48.Kd2 Kf3 49.Nc5 Bc8 50.Kxd3 Kxg3 51.Ke4 h5 52.Ke5 h4 53.Ne4+ Kg4 54.Kf6 h3 55.Nf2+ Kg3 56.Nxh3 Kxh3 57.Kxg5 Ba6 58.Kf6 Bb7 59.Ke7 Ba6 60.Kd8 Bb7 61.c8Q+ Bxc8 ½-½ (61) Elbece (2756)-mocaspoke (2592) Blitz 2021]

[11.Nd2 Qxe5 12.Nf3 Qh5 *(12...Qe7 13.e5 Bg4 14.Bg5 Qe6 15.h3 h6 16.hxg4 hxg5 17.Nxg5 Qh6 18.Nh3 Rd8 19.Qf3 Rd2 20.Rad1 Rxb2 21.e6 fxe6 22.g5 Qh5 23.Qe4 0-0 24.Qxe6+ Qf7 25.Qxf7+ Rxf7 26.g6 Rf8 27.Rd7 Bb6 28.Re1 Rbxf2 29.Ree7 R2f6+ 30.Kh2 Rxg6 31.c4 Bc5 32.Re4 Bd6+ 33.Kg1 Bc5+ 34.Kh2 Bd6+ 35.Kg1 a5 36.Nf2 Bc5 37.Re2 Rgf6 38.Rdd2 b5* 0-1 (38) xjz (2605)-mocaspoke (2591) Blitz 2021*)* 13.Re1 Bg4 14.Be3 Rd8 15.Qe2 Bxf3 16.gxf3 Bxe3 17.Qxe3 Rd6 18.Rad1 Rf6 19.f4 Qg4+ 20.Qg3 Qxf4 21.Rd4 Rg6 0-1 (21) persianking2000 (2669)-Lorika_Hamata (2837) Blitz 2024]

11...Qxe5 12.Bf4

[12.Be3 0-0 13.Bxa7 Rxa7 14.Qe3 Ra8 15.Nd2 *(15.f4 Qe7 16.Nd2 f6 17.Rae1 Be6 18.Nb3 Bc4 19.Rf2 Rad8 20.Qc5 Qxc5 21.Nxc5 b6 22.b3 bxc5 23.bxc4 Rd3 24.e5 Rxc3 25.Rd2 Rxc4 26.e6 Rxf4 27.Rd7 Rd4 28.Rxc7 Rd6 29.Ra7 Re8 30.e7 Kf7 31.Rxa6 Rxe7 32.Rxe7+ Kxe7 33.Ra7+ Rd7 34.Ra5 Kd6 35.Ra8 c4 36.Kf2 Kc5 37.Rh8 c3 38.Rb8 c2* 0-1 (37) Matte03 (2619)-BarbDefcon1 (2607) Blitz 2022*)* 15...Re8 *(15...Qe7 16.Nf3 Bg4 17.Nd4 Rad8 18.f3 Bc8*

19.Rad1 c5 20.Ne2 b6 21.Nf4 Bb7 22.Qe2 Rd6 23.Rxd6 Qxd6 24.e5 Qh6 25.Qe3 Rd8 26.Re1 Bc8 27.a3 a5 28.g3 Qc6 29.Kg2 h6 30.h4 Be6 31.g4 c4 32.Kg3 Qb5 33.Re2 Rd1 34.g5 hxg5 35.hxg5 Qc5 36.Qxc5 bxc5 37.Nxe6 fxe6 38.Re4 Rd2 39.Rxc4 Rxb2 40.Rxc5 Rb3 41.Rxc7 Rxa3 42.g6 Kf8 43.Rc8+ Ke7 44.Rg8 Rxc3 45.Rxg7+ Kf8 46.Ra7 Rc1 47.Kg4 Rg1+ 48.Kh5 Rg3 49.Kh6 Rh3+ 50.Kg5 Rg3+ 51.Kf6 Rxf3+ 52.Kxe6 Rg3 53.Rxa5 Rxg6+ 54.Kd7 Kf7 55.Ra1 Rg2 56.Rf1+ Kg7 57.e6 Rd2+ 58.Ke8 Rd3 59.e7 Rd4 60.Rf5 Rd2 61.Rc5 Rd3 62.Rc7 Rd4 63.Rd7 Ra4 64.Rc7 Rd4 65.Rd7 Ra4 66.Kd8 Ra8+ 67.Kc7 Kf7 68.Rd8 1-0 (67) Alex_Muezersky (2650)-Chessi9 (2643) Blitz 2022*)* 16.Rfe1 b6 17.Qg3 Bb7 18.Qxe5 Rxe5 19.f3 c5 20.Nc4 Ree8 21.Rad1 Rad8 22.Kf2 Kf8 23.g4 f6 24.h4 Kf7 25.Kg3 a5 26.Ne3 Bc8 27.g5 Be6 28.gxf6 gxf6 29.a3 Bb3 30.Rxd8 Rxd8 31.Re2 Be6 32.Kf4 a4 33.Rg2 h5 34.Nf5 Bxf5 35.Kxf5 Rd3 36.f4 Rf3 37.Rh2 Rf1 38.e5 fxe5 39.Kxe5 Re1+ 40.Kf5 Rg1 41.Ke5 Re1+ 42.Kd5 Rf1 43.Kc6 Rxf4 44.Kxc7 Rf6 45.Rg2 Re6 46.Rg5 Re2 47.Kxb6 Rxb2+ 48.Ka5 Rb3 49.Kxa4 Rxc3 50.Rxh5 Kg6 51.Rd5 Kf6 52.h5 Ke6 53.Rg5 Kf6 54.Rg6+ Ke5 55.h6 Rh3 56.Kb5 Rxa3 57.Rg5+ Kf6 58.Rh5 Ra8 59.Kxc5 Rh8 60.Kd5 Kg6 61.Rh4 Rxh6 62.Rxh6+ Kxh6 ½-½ (62) Kamsky,G (2666)-Bjelobrk,I (2405) chess.com INT 2022]

12...Qe7 13.Qg3 0-0 'N'

[Vorgänger: 13...Be6 14.Bxc7 f6 15.Nd2 h5 16.Nf3 *(16.h4 g5 17.hxg5 h4 18.Qf4 fxg5 19.Qe5 0-0 20.Nf3 Qf6 21.Qxf6 Rxf6 22.Be5 Rg6 23.Bd4 Bxd4 24.Nxd4 Bc4 25.Rfd1 Rf8 26.Nf5 Rgf6 27.Rd7 R8f7 28.Rxf7 Bxf7 29.f3 Be6 30.Nd4 Bc8 31.Rd1 Rd6 32.b4 b6 33.Rd2 Kf7 34.Kf2 Kf6 35.Ke3 c5 36.bxc5 bxc5 37.Nb3 Rxd2 38.Kxd2 Be6 39.Ke3 Bxb3 40.axb3 a5 41.c4 Ke6 42.Kf2 Ke5 43.g3 h3 44.Kg1* 1-0 (44) Vitiugov,N (2676)-Makkar,R (2406) Liverpool ENG 2025*)* 16...g5 17.Nd4 h4 *(17...Bc5 18.b4 h4 19.Qd3 Rc8 20.bxc5 Rxc7 21.Qe3 Bc8 22.Nb3 h3 23.g3 f5 24.e5 f4 25.Qe4 Qh7 26.Qxh7 Rhxh7 27.Rad1 Be6 28.Rd6 Bd5 29.e6 Rh6 30.Re1 fxg3 31.fxg3 Rf6 32.Nd4 Bc4 33.g4 Rf4 34.Nf5 Rxg4+ 35.Ng3 Bxa2 36.Re4 Rxe4 37.Nxe4 Re7 38.Nf6+ Kf8 39.Rd8+ Kg7 40.Ne4 Rxe6 41.Rd7+ Kg6 42.Ng3 Re5 43.Kf2 Rxc5 44.Rd6+ Kf7 45.Rd7+ Ke6 46.Rxb7 Rb5 47.Ra7 Rb2+ 48.Kf3 Bc4 49.Kg4 Rxh2 50.Rg7 Rc2 51.Rg6+ Kd7 52.Rg7+ Kd8* 0-1 (52) Ivic,V (2603)-Cabarkapa,N (2474) Vrnjacka Banja SRB 2021 *)* 18.Qd6 Qxd6 19.Bxd6 Kf7 20.b4 Bc4 21.Rfe1 Rad8 22.e5 Rhe8 23.Re3 fxe5 24.Bxe5 Bxd4 25.cxd4 Bd5 26.h3 Re6 27.a3 Kg6 28.f3 Rde8 29.Kf2 R6e7 30.a4 Rf7 31.a5 Rh7 32.Rae1 Rhe7 33.Rg1 Rh7 34.Ree1 Kf5 35.Bd6 Re6 36.Rxe6 Kxe6 37.Bc5 Kf6 38.Re1 Rd7 39.Re5 Be6 40.Ke3 Rd5 41.Re4 Rd7 42.f4 g4 43.hxg4 Bxg4 44.Re5 Bf5 45.Bb6 Kg6 46.Re8 Rg7 47.Bd8 Kh7 48.Bg5 h3 49.gxh3 Bxh3 50.Ke4 Rf7 51.Ke5 Rf5+ 52.Kd6 Rd5+ 53.Kc7 Rxd4

54.Be7 Re4 55.Kxb7 Bd7 56.Rd8 Rxe7 57.Kxa6 Bg4 58.Rd4 Re6 59.Kb6 Bf3 60.Kc5 Be2 61.Rd6 Re4 62.Rxc6 Rc4+ 63.Kd6 Rxb4 64.f5 Ra4 65.f6 Rxa5 66.f7 Kg7 67.Ke7 Ra7+ 68.Kd6 Bh5 69.f8Q+ Kxf8 70.Rc8+ Be8 71.Rc5 Ra6+ 72.Ke5 Ke7 73.Rd5 Rh6 74.Kd4 Bc6 75.Re5+ Kd6 76.Rg5 Rh4+ 77.Ke3 Bd5 78.Kd3 Kc5 79.Ke3 Re4+ 80.Kd3 Rf4 81.Ke3 Rf3+ 82.Ke2 Ra3 83.Rg7 Kd4 84.Rd7 Ra2+ 85.Kd1 Ke4 86.Kc1 Rh2 87.Rd8 Kd4 88.Kd1 Rf2 89.Ke1 Rf5 90.Kd2 Rh5 91.Ke2 Rh2+ 92.Kd1 Ke4 93.Kc1 Rf2 94.Rd7 Kd4 95.Kd1 Ra2 96.Rd8 Ke5 97.Kc1 Be4 98.Rd2 Ra7 99.Rd8 Rb7 100.Kd2 Rc7 101.Re8+ Kf4 102.Rf8+ Bf5 103.Re8 Rc2+ 104.Kd1 Rh2 105.Kc1 Be4 106.Rd8 Ke3 107.Rd2 Rh7 108.Rd8 Rb7 0-1 (108) Vachier Lagrave,M (2721)-Nakamura,H (2802) Saint Louis USA 2024]

14.Nd2 Bb6 15.Nc4

[15.Rfe1 Be6 16.Nf3 Rad8 17.Nd4 Bxd4 18.cxd4 f6 19.Bxc7 Rxd4 20.h4 Rd7 21.Ba5 c5 22.Re3 Qd6 23.f4 b5 24.a3 b4 25.axb4 cxb4 26.f5 Qxg3 27.Rxg3 Bc4 28.Bxb4 Re8 29.Re1 Rd3 30.Kf2 Kf7 31.Bc3 g6 32.fxg6+ hxg6 33.Rf3 Re6 34.Rf4 Bb5 35.g4 Ke7 36.g5 fxg5 37.hxg5 Bc6 38.Re3 Rxe3 39.Kxe3 Kd7 40.Rh4 Bb5 41.Bf6 Bc6 42.e5 Re8 43.Rd4+ Kc7 44.Rd6 Rb8 45.Bg7 Rb3+ 46.Kd4 Be8 47.Rxa6 Rxb2 48.e6 Re2 49.Be5+ Kb7 50.Rd6 Bc6 51.Bg3 Re4+ 52.Kc5 Be8 53.Rb6+ Ka7 54.Bb8+ Ka8 55.Kd5 Rg4 56.Be5 Rxg5 57.Rb8+ Ka7 58.Rxe8 Rg2 59.e7 Rd2+ 60.Ke6 1-0 (60) Grischuk,A (2667)-Abdusattorov,N (2767) London ENG 2025]

[15.Rae1 Be6 16.e5 Bf5 17.Ne4 Bxe4 18.Rxe4 Qe6 19.Rfe1 Rad8 20.h4 h6 21.Bc1 f5 22.exf6 Qxf6 23.Rf4 Qd6 24.Kf1 Rfe8 25.Rxe8+ Rxe8 26.Qf3 Qe6 27.Bd2 Qxa2 28.g3 Qd5 29.Bc1 Bc5 30.h5 Rf8 31.Rxf8+ Bxf8 32.Ke2 Bd6 33.Qg4 Kf7 34.c4 Qe6+ 35.Qxe6+ Kxe6 36.g4 b5 37.Kd3 a5 38.b3 a4 39.bxa4 bxa4 40.f3 Be7 41.Kc3 Ke5 42.Be3 Ke6 43.f4 Bd6 44.f5+ Ke5 45.Bd4+ Kf4 46.Bxg7 Kxg4 47.f6 Be5+ 48.Kb4 Kxh5 49.Bh8 Kg6 50.f7 Bg7 0-1 (50) Anton Guijarro,D (2665)-Le,T (2564) chess.com INT 2024]

[15.e5 Bf5 16.Nc4 Ba7 17.Rfe1 Qe6 18.b3 b5 19.Ne3 Bg6 20.h4 Rfd8 21.Ng4 Rd3 22.Be3 h5 23.Nh2 Rxc3 24.Rad1 Re8 25.Qf4 Bxe3 26.Rxe3 Rxe3 27.Qxe3 Bf5 28.Nf3 f6 29.exf6 Qxe3 30.fxe3 gxf6 31.Kf2 Kf7 32.Rc1 Be4 33.Rc5 Kg6 34.Nd4 Re5 35.Rxe5 fxe5 36.Ne6 a5 37.a3 b4 38.axb4 axb4 39.Nxc7 Bc2 40.Na6 Bxb3 41.Nxb4 Bd5 42.Na6 Kf5 43.Nc5 Kg4 44.e4 Bc4 45.g3 Kh3 46.Nd7 Be6 47.Nxe5 c5 48.Nf3 Kg4 49.Ne5+ Kh3 50.Ng6 Kg4 51.Nf4 Bf7 52.Ng2 c4 53.Ne3+ Kh3 54.Nd1 c3 55.Nxc3 1-0 (55) Wish_You_Were_Here (2627)-HelgiGretarsson (2503) Blitz 2025]

15...Qxe4 16.Nxb6 cxb6 17.Rfe1 Qg6 18.Qxg6 hxg6 19.Re7 b5 20.f3 a5 21.a3 a4 22.Kf2 Be6 23.Rxb7 Rfe8 24.Re1 Bc4 25.Rxe8+ Rxe8 26.Be3 Rd8 27.Ke1 Re8 28.Kf2 Rd8 29.Ke1 Re8 30.Kf2 ½-½ (30) Nakamura,H

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10...0-0 11.Bf4

[11.Qe2 Qh4 *(11...Qe7 12.Bf4 Qh4 13.Bg3 Qg4 14.Qxg4 Bxg4 15.Re1 Rad8 16.Kf1 Rd7 17.f3 Be6 18.Bf2 Bxf2 19.Kxf2 Rfd8 20.Na3 Rd2+ 21.Re2 Rd1 22.Rxd1 Rxd1 23.b3 g6 24.Nc2 Rc1 25.c4 Rd1 26.Ke3 Rd8 27.Rd2 Rxd2 28.Kxd2 c5 29.Ne3 c6 30.f4 b5 31.f5 Bd7 32.g4 Kf8 33.Nd1 Ke7 34.Nf2 f6 35.e6 Be8 36.Nd3 Kd6 37.Ke3 g5 38.e5+ fxe5 39.Ke4* 1-0 (39) Ferran1850 (2619)-AlishSK (2810) Rapid 2023*)* 12.Kh1 f5 *(12...Re8 13.f4 Bg4 14.Qe1 Qh5 15.Be3 Be2 16.Bxa7 Bxf1 17.Bd4 Be2 18.Nd2 Re6 19.f5 Rh6 20.Qg3 Qg4 21.Qxg4 Bxg4 22.Kg1 f6 23.e6 b6 24.h3 Bh5 25.Be3 g5 26.e5 Be8 27.Nf3 Kf8 28.Rd1 Ke7 29.exf6+ Rxf6 30.Bxg5 h6 31.Bxf6+ Kxf6 32.g4 c5 33.Kf2 Bc6 34.Ke3 a5 35.Kf4 Bxf3 36.Kxf3 b5 37.Rd5 b4 38.Rxc5 bxc3 39.Rxc3 Rb8 40.b3 Rb7 41.a3 Ke7 42.Kf4 Kd6 43.h4 Kd5 44.g5 hxg5+ 45.hxg5 Kd6 46.Rd3+ Ke7 47.Rd7+ Ke8 48.Rd3 Ke7 49.g6 Kf6 50.Re3 Rb8 51.e7 Re8 52.Re6+ Kg7 53.Ke5 c5 54.Kd5 a4 55.bxa4 c4 56.Kxc4 Rc8+ 57.Kd5 Re8 58.Kd6 Kh6 59.Kd7 Ra8 60.e8Q Ra7+ 61.Kd6 Kg5 62.Qe7+ Kh6 63.Qxa7 Kg5 64.Qh7 Kf4 65.g7 Kg5 66.f6 Kf4 67.f7 Kg5 68.Qg6+ Kh4 69.Re4+ Kh3 70.Rg4 Kh2 71.Qh5#* 1-0 (71) F1C9S2M2 (2647)-spectraline (2566) Blitz 2022*)* 13.exf6 Rxf6 14.Be3 Qxe4 15.Nd2 Qe7 16.Rae1 Bxe3 17.Qxe3 Re6 18.Ne4 Bd7 19.f3 b6 20.Qf4 c5 21.Qxc7 Bb5 22.Qxe7 Rxe7 23.Rg1 Rd8 24.h4 h6 25.Kh2 Kf7 26.Kg3 Bd3 27.Re3 Bxe4 28.fxe4 Rd2 29.Rf1+ Ke6 30.Rf2 Red7 31.Ree2 R7d3+ 32.Kg4 g6 33.Rxd2 1-0 (33) azeerf (2706)-khvichachess (2650) Blitz 2025]

[11.Qxd8 Rxd8

A) 12.Bf4 h6 *(12...Be6 13.Nd2 h6 14.Rfd1 Rd3 15.Nb3 Rad8 16.Rxd3 Rxd3 17.Kf1 Bc4 18.Ke1 g5 19.Bd2 Bxb3 20.axb3 Bxf2+ 21.Ke2 Rd7 22.Rf1 Bc5 23.h4 Be7 24.hxg5 hxg5 25.Rf5 g4 26.Be3 Rd8 27.Rf4 Kh7 28.Rxf7+* 1-0 (28) AlexD64 (2652)-spectraline (2568) Blitz 2022*)* 13.h4 Be6 14.Nd2 Rd3 15.Rfe1 *(15.Nf3 Rad8 16.Rfe1 a5 17.Be3 Bxe3 18.Rxe3 Rxe3 19.fxe3 a4 20.a3 c5 21.Kf2 Kf8 22.Ke1 Ke7 23.Rd1 Rxd1+ 24.Kxd1 Bg4 25.Kd2 Ke6 26.Kd3 Bxf3 27.gxf3 Kxe5 28.f4+ Kd6 29.e5+ Kc6 30.c4 Kd7 31.f5 g5 32.hxg5 hxg5 33.Ke4 Ke7 34.Kf3 f6 35.exf6+ Kxf6 36.Kg4 c6 37.e4 b5 38.e5+ Kxe5 39.Kxg5 Kd4 40.cxb5 cxb5 41.f6 b4 42.f7 bxa3 43.bxa3 Kc3 44.f8Q c4 45.Qb4+* 1-0 (45) rrs03 (2651)-spectraline (2525) Blitz 2024*; 15.Nb3 Rad8 16.Na5 Bb6 17.Nb3 a5 18.Rfe1 a4 19.Nc1 Rd1 20.Ne2 Rxe1+ 21.Rxe1 Bxa2 22.Ng3 Be6 23.Nf5 Bc5 24.h5 b5 25.g4 Bf8 26.f3 c5 27.Kf2 b4 28.Ne3 bxc3 29.bxc3 Rd3 30.Ra1 Bb3 31.c4 Rc3 32.e6 fxe6 33.Bxc7 Be7 34.Be5 Rd3 35.Ke2 Rd7 36.Bb2 Bf6 37.e5 Bg5 38.Ba3 Bf4 39.Bxc5 Bxe5 40.Rc1 Bb2 41.Rb1 Be5 42.Bb4 Bf4 43.Bd2 Bxe3 44.Kxe3 Bxc4*

45.Rb8+ Kf7 46.Bb4 e5 47.Ke4 Kf6 48.Rf8+ Bf7 49.Bc3 Re7 50.Ra8 Bb3 51.Ra6+ Kf7 52.Bxe5 Rb7 53.Bd6 Rb4+ 54.Bxb4 1-0 (54) siddy2006 (2637)-spectraline (2567) Blitz 2023*)* 15...Rad8 16.Nf1 a5 17.a3 a4 18.Be3 Bxe3 19.Rxe3 Rd1 20.Re1 R1d3 21.Re2 Rd1 22.Re1 R1d3 23.f4 g6 24.Kf2 Bc4 25.Ne3 Rd2+ 26.Kf3 R8d3 27.Rad1 Rxb2 28.Rxd3 Bxd3 29.Rd1 0-1 (29) Lastro (2654)-spectraline (2561) Blitz 2023;

B) 12.Nd2 Be6 13.Nf3 h6 14.Re1 Rd3 15.Be3 Bxe3 16.Rxe3 Rxe3 17.fxe3 Rd8 18.Kf2 c5 19.Ke1 Bg4 20.Rd1 Re8 21.h3 Be6 22.b3 Kf8 23.Ke2 Ke7 24.Ne1 b6 25.c4 a5 26.a4 Bd7 27.Nd3 Bc6 28.Kf3 Rd8 29.Nf2 Re8 30.Kf4 Ke6 31.Rd5 g5+ 32.Kf3 Bxd5 33.exd5+ Kxe5 34.Ng4+ Kf5 35.Nxh6+ Kg6 36.Ng4 f6 37.Nf2 Kf5 38.e4+ Kg6 39.g4 Kf7 40.Nd3 Ke7 41.Ke3 Kd6 42.Nf2 Rh8 43.Kf3 c6 44.Kg3 cxd5 45.exd5 Ke5 46.Kf3 f5 47.gxf5 Kxf5 48.Ke3 Rh4 49.Kf3 Ke5 50.Ke3 Rd4 51.Nd3+ Kf5 52.Nf2 Rf4 53.Ng4 Rf1 54.Kd3 Rd1+ 55.Ke2 Rb1 56.Ne3+ Ke5 57.Kd2 Rxb3 58.Ng4+ Kd6 59.Ne3 Ra3 60.Nf5+ Kd7 61.Nh6 Rxh3 62.Nf7 Ra3 63.Nxg5 Kd6 64.Ne4+ Ke5 65.Nc3 Rb3 66.Kc2 Rb4 67.Kd3 Kd6 68.Nb5+ Kd7 69.Nc3 Rb3 70.Kc2 Rb4 71.Kd3 Kd6 72.Kc2 Ke5 73.Kd3 Rb3 74.Kc2 Rb4 ½-½ (74) Jugandito (2664)-spectraline (2581) Blitz 2022]

[11.Na3 Be6 12.Nc2 Qxd1 13.Rxd1 h6 14.Be3 Bxe3 15.Nxe3 Rad8 16.b3 Rfe8 17.f4 a5 18.Rxd8 Rxd8 19.Rd1 Rxd1+ 20.Nxd1 c5 21.Ne3 a4 22.c4 axb3 23.axb3 c6 24.Kf2 Kf8 25.Kf3 Ke7 26.f5 Bc8 27.h4 b5 28.Kf4 Ba6 29.g4 Bc8 30.h5 Bd7 31.g5 Kf8 32.g6 Ke7 33.f6+ Kf8 34.Nf5 fxg6 35.hxg6 Be8 36.Nxg7 Bxg6 37.e6 bxc4 38.bxc4 h5 39.e7+ Kg8 40.e8Q+ Bxe8 41.Nxe8 Kf7 42.Nc7 Kxf6 43.Na6 h4 44.Nxc5 h3 45.Nd3 h2 46.Nf2 c5 47.Nh1 Ke6 48.Ng3 Kf6 49.Kf3 Ke5 50.Ke3 Ke6 51.Kf2 Ke5 52.Kg2 Kd4 53.Kxh2 Kxc4 54.Kg2 Kd4 55.Kf3 c4 56.Ne2+ Kd3 57.e5 c3 58.e6 1-0 (58) makim_tsaruk (2607)-spectraline (2564) Blitz 2022]

11...Qh4 12.Qf3 f5

[12...Bg4 13.Qg3 Qh5 14.h3 Be6 15.Nd2 Rad8 16.Nf3 h6 17.b3 Rd3 18.c4 Bxh3 19.Rad1 Rfd8 20.Rxd3 Rxd3 21.Qxh3 Qxh3 22.gxh3 Rxf3 23.Bh2 Rxh3 24.Kg2 Rd3 25.Bf4 g5 26.Bg3 Kh7 27.Kh3 h5 28.Kg2 h4 29.Bh2 g4 30.Bf4 Rf3 31.Bd2 h3+ 32.Kg1 g3 0-1 (32) MR_HW (2657)-SiroglanTalibov (2749) Blitz 2024]

13.Qg3 Qxg3 14.hxg3 fxe4 15.Re1 Rd8 16.Na3 Bf5 17.Nc4 a5 18.a4 Bc5 19.Be3 Be7 20.Bd4 c5 21.Be3 b6 22.f4 exf3 23.gxf3 Be6 24.Nd2 Rd5 25.f4 Rad8 26.Ne4 R5d7 27.Nf2 h5 28.Rec1 Kf7 29.c4 Bf5 30.Kg2 Ke6 31.Kf3 g6 32.Rc3 g5 33.fxg5 Rf8 34.Bf4 Rd4 35.Rh1 Bg6 36.Ke2 Rfd8 37.b3 Bf8 38.Be3 R4d7 39.Nh3 Bf5 40.Nf4+ Kxe5 41.Kf2 Bg4 42.Bc1 Kf5 43.Nd5 Bg7 44.Rc2 Bd4+ 45.Kg2 Kg6 46.Nf4+ Kg7 47.Nxh5+ Bxh5 48.Rxh5 Re7 49.Kf3 Re1 50.Bf4 Bg1 51.Rh1 Rd3+ 52.Kg2 Rdd1 53.Bxc7 Bd4 54.Rxe1 Rxe1 55.Bxb6 Rb1 56.Bxa5 Rxb3 57.Bd8 Ra3 58.a5 Kg6 59.Re2

Kf5 60.Kh3 Ra1 61.g4+ Kf4 62.Kh2 Kf3 63.Re8 Kxg4 64.g6 Ra2+ 65.Kh1 Kh3 0-1 (65) Rapport,R (2715)-Kasimdzhanov,R (2685) Tashkent UZB 2024

10...Qxd1 11.Rxd1 0-0 12.Bf4 Be6

[12...Bg4 13.Rd2 Rad8 14.h3 Bh5 15.Bg5 Rde8 16.Bf4 f5 17.exf5 Rxf5 18.Bg3 g5 19.Na3 Bf7 20.Nc2 Bd5 21.b3 h5 22.Nd4 Rf7 23.c4 Be4 24.Re1 Bg6 25.h4 gxh4 26.Bxh4 Rf4 27.Nf3 Be4 28.Bg3 Rg4 29.Nh2 Rxg3 30.Rxe4 Rc3 31.Nf3 Re7 32.e6 Bc5 33.Nh4 Bd6 34.g3 Re8 35.Nf5 Bc5 36.Kg2 Kh7 37.Rd7+ Kg6 38.Nh4+ Kh6 39.Rf7 Rc2 40.e7 1-0 (40) quick_Mate (2680)-gogotaniye (2767) Blitz 2023]

13.Nd2 Rfd8 14.Nb3 Bxb3 15.axb3 h6 16.Kf1 g5 17.Bg3 Kf8 18.Ke2 Ke7 19.h4 Ke6 20.hxg5 hxg5 21.Rh1 Rd7 22.Rh6+ Ke7 23.e6 Rdd8 24.exf7 Kxf7 25.Rh7+ Kg6 26.Rxc7 1-0 (26) DHOOMVIGOR2022 (2697)-spectraline (2571) Blitz 2023

[70] **11.Nd2** Bg4

[11...Qf4 12.Qh5 g6 13.Qf3 Qxe5 14.Nc4 Qe7 15.Bh6 Rg8 16.Be3 Bxe3 17.Nxe3 Be6 18.Rfd1 Rd8 19.b3 Qg5 20.g3 h5 21.h4 Qe5 22.Nc4 Bxc4 23.bxc4 Ke7 24.Qe3 b6 25.Rd4 Rd6 26.Rad1 Rgd8 27.Kg2 Kf8 28.Qf4 Qxf4 29.gxf4 Ke7 30.Kf3 c5 31.Rd5 c6 32.Rxd6 Rxd6 33.Rxd6 Kxd6 34.Ke3 Ke6 35.Kf3 b5 36.Ke3 f6 37.Kf3 b4 38.Ke3 bxc3 39.Kd3 g5 40.fxg5 fxg5 41.hxg5 h4 42.f4 h3 43.f5+ Ke7 44.e5 h2 45.f6+ Kf7 0-1 (45) AP-2804 (2729)-SaxKaiGoal (2831) Blitz 2024]

[11...0-0 12.Qe2 Bg4 13.Nf3 Bxf3 14.Qxf3 Rae8 15.Bf4 f6 16.Bg3 Qg5 17.exf6 Rxf6 18.Qd3 Rfe6 19.Rae1 Qe7 20.e5 Rd8 21.Qc4 Rd5 22.Kh1 b5 23.Qe4 Rd2 24.Re2 Qd7 25.f4 g6 26.Rxd2 Qxd2 27.f5 gxf5 28.Qxf5 1-0 (28) AP-2804 (2668)-ma_long_ma (2647) Blitz 2023]

12.Nf3 Qh5 13.h3 Bxf3 14.Qxf3 Qxe5 15.Bf4 Qe7 16.Qg3 0-0 17.Rfe1 Bb6 18.e5 Qe6 19.Re4 Rad8 20.Rae1 Rfe8 21.Bg5 Rd7 22.Bf6 g6 23.Qg5 Bc5 24.Rh4 Bf8 25.f4 Qf5 26.Qxf5 gxf5 27.Re2 h6 28.g4 fxg4 29.hxg4 Kh7 30.f5 Rd1+ 31.Kg2 Bg7 32.g5 Rd5 33.Kf3 Bf8 34.Reh2 Rexe5 35.Rxh6+ 1-0 (35) AP-2804 (2741)-HowardShore (2709) Blitz 2025

11.Qe1 Bg4

[11...Be6 12.Nd2

A) 12...0-0-0 13.Kh1 Rd3 *(13...Qh5 14.f4 Rhe8 15.f5 Bd7 16.Nf3 g6 17.Be3 Bxe3 18.Qxe3 Kb8 19.e6 fxe6 20.f6 e5 21.Qg5 Qg4 22.Qxg4 Bxg4 23.Ng5 h6 24.Nh7 Rh8 25.f7 Rxh7 26.f8Q Rxf8 27.Rxf8+ Ka7 28.h3 Be6 29.Re8 Bc4 30.Rxe5 Rf7 31.b3 Bd3 32.Rd1 Be2 33.Re1 Bd3 34.Re8 Rf2 35.e5 g5 36.e6 g4 37.hxg4* 1-0 (37) Corre_por_tu_vida (2615)-Calzonesdesuperman (2639) Blitz 2024*; 13...f6 14.f4 fxe5 15.Qxh4* 1-0 (15) Corre_por_tu_vida (2608)-alfredogto (2640) Blitz 2024*)* 14.f4 Qxe1 15.Rxe1 Rhd8 16.f5 Bd7 17.Nf3 g6 18.e6 fxe6 19.f6 Rxf3 20.gxf3 e5 21.Bh6 Be6 22.Rad1 Re8 23.b3 b5 24.Rd2 a5 25.Red1 Bc5 26.Kg2 Bf8 27.Be3 h6 28.f4 Bg4 29.Re1 exf4

30.Bxf4 g5 31.Bg3 Be6 32.h4 gxh4 33.Bxh4 Bd6 34.e5 Bc5 35.Bg3 Rg8 36.Kf3 Bg4+ 37.Kf4 Be6 38.Rh1 Rg4+ 39.Kf3 Rg5 40.Rdh2 Bd5+ 41.Kf4 Bxh1 42.Rxh1 Kd7 43.Rxh6 Rg8 44.Rh7+ Ke6 45.Rxc7 Be3+ 46.Kxe3 Rxg3+ 47.Kf4 Rxc3 48.f7 Kd5 49.f8Q 1-0 (49) Corre_por_tu_vida (2632)-Sobino106 (2670) Blitz 2024;

B) 12...0-0 13.Kh1 f6 14.exf6 Rxf6 15.f3 Qh5 16.Qe2 Raf8 17.Nb3 c5 18.Be3 b6 19.Rad1 c6 20.Bg1 Bb8 21.Rd2 a5 22.Rfd1 Rh6 23.g4 Qh3 24.Rd8 Rhf6 25.Rxf8+ Rxf8 26.Nd2 a4 27.a3 h5 28.gxh5 Qxh5 29.Qg2 Bf4 30.Nf1 Be5 31.Rd3 Bc4 32.Re3 Bf4 33.Re1 Be5 34.Re3 Bf4 35.Ng3 Qf7 36.Nf5 Bxe3 37.Bxe3 Qf6 38.Bg5 Qe6 39.Be7 Rf7 40.Bd8 1-0 (40) Corre_por_tu_vida (2685)-khvichachess (2706) Blitz 2025]

[11...Qh5 12.Be3 Bxe3 13.Qxe3 Qxe5 14.Nd2 Qe7 15.f4 0-0 16.Rae1 Bd7 17.Nf3 Rad8 18.Kh1 Rfe8 19.Qf2 Be6 20.b3 f6 21.Nd4 Qf7 22.e5 fxe5 23.Rxe5 Bd5 24.Rfe1 Rxe5 25.Rxe5 c5 26.Nf5 Be6 27.Ne3 b6 28.h3 Bc8 29.Qh4 Rf8 30.Nd5 Be6 31.Ne7+ Kh8 32.f5 Bd7 33.Ng6+ Kg8 34.Nxf8 Qxf8 35.Qe7 Bc8 36.Qxf8+ Kxf8 37.Kg1 Kf7 38.g4 Bd7 39.Kf2 h6 40.Ke3 Kf6 41.Kf4 a5 42.h4 Kf7 43.g5 hxg5+ 44.hxg5 a4 45.Rd5 Bc6 46.Rd8 axb3 47.axb3 Ke7 48.Rg8 Kf7 49.Rc8 Bd5 50.Rxc7+ Kf8 51.c4 Bf7 52.Rb7 b5 53.Rxb5 Be8 54.Rxc5 Ke7 55.Rc7+ Kd6 56.Rxg7 Bc6 57.Rg6+ Kc5 58.Rxc6+ Kxc6 59.g6 Kc5 60.g7 Kb4 61.g8Q Ka3 62.Qd5 Kb4 63.c5 Ka3 64.c6 Kb2 65.c7 Ka3 66.c8Q Kb2 67.b4 Ka1 68.b5 Kb2 69.b6 Ka3 70.b7 Kb2 71.b8Q+ Ka1 72.Qda8# 1-0 (72) Corre_por_tu_vida (2635)-Calzonesdesuperman (2654) Blitz 2024]

12.Be3 Bxe3 13.Qxe3 Rd8 14.Nd2 0-0 15.h3 Be6 16.f4 f6 17.f5 Normal 1-0 (17) Aggressive-Python (2697)-valentun_hulka (2634) Blitz 2024

11.Qe2 Bg4 12.Qc2 0-0-0 13.Bf4 Qh5

[13...Bd1 14.Qc1 Be2 15.Bg3 Qxe4 16.Re1 Qd3 17.Na3 h5 18.Nc2 h4 19.Bf4 h3 20.Nb4 Qg6 21.Bg3 Bc4 22.Qf4 Be6 0-1 (22) ma_long_ma (2603)-HowardShore (2633) Blitz 2023]

14.Nd2 g5 15.Bg3 Qg6 16.Nc4 h5 17.h3 Be6 18.Ne3 h4 19.Nf5 Kb8 20.Bh2 g4 21.Kh1 Qg5 22.Qc1 Qg6 23.Qf4 gxh3 24.gxh3 Bb6 25.Rg1 Qh5 26.Rae1 Bxf5 27.exf5 Rd3 28.Rg5 Qh7 29.e6 fxe6 30.fxe6 Re8 31.e7 Rd7 32.Rge5 Qg7 33.Qg4 Qxg4 34.hxg4 Rdxe7 35.Rxe7 Rf8 36.Re8+ Rxe8 37.Rxe8+ Ka7 38.f3 Be3 39.Bg1 a5 40.Bxe3+ c5 41.Bg5 b6 42.Bxh4 Ka6 43.Bf2 Kb5 44.Bxc5 a4 45.Ba3 Kc4 46.b3+ Kb5 47.bxa4+ Kxa4 48.Bb2 c6 49.Re7 b5 50.Rc7 Ka5 51.Rxc6 b4 52.Rc5+ Ka4 53.cxb4 Kxb4 54.g5 Ka4 55.g6 Kb4 56.g7 Kxc5 57.Bc3 Kc4 58.a3 Kb5 ½-½ (58) Halawir (2661)-Calzonesdesuperman (2670) Blitz 2024

[71] **11...Bg4** 12.Qg3 Qxg3

[12...Qh5

A) 13.Be3 Bxe3 14.Qxe3 Qxe5

15.f4 Qe7 *(15...Qb5 16.Nd2 0-0 17.Nb3 Rad8 18.f5 Rfe8 19.Qf4 Be2 20.Rf2 Bd3 21.f6 Qe5 22.Qg4 g6 23.Re1 h5 24.Qf3 c5 25.Nd2 c4 26.Qe3 Kh7 27.h3 Re6 28.Nf3 Qxf6 29.Ng5+ Kg8 30.Rxf6 Rxf6 31.e5 Rf5 32.e6 f6 33.e7 Re8 34.Qe6+ Kg7 35.Qf7+ Kh6 36.Qxe8* 1-0 (36) BBMSARA (2656)-gmmitkov (2632) Blitz 2022*)* 16.f5 f6

A1) 17.Nd2 0-0 18.Rae1 *(18.Rf4 Bh5 19.Rh4 Bf7 20.Qh3 h6 21.Rf1 Rad8 22.Nf3 Bc4 23.Re1 Qc5+ 24.Kh1 Qf2 25.e5 Be2 26.Qg3 Qxg3 27.hxg3 Bxf3 28.gxf3 fxe5 29.g4 Rd2 30.Rh2 Rfd8 31.Rhe2 Kf7 32.Rxe5 Rxb2 33.Re7+ Kf6 34.R1e6+ Kg5 35.Rxg7+ Kf4 36.Re1 Rdd2 37.f6 Kg3 38.Rg1+ Kxf3 39.Rf1+ Kg3 40.Rg1+ Kh3 41.Re1 Rh2+ 42.Kg1 Rbg2+* Normal 0-1 (42) peahuelle (2610)-Calzonesdesuperman (2569) Blitz 2024*)* 18...Rfe8 19.h3 Bh5 20.e5 Qxe5 21.Qxe5 Rxe5 22.Rxe5 fxe5 23.f6 Rd8 24.Nc4 Be2 25.f7+ Kf8 0-1 (25) Poirot_Hercule (2644)-alfredogto (2635) Blitz 2024;

A2) 17.Na3 Bh5 18.Rae1 0-0 19.e5 fxe5 20.Qxe5 Qf7 21.Qf4 Qd7 22.Nc4 Rae8 23.g4 Bf7 24.Ne5 Qd6 25.b3 Re7 26.Re3 Rfe8 27.Rfe1 Bd5 28.c4 Bf7 29.Kf2 Qa3 30.R1e2 Qc5 31.Kg3 Qd6 32.h3 h6 33.Kf3 Rd8 34.Nxf7 Rxe3+ 35.Rxe3 Qxf4+ 36.Kxf4 Kxf7 37.h4 Rd4+ 38.Re4 Rd2 39.a4 Rb2 40.Re3 Rh2 41.Kg3 Rd2 42.g5 Rd1 43.Kf4 Rf1+ 44.Kg4 Rg1+ 45.Kh5 hxg5 46.hxg5 Rg2 47.Re6 Rg3 48.g6+ Kf8 49.Re4 Rxb3 50.Rd4 Ke7 51.Kg5 Rg3+ 52.Kh4 Rg1 53.a5 Rf1 54.Kg5 Rg1+ 55.Kf4 Rf1+ 56.Kg5 Re1 57.Kf4 c5 58.Rd5 b6 59.Re5+ Rxe5 60.Kxe5 bxa5 61.Ke4 Kf6 62.Kd3 Kxf5 63.Kc3 Kxg6 64.Kb3 Kf5 65.Ka4 g5 66.Kxa5 g4 67.Kxa6 g3 68.Kb5 g2 69.Kxc5 g1Q+ 70.Kc6 Qd4 71.c5 Qc4 72.Kb7 Qxc5 73.Kc8 c6 74.Kd7 Qd5+ 75.Kc7 c5 76.Kb6 c4 77.Ka7 c3 78.Kb8 c2 79.Ka7 c1Q 80.Kb6 Qd3 81.Kb7 Qdd2 82.Ka7 Qa2+ 0-1 (82) Donnerhall (2690)-Calzonesdesuperman (2607) Blitz 2024;

B) 13.Kh1 0-0-0 14.f4 Rd7 15.Be3 Bxe3 16.Qxe3 Rhd8 17.Na3 Kb8 18.Nc4 Be2 19.b3 Bxf1 20.Rxf1 Rd1 21.Kg1 R8d3 22.Qc5 Qe2 0-1 (22) jty (2605)-Calzonesdesuperman (2634) Blitz 2024;

C) 13.h3 Be6 14.Nd2 *(14.Be3 Bxe3 15.Qxe3 Qxe5 16.f4 Qd6 17.f5 Bd7 18.Na3 0-0 19.e5 Qe7 20.Rad1 Rae8 21.Kh1 Bc8 22.f6 Qxe5 23.Qf2 Qxf6 24.Qxf6 gxf6 25.Rxf6 Re2 26.Nc4 Kg7 27.Rf3 Be6 28.Ne3 Rxb2 29.Nf5+ Bxf5 30.Rxf5 Kg6 31.Rf3 f6 32.Rd7 Re8 33.Rxc7 h5 34.Rg3+ Kf5 35.Rh7 Re1+ 36.Kh2 Rbb1 37.Rxh5+ Ke6 38.Rf3 Rb2 39.Rh6 Ree2 40.Rhxf6+ Ke7 41.Rf7+ Ke8 42.Rg7 Rxa2 43.h4 a5 44.h5 Re6 45.Rg6 Rae2*

46.Rh3 Rxg6 47.hxg6 Kf8 48.Rh7 Re6 49.Rf7+ Kg8 50.Rxb7 Rxg6 51.Rb6 a4 52.Ra6 Kf7 53.Rxa4 Ke6 54.Rd4 c5 55.Rh4 Kd5 56.Kh3 Ra6 57.Rf4 Ra1 58.Kg4 Rc1 59.Rf3 Kc4 60.Kf5 Rg1 61.g4 Kd5 62.g5 c4 63.g6 Kd6 64.Kf6 Kd5 65.g7 Ke4 66.Rf5 Rxg7 67.Re5+ Kf4 68.Rf5+ Ke4 69.Re5+ Kf4 70.Rc5 Rg3 71.Rxc4+ Ke3 72.Rc8 Kd3 73.c4 Rg2 74.Ke6 Rc2 75.c5 Kd4 76.c6 Re2+ 77.Kd7 Rd2 78.Kc7 Kc5 79.Rd8 Ra2 80.Rd7 Ra7+ 81.Kb8 Ra2 82.c7 Rb2+ 83.Kc8 Rh2 84.Rd5+ Kxd5 85.Kb7 Rh8 86.c8Q Rxc8 87.Kxc8 ½-½ (87) SustechWarrior (2720)-alfredogto (2682) Blitz 2024*)* 14...0-0-0 15.Nf3 h6 16.Be3 Bxe3 17.fxe3 g5 18.Nd4 Rhe8 19.Rf6 c5 20.Nxe6 fxe6 21.Qg4 Qxg4 22.hxg4 Rd3 23.Re1 Rd2 24.Rf2 Rd3 25.Kh2 b5 26.Kg3 b4 27.cxb4 cxb4 28.Ree2 a5 29.Rf6 c5 30.Rxh6 c4 31.Rh7 c3 32.bxc3 bxc3 33.Rh1 Kd7 34.Rc1 Rc8 35.Kf2 a4 36.Rec2 Rd2+ 37.Ke1 Rxc2 38.Rxc2 Rc4 39.Ke2 Rxe4 40.Rxc3 Rxg4 41.Kf3 Rb4 42.g4 Rb2 43.Ra3 Rb4 44.Rd3+ Ke7 45.Rd4 Rb5 46.Rxa4 Rxe5 47.Ra7+ Kf6 48.a4 Rc5 49.Rb7 Rc1 50.a5 Ra1 51.Rb5 Rf1+ 52.Ke2 Ra1 53.Kd3 Ra4 54.e4 Ke7 55.Rxg5 Kd6 56.Rb5 Kc6 57.Rb6+ Kd7 58.a6 Ra3+ 59.Kc4 Ra1 60.Rb7+ Kc6 61.Re7 Kd6 62.Ra7 Ra4+ 63.Kb5 Ra1 64.Rb7 Rb1+ 65.Kc4 Ra1 66.a7 Ke5 67.Rb5+ Kf4 68.Rb7 Kxe4 69.Kb5 Rb1+ 70.Kc6 Rc1+ 71.Kb6 Ra1 72.Kc7 Rc1+ 73.Kb8 Rd1 74.a8Q Rd8+ 75.Ka7 Rd4 76.Rb8+ Ke3 77.Qc6 Ra4+ 78.Kb7 Rb4+ 79.Kc7 Rd4 80.Rb6 e5 81.Qc5 e4 82.Qxd4+ Kxd4 83.Re6 e3 84.Re4+ Kxe4 85.g5 e2 86.g6 e1Q 87.g7 Qg3+ 0-1 (87) Bigmonsternight (2743)-alfredogto (2661) Blitz 2024]

13.hxg3 0-0-0 14.Kh2 Rde8 15.f4 Re6 16.f5 Rxe5 17.Nd2 g6 18.Nc4 Rxe4 19.Rf4 Bxf5 20.Rxe4 Bxe4 21.Bf4 f6 22.Re1 Bd5 23.Re7 Bb8 24.Nd2 g5 25.Be3 Bxa2 26.b3 a5 27.Bd4 Rf8 28.c4 b5 29.Re1 a4 30.bxa4 bxa4 31.Ra1 Rd8 32.Bc3 Rd3 33.Rxa2 Rxc3 34.Rxa4 f5 35.Nf3 h6 36.Nd4 c5 37.Nxf5 c6 38.Kh3 h5 39.Ra5 Bxg3 40.Nxg3 h4 41.Rxc5 Rxg3+ 42.Kh2 Kc7 43.Rf5 Rg4 44.c5 Kb7 45.Rf6 Rc4 46.Rf5 g4 47.Rh5 g3+ 48.Kh3 Ka6 49.Rxh4 Rxh4+ 50.Kxh4 Kb5 51.Kxg3 Kxc5 52.Kf4 Kd6 53.Kf5 Ke7 54.g4 Kf7 55.Kg5 c5 56.Kf5 c4 57.Ke4 Kg6 58.Kd4 Kg5 59.Kc3 Kxg4 60.Kb4 c3 61.Kxc3 ½-½ (61) SovietRussia (2775)-AgressiveMode (2758) Blitz 2023

11...0-0 12.Qg3 Qxe4 13.Nd2 Qg6 14.Nf3 Be6 15.Re1 Rfd8 16.Be3 Bxe3 17.Rxe3 Qxg3 18.hxg3 h6 19.Rae1 c5 20.a3 Rd7 21.Re4 Rad8 22.b4 cxb4 23.axb4 Rd3 24.R4e3 Rxe3 25.Rxe3 Rd1+ 26.Re1 Rxe1+ 27.Nxe1 b6 28.Kf1 a5 29.bxa5 bxa5 30.Ke2 Kf8 31.Kd2 Ke7 32.Nc2 f6 33.exf6+ Kxf6 34.Ke3 Bd5 35.f3 c5 36.Na3 a4 37.Nb5 g5 38.Na3 Ke5 39.Nb5 Bc4 40.Na3 Bf1 41.Kf2 Ba6 42.Ke3 Kd5 43.Nc2 Kc4 44.Kd2 Kb3 0-1 (44) the_german_empire (2639)-Dictator02 (2670) Blitz 2024

11...h6 12.Be3 Bg4 13.Qf4 g5 14.Qf6 Bxe3 15.Qxh8+ Kd7 16.Qf6

Bf4 17.g3 Qh3 18.Qxf7+ Kd8 19.Na3 b5 20.Rad1+ Kc8 21.Rd3 Be2 22.Rfd1 Kb7 23.e6 Qg4 24.R1d2 Bxd3 25.Rxd3 Qe2 26.Rd7 Qe1+ 27.Kg2 Qxe4+ 28.Kh3 Be5 29.f3 Qe2 30.e7 Qxb2 31.e8Q Rxe8 32.Qxe8 Bxc3 33.Qe7 Kb6 34.Rxc7 Bb4 35.Rb7+ Ka5 36.Qc7+ Ka4 37.Nc4 bxc4 38.Qxc6+ Ka3 39.Qxa6+ Ba5 40.Qxa5# 1-0 (40) AlexD64 (2630)-train_account (2636) Blitz 2023

11...Be6 12.Be3 c5 13.Nd2 0-0-0 14.c4 h5 15.Qg3 Qxg3 16.hxg3 Rd3 17.Rac1 h4 18.gxh4 Rxh4 19.b3 b6 20.Rfe1 Kb7 21.Kf1 Rd7 22.Ke2 Rh2 23.Rh1 Rxg2 24.Kf3 Rg6 25.Rh8 Bg4+ 26.Kf4 Bb8 27.Rg1 Bf5 28.Rg5 Rxg5 29.Kxg5 Be6 30.f4 Rd3 31.Nf1 c6 32.f5 Bc8 33.Re8 Bxe5 34.Re7+ Rd7 35.Rxe5 f6+ 36.Kf4 fxe5+ 37.Kxe5 Re7+ 38.Kf4 Kc7 39.e5 Rf7 40.Ng3 Bxf5 41.Nxf5 g6 42.e6 Rxf5+ 43.Ke4 Kd6 44.b4 cxb4 45.e7 Kxe7 46.Bxb6 c5 47.Ba7 Kd6 48.Bb8+ Kc6 49.Bg3 Rg5 50.Bf4 Rg2 0-1 (50) JelenaZ (2630)-BlunderPandaZz (2634) Blitz 2024

11...Qg4 12.Qxg4 Bxg4 13.h3 Be2 14.Re1 Bd3 15.Be3 Bxe3 16.Rxe3 Bxb1 17.Rxb1 0-0-0 18.Re2 g5 19.f3 Rhe8 20.Rc1 Rxe5 21.Rcc2 f6 22.Rcd2 Rxd2 23.Rxd2 h5 24.g3 a5 25.Kf2 a4 26.Ke3 c5 27.f4 Re8 28.fxg5 fxg5 29.Rd5 g4 30.Rxh5 gxh3 31.Rxh3 Rg8 32.e5 Kd7 33.Kf4 Ke6 34.Rh6+ Kd5 35.c4+ Kxc4 36.e6 Kd5 37.e7 Re8 38.Rh7 Kd6 39.Kf5 Rxe7 40.Rxe7 Kxe7 41.Ke5 c6 42.a3 b5 43.g4 b4 44.g5 c4 45.Kd4 c3 46.bxc3 bxa3 0-1 (46) AfricanJo (2617)-spectraline (2571) Blitz 2023

12.Nd2

[12.Qg3 Qxe4 13.Nd2 Qg6 *(13...Qf5 14.Nb3 Qg4 15.Be3 Qxg3 16.hxg3 Bxe3 17.fxe3 Ke7 18.Rf4 Be6 19.Nd4 c5 20.Nf3 Rad8 21.a3 h6 22.b4 cxb4 23.axb4 Rd3 24.Rc1 Rxe3 25.Kf2 Rd3 26.Rd4 Rxd4 27.cxd4 c6 28.Nd2 Rd8 29.Ke3 Bd5 30.Rc2 Bxg2 31.Nb3 Bd5 32.Nc5 Rb8 33.Rc1 Kd8 34.Rf1 Kc7 35.Ra1 Re8 36.Kf4 Re7 37.Ra3 Kb6 38.Ra5 Bc4 39.Ke4 Bd5+ 40.Kf4 Re8 41.Ra1 Rh8 42.Kf5 h5 43.Kg5 g6 44.Rf1 Rc8 45.Rf6 Rc7 46.Rd6 Kb5 47.Rd8 Kxb4 48.Rb8 Kc4 49.Nxb7 Kxd4 50.Kf6 c5 51.Nd6 c4 52.Rd8 c3 53.e6 fxe6 54.Nf7 Rxf7+ 55.Kxf7 c2* 0-1 (55) AKAR_BC (2611)-Erebuni91 (2678) Blitz 2024 *)* 14.Nf3

A) 14...Qxg3 15.hxg3 Be6 *(15...Bg4 16.Rd1 h6 17.b3 Rd8 18.Ba3 Rxd1+ 19.Rxd1 g5 20.Rd2 Rg6 21.Nh2 Bf5 22.g4 Bb1 23.Rb2 Bd3 24.Rd2 Bb1 25.Rb2 Bd3 26.Rd2 Bb1* ½-½ (26) Pjotr12345 (2713)-Shramov,I (2534) Blitz 2024*)* 16.Re1 0-0-0 17.Be3 Bxe3 18.Rxe3 c5 19.b3 Rd7 20.c4 Rgd8 21.Rae1 h6 22.Kh2 b5 23.cxb5 axb5 24.Rc1 c4 25.bxc4 Bxc4 26.a4 Rd1 27.Rxd1 Rxd1 28.axb5 Bxb5 29.e6 fxe6 30.Rxe6 Kb7 31.Re7 Rd7 32.Re6 c5 33.Ne5 Rc7 34.Nf3 Bd3 35.Ne5 Bf5 36.Rd6 c4 37.g4 Bh7 38.g5 hxg5 39.Nxc4 Rxc4 40.Rd5 Bc2 41.Rxg5 g6 42.Kg3 Kc6 43.f3 Kd6 44.Ra5 Ke6 45.Ra6+ Kf7 46.Ra5 Bf5 47.Kf2 Rc2+ 48.Kg3 Kf6 49.Ra6+ Kg7 50.Ra5 Kh6 51.Ra3 Be6 52.Kh2 Bc4 53.Ra1 Bd5 54.Kg3 Rc4 55.Ra5 Be6 56.Ra1 Rc2 57.Rh1+ Kg7 58.Re1

Kf6 59.Rg1 Bc4 60.Re1 g5 61.Re4 Bf1 62.f4 Rxg2+ 63.Kf3 g4+ 64.Ke3 Re2+ 65.Kd4 Rxe4+ 66.Kxe4 Bg2+ 67.Ke3 Kf5 68.Kf2 Bd5 69.Kg3 Bc6 0-1 (69) EleKtRoMaGnIt (2808)-zvonokchess (2813) Blitz 2023;

B) 14...Be6 15.Qxg6 hxg6 16.Bg5 Bc5 17.Rfd1 Bg4 18.Rd3 Be7 19.Bxe7 Kxe7 20.Nd4 Rad8 21.h3 Bc8 22.Rad1 c5 23.Ne2 Rxd3 24.Rxd3 Be6 25.Nc1 c4 26.Rd2 Rd8 27.Rxd8 Kxd8 28.f4 c5 29.Kf2 b5 30.Ne2 Kc7 31.Ke3 Kc6 32.g4 a5 33.Ng3 Kd5 34.Ne4 b4 35.Ng5 a4 36.a3 Kc6 37.Nxe6 fxe6 38.Ke4 Kb6 39.f5 gxf5+ 40.gxf5 Kc6 41.f6 gxf6 42.exf6 Kd7 43.Ke5 1-0 (43) silence404 (2839)-Calzonesdesuperman (2622) Blitz 2024]

[12.Be3 Bg4 13.Qf4 g5

A) 14.Qf6

A1) 14...Rg6 15.Qh8+ Ke7 16.Qxa8 Rh6 17.h3 *(17.Bxg5+ Qxg5 18.Qxa7 Bf3 19.Qc5+ Ke8 20.g3 Rxh2* 0-1 (20) khvichachess (2639)-slouuurps (2660) Blitz 2025*)* 17...Bxh3 18.Rd1 *(18.Qg8 Rg6 19.Qxg6 hxg6 20.gxh3 Bxe3 21.fxe3 Qg3+ 22.Kh1 Qxh3+ 23.Kg1 g4 24.Nd2 Qxe3+ 25.Kg2 Qxd2+ 26.Rf2 Qe3 27.Raf1 Qh3+ 28.Kg1 g3 29.Rg2 Qg4 30.Re1 Ke6 31.Rge2 Qf3 32.Rg2 Kxe5 33.Rf1 Qe3+ 34.Kh1 f5 35.exf5 gxf5 36.Rgg1 Qe4+ 37.Rg2 f4 38.Kg1 Qe3+ 39.Kh1 Kf5 40.Rd1 Kg4 41.Rf1 f3 42.Rc2 g2+* 0-1 (42) Incike (2675)-Simba_Abessimba (2536) Blitz 2024*; 18.Bxa7 Qg4 19.Bc5+ Kd7 20.g3 Qf3 21.e6+ Bxe6 22.Rd1+ Qxd1+ 23.Kg2 Qh1#* 0-1 (23) AndreyBelozerov (2670)-FNC_Razork (2614) Blitz 2024*)* 18...Bd7 19.Bxg5+ Qxg5 20.Qxa7 Rh1+ Normal ½-½ (20) Rumple_DarkOne (2701)-PogbaPro (2452) Rapid 2024;

A2) 14...Bxe3 15.fxe3 Be6 16.Nd2 Rd8 17.Rf2 *(17.Rf4 Qh5 18.Rf2 Rg6 19.Qf3 g4 20.Qg3 Qg5 21.Nb3 Bxb3 22.axb3 Rd7 23.Raf1 h5 24.Rf5 Qh6 25.Qf4 Qxf4 26.exf4 Rh6 27.Rg5 Rd2 28.f5 Re2 29.Rg8+ Ke7 30.f6+ Ke6 31.Re8+ Kd7 32.Re7+ Kc8 33.Rd1 b5 34.Rdd7 h4 35.Rxc7+ Kb8 36.Rb7+ Kc8 37.Ra7 Kb8 38.Reb7+ Kc8 39.Rxf7 Kb8 40.Rfb7+ Kc8 41.Rg7 Kb8 42.f7* 1-0 (42) AndreyBelozerov (2683)-YS_MiRacLe (2603) Blitz 2024*; 17.Nf3 Qxe4 18.Rad1 Bd5 19.c4 Rg6 20.Qh8+ Ke7 21.Qxh7 g4 22.Nh4 Rgg8 23.Nf5+ Ke6 24.cxd5+ cxd5 25.Nd4+ Kxe5 26.Qxf7 Rge8 27.Qf6#* Normal 1-0 (27) Rumple_DarkOne (2622)-JohnDear (2546) Blitz 2024*; 17.Qf2 Qxf2+ 18.Rxf2 Ke7 19.Nf3 h6 20.Nd4 Rh8 21.b4 Rdf8 22.Rf6 Bd7 23.Raf1 b6 24.Nf5+ Kd8 25.Nxh6 Be6 26.Nxf7+ Bxf7 27.Rxf7 Rxf7 28.Rxf7 Re8 29.Rf5 g4 30.Kf2 Kd7 31.Kg3 Rg8 32.Rf4 c5 33.bxc5* 1-0 (33) Bxh6 (2613)-Nebonik (2486) Blitz 2024*)*

17...Rg6 18.Qf3 Rh6 19.g3 Qh5 20.Qxh5 Rxh5 21.Nf3 c5 22.b4 g4 23.Nh4 Rxe5 24.Rf4 Rd3 25.Nf5 h5 26.Rc1 Bxf5 27.exf5 Rdxe3 28.a4 Re1+ 29.Rxe1 Rxe1+ 30.Kf2 Rc1 31.Rc4 cxb4 32.Rxc7 Rc2+ 33.Ke3 Rxc3+ 34.Rxc3 bxc3 35.Kd3 b5 36.axb5 axb5 37.Kxc3 Ke7 38.Kb4 Kf6 39.Kxb5 Kxf5 40.Kc5 Ke4 41.Kc4 f5 42.Kc3 Kf3 0-1 (42) okriak (2726)-Train_account (2652) Blitz 2024;

B) 14.Qg3 Qxg3 15.hxg3 Bxe3 16.fxe3 Rd8 *(16...Ke7 17.Nd2 Rad8 18.Nb3 Rd3 19.Rae1 b6 20.Nd4 c5 21.Nf5+ Bxf5 22.exf5 Rd5 23.e6 fxe6 24.f6+ Kf7 25.e4 Rd2 26.e5 Rgd8 27.Rf2 a5 28.Kf1 a4 29.a3 h5 30.Rxd2 Rxd2 31.Re2 Rd1+ 32.Kf2 g4 33.Ke3 Rd5 34.Ke4 c4 35.Kf4 Rd3 36.Kg5 Rxg3 37.Kxh5 b5 38.Kh4 Rd3 39.Kxg4 c5 40.Kh5 b4 41.cxb4 cxb4 42.axb4 Rb3 43.g4 Rh3+ 44.Kg5 Rb3 45.Rd2 Rxb4 46.Rd7+ Ke8 47.Ra7 Rxb2 48.Rxa4 Rb5 49.Rxc4 Rxe5+ 50.Kg6* 1-0 (50) GelioChess (2738)-Atans (2603) Blitz 2024*)* 17.Na3 Ke7 18.Rf2 Be6 19.Nc2 c5 20.b4 Rd3 21.bxc5 Rxc3 22.Nd4 Rxc5 23.Rb1 b6 24.a4 g4 25.Nf5+ Bxf5 26.exf5 Rxe5 27.Rc1 c5 28.Rb2 Rb8 29.Rcb1 b5 30.axb5 axb5 31.Rxb5 Rxb5 32.Rxb5 Kf6 33.e4 c4 34.Rb6+ Kg5 35.Rb7 Rc5 36.Rb2 c3 37.Rc2 Kf6 38.Kf2 Ke5 39.Ke3 Rc4 40.Kd3 Rc8 41.Ke3 f6 42.Kd3 h5 43.Ke3 Rc7 44.Kd3 Rc8 45.Ke3 Rc4 46.Kd3 Rc5 47.Ke3 Rc4 48.Kd3 Rd4+ 49.Ke3 Rxe4+ 50.Kd3 Kxf5 51.Rxc3 Re1 52.Rc5+ Kg6 53.Rc2 Re5 54.Kd4 Rf5 55.Ke4 Re5+ 56.Kf4 Rf5+ 57.Ke4 Rf1 58.Re2 f5+ 59.Ke3 Kg5 60.Rc2 h4 61.Rc8 hxg3 62.Rg8+ Kf6 63.Rf8+ Ke6 64.Re8+ Kf7 65.Ra8 f4+ 66.Ke4 Rf2 67.Ra7+ Ke6 68.Ra6+ Kd7 69.Ra7+ Kc6 70.Rg7 Kb5 71.Rg5+ Kc4 72.Rxg4 f3 73.gxf3 g2 74.Ke3+ Kc3 75.Kxf2 g1Q+ 76.Rxg1 1-0 (76) EleKtRoMaGnIt (2773)-zvonokchess (2847) Blitz 2023]

[12.Bf4 Bg4 *(12...Be6 13.Nd2 0-0-0 14.Nb3 g5 15.Bg3 Qh6 16.Rfd1 Qg6 17.Nd4 h5 18.h3 g4 19.hxg4 Bxg4 20.Qf4* 0-1 (20) ma_long_ma (2604)-schekachikhinmaksim (2641) Blitz 2023 *)* 13.Qg3 Qh5 14.Be3 *(14.h3 Be2 15.Re1 g5 16.Be3 Bxe3 17.Qxe3 Bc4 18.Nd2 Be6 19.Qg3 0-0-0 20.Nf3 g4 21.Qh4 Qg6 22.hxg4 Bxg4 23.Nd4 c5 24.Nb3 Bf3 25.g3 Qc6 26.Re3 Bg4 27.Qf6 Qb5 28.Qf4 Be6 29.c4 Qb6 30.Rc1 Rg4 31.Qf3 Rdg8 32.Kg2 h5 33.Kf1 h4 34.Ke2 hxg3 35.fxg3 R4g5 36.Qf4 Rg4 37.Qf3 Qb4 38.Rcc3 Rh8 39.Qg2 Rhg8 40.a3 Qb6 41.Nd2 Qc6 42.Kf2 R4g6 43.Rf3 Rg5 44.Rf4 Rxe5 45.Nf3 Rh5 46.Ke2 Rgh8 47.Ke3 Kb8 48.e5 Ka7 49.Re4 Qb6 50.Rf4 Rh1 51.Ke2 Qxb2+ 52.Nd2 Qxc3 53.Qf2 R1h2 54.g4 Rxf2+ 55.Rxf2 Rh3* 0-1 (55) adcealh (2617)-Calzonesdesuperman (2633) Blitz 2024 *)* 14...Bxe3 15.Qxe3 Qxe5 16.Nd2 Qe7 17.h3 Be6 18.Nf3 b6 19.Rad1 f6 20.Nd4 c5 21.Nxe6 Qxe6 22.Qd3 Ke7 23.Qg3 Qe5

24.Qh4 h6 25.Rd5 Qe6 26.Qg3 Rac8 27.Rfd1 g5 28.Qd3 Rge8 29.Qxa6 Kf8 30.f3 Kg8 31.a4 Qc6 32.Qc4 Qe6 33.a5 Ra8 34.axb6 cxb6 35.Qb5 Ra5 36.Qd3 Raa8 37.Rd6 Qe5 38.Qd5+ Qxd5 39.R1xd5 Kf7 40.Rxb6 Rab8 41.Rdd6 Rxb6 42.Rxb6 Rd8 43.b4 Rd1+ 44.Kh2 Rc1 45.bxc5 Rxc3 46.Rc6 h5 47.Rc7+ Kg6 48.c6 Rc2 49.h4 g4 50.fxg4 hxg4 51.Rc8 Rc3 52.c7 g3+ 53.Kh3 Kg7 54.h5 Rc1 55.Kxg3 Rc5 56.Kf4 Rc1 57.Kf5 Rf1+ 58.Ke6 Rc1 59.Ke7 f5 60.exf5 Re1+ 61.Kd6 Rd1+ 62.Ke5 Re1+ 63.Kf4 Rf1+ 64.Kg5 Rc1 65.g4 Rc2 66.h6+ Kh7 67.Kh5 Rc5 68.g5 Rxf5 69.Rh8+ Kxh8 70.c8Q+ Kh7 71.Qxf5+ Kg8 72.Qg6+ Kf8 73.Qg7+ Ke8 74.h7 Kd8 75.h8Q# 1-0 (75) Aggressive-Python (2764)-alfredogto (2622) Blitz 2024]

[12.Re1 Bg4 13.Qg3 Qxg3 14.hxg3 0-0-0 15.Nd2 Rge8 16.Nc4 Be6 17.Nd2 Bg4 18.Nf3 Rd3 19.Nh2 Bd7 20.Bf4 h6 21.Nf1 g5 22.Be3 Bxe3 23.Rxe3 Rxe3 24.Nxe3 Rxe5 25.f3 f5 26.Nxf5 Bxf5 27.exf5 Rxf5 28.Re1 Kd7 29.Kh2 h5 30.Kh3 g4+ 31.fxg4 hxg4+ 32.Kxg4 Rf2 33.Kh3 Rxb2 34.g4 Rxa2 35.g5 Rf2 36.Kg3 Rf8 37.Kg4 a5 38.g6 b5 39.Kg5 c5 40.g7 Ra8 41.Kf6 a4 42.Kf7 a3 43.Rh1 a2 44.Rd1+ Kc6 45.Ra1 Kd6 46.g8Q Rxg8 47.Kxg8 Kd5 48.Rxa2 Kc4 49.Ra5 b4 50.cxb4 cxb4 51.Kf7 b3 52.Ra7 c5 53.Rb7 Kc3 54.Ke6 c4 55.Kd5 Kd3 56.g4 1-0 (56) Van Foreest,J (2696)-Gareev, T (2541) Almaty KAZ 2024]

[12.Qf4 Qxf4 13.Bxf4 Be6 14.Rd1 g5 15.Be3 Bxe3 16.fxe3 g4 17.Nd2 Rg5 18.Kf2 Rxe5 19.Kg3 Rd8 20.Kf4 Rh5 21.Nf1 Rxd1 22.Rxd1 Ke7 23.a3 a5 24.Rd2 a4 ½-½ (24) Grischuk,A (2682)-Petrov,N (2563) Pasching AUT 2025]

12...Bg4

[12...g5 13.Nc4 Bg4 14.Qg3 Qxg3 15.hxg3 Be2 16.Ne3 Bxf1 17.Kxf1 Bxe3 18.Bxe3 Ke7 19.Ke2 h6 20.Rh1 Rg6 21.Rh2 Rag8 22.b4 b6 23.a4 Ke6 24.Bd4 c5 25.bxc5 bxc5 26.Bxc5 Kxe5 27.Ke3 Ke6 28.Bd4 Kd6 29.c4 Rb8 30.e5+ Kc6 31.f4 gxf4+ 32.gxf4 Rb3+ 33.Ke4 Rb4 34.f5 Rg4+ 35.Kd3 Rb3+ 36.Kc2 Rbg3 37.Rxh6+ Kb7 38.Bb2 Rxc4+ 39.Kb1 Rxg2 40.Ba3 Rf4 41.Rh1 Rxf5 42.Re1 Rf3 43.Be7 Rb3+ 44.Ka1 Rc3 45.Kb1 Rcc2 46.Re4 Rce2 0-1 (46) A-Liang (2851)-alfredogto (2634) Blitz 2024]

[12...Be6 13.Qd3 Qh5 14.Nf3 g5 15.Be3 Bxe3 16.Qxe3 g4 17.Nd4 Qxe5 18.Nxe6 fxe6 19.Rad1 Ke7 20.Rd2 Rad8 21.Rfd1 Rxd2 22.Rxd2 c5 23.Qd3 Kf6 24.g3 h5 25.Qe3 Ke7 26.Qd3 Qd6 27.Qe3 Qe5 28.Kf1 Rf8 29.Rd1 b5 30.Qd2 Qxe4 31.Qg5+ Rf6 32.Qxc5+ Ke8 33.Qxh5+ Ke7 34.Qc5+ Ke8 35.Kg1 Qe2 36.Qd4 Kf7 37.Qd7+ Kg6 38.Qe8+ Kh6 39.Qh8+ Kg6 40.Qg8+ Kh6 41.Rf1 c5 42.Qd8 Kg6 43.Qe8+ Kh6 44.Qc6 Qxb2 45.Qxa6 c4 46.Qa5 Kg6 47.Qb6 Qxc3 48.Qxb5 Qd4 49.a4 c3 50.a5 c2 51.Qe2 Qb2 52.Qxg4+ Kf7 53.Qh5+ Rg6 54.Qc5 Rg4 55.a6 Ra4 56.a7 Ra1 57.Rxa1 Qxa1+ 58.Kg2 c1Q 59.Qxc1 Qxa7 60.Qf4+ Kg6 61.Qe4+ Kf6 62.h4 Qc5 63.Qf4+ Kg6 64.Qg5+ Qxg5 65.hxg5 Kxg5 66.f3 Kf5 67.Kf2 Ke5 68.Ke3 Kf5 69.Kd4 Kf6 70.Ke4 e5

71.g4 Ke6 72.g5 1-0 (72) Gurel,E (2620)-Hulka,V (2312) European Championship 2025 2025]

13.Qd3 Rd8 14.Qg3 Qxg3

[14...g5 15.Nf3 Qxg3 16.hxg3 h6 17.Be3 Bxe3 18.fxe3 c5 19.Rad1 Ke7 20.Rd5 b6 21.Rfd1 Be6 22.c4 Bxd5 23.exd5 g4 24.Nh4 Rg5 25.Rf1 Rxe5 26.Nf5+ Kd7 27.Nxh6 Rxe3 28.Rxf7+ Kc8 29.Nxg4 Re2 30.b3 Rg8 31.Kf1 Rxa2 32.Ne5 Rd2 33.Nc6 Kb7 34.Rf3 b5 35.Na5+ Kb6 36.Nc6 Rc2 0-1 (36) AP-2804 (2646)-HowardShore (2639) Blitz 2023]

15.hxg3 Ke7

[15...Rd3 16.Re1 Rxg3 17.Nf1 Rd3 18.Be3 Bxe3 19.Nxe3 Be6 20.f4 Rd2 21.f5 Bc8 22.Nc4 Rd8 23.Rad1 g6 24.Ne3 Ke7 25.Kf2 h5 26.Kf3 Rge8 27.Kf4 Kf8 28.Rxd8 Rxd8 29.Rd1 Re8 30.g4 hxg4 31.Nxg4 Ke7 32.Rh1 Rd8 33.Rh7 gxf5 34.exf5 Rd2 35.Nh6 Rf2+ 36.Kg4 Be6 37.Kg3 Rxb2 38.fxe6 Kxe6 39.Ng4 Rxa2 40.Rh6+ Ke7 41.Ne3 Ra3 42.Nf5+ Ke8 43.Kf4 Rxc3 44.Rh8+ Kd7 45.Rf8 Rc4+ 46.Kg5 Ke6 47.Re8+ Kd5 48.Kf6 Rf4 49.Rd8+ Kc5 50.Rd7 a5 51.Rxc7 b5 52.Rxf7 a4 53.e6 a3 54.Ra7 b4 55.e7 Re4 56.Ra5+ Kb6 57.Re5 Rxe5 58.Kxe5 a2 59.e8Q a1Q+ 60.Kf4 Qf1+ 61.Kg5 Qg2+ 62.Kf6 Qd5 63.Qb8+ Kc5 64.Ne7 Qd6+ 65.Qxd6+ Kxd6 66.Nf5+ Kd5 67.Ne3+ Kd4 68.Nc2+ Kc3 69.Ne3 c5 70.Nd1+ Kc2 71.Ne3+ Kc3 72.Nd5+ Kc2 73.Ke5 c4 74.Ne3+ Kb3 75.Ke4 c3 76.Kd3 c2 77.Nxc2 Kb2 78.Nxb4 ½-½ (78) vistagausta (2845)-pozvonochek (2770) Blitz 2024]

16.Nf3 Rd3 17.Bg5+ f6 18.exf6+

[18.Bf4 Bxf3 19.gxf3 fxe5 20.Bxe5 Rxf3 21.Rad1 Rgf8 22.Rd2 Be3 23.Re2 Bb6 24.Kg2 g6 25.Bf4 Rd3 26.Bh6 Rf7 27.Rh1 Ke6 28.f4 Rfd7 29.Bg5 h5 30.Rf1 Bc5 31.f5+ gxf5 32.exf5+ Kf7 33.f6 Kg6 34.Bh4 Rd2 35.Rxd2 Rxd2+ 36.Kh3 Rxb2 37.f7 Bf8 38.Rf6+ Kg7 39.Rf5 Rxa2 40.Bd8 Rb2 41.Bxc7 Rb5 42.Be5+ Kg6 43.Rf6+ Kg5 44.Re6 Kf5 45.Re8 Rxe5 46.Rxf8 Re7 47.Kh4 Kg6 48.Rg8+ Kxf7 49.Rh8 Kg6 50.Rg8+ Rg7 51.Re8 Kf5 52.Rf8+ Kg6 53.Re8 Rf7 54.Re6+ Kf5 55.Rh6 Ke4 56.Rxh5 Kd3 57.g4 Kxc3 58.g5 b5 59.g6 Rg7 60.Kg5 b4 61.Kf6 Rxg6+ 62.Kxg6 b3 63.Rc5+ Kb4 64.Rxc6 a5 65.Rb6+ Ka3 66.Kf5 b2 67.Rb5 a4 68.Ke4 Ka2 69.Rb4 b1Q+ 70.Rxb1 Kxb1 71.Kd3 a3 72.Kd4 a2 73.Ke3 a1Q 74.Ke2 Qb2+ 75.Ke1 Kc2 0-1 (75) vistagausta (2837)-pozvonochek (2778) Blitz 2024]

18...gxf6 19.Bh4 Bxf3 20.gxf3 Rxf3 21.Rad1 Rf4 22.Kh2 Rxe4 23.Rfe1 Rxe1 24.Rxe1+ Kf7 25.Rd1 Re8 26.Rd7+ Re7 27.Rxe7+ Kxe7 28.g4 Ke6 29.Kg3 f5 30.Kf4 fxg4 31.Kxg4 Bc5 32.f4 Be3 33.f5+ Kf7 34.c4 b5 35.b3 c5 36.a4 c6 37.Bd8 h6 38.Kh5 Bd2 39.Bh4 Be3 40.Kg4 Bc1 41.Bf2 Kf6 42.cxb5 cxb5 43.axb5 axb5 44.Bxc5 h5+ 45.Kxh5 Kxf5 46.Kh4 Ke4 47.Kg3 Be3 48.Be7 Kd3 49.Kf3 Bd4 50.b4 Bc3 51.Kf2 Bd2 52.Kf1 Kc4 53.Ke2 Bxb4 54.Bg5 Kc3 55.Kd1 Kb2 56.Bf6+ Kb1 57.Be5 Ba5 58.Bd6 Kb2 59.Be7 Kb3 60.Kc1 Bb4 61.Bxb4 Kxb4 62.Kb2 ½-½ (62) vistagausta (2869)-pozvonochek (2746) Blitz 2024

72 **8...0-0** 9.Bb3
[9.Be3
A) 9...exd4 10.cxd4 d5 11.Nc3 dxe4 12.Nxe4 Be6 *(12...Nce7 13.Nc3 h6 14.Bb3 Nf5 15.Qd3 c5 16.Rad1 cxd4 17.Nxd4 Nxe3 18.fxe3 Ne5 19.Qe4 Qg5 20.Nf5 Bxf5 21.Rxf5 Qxe3+ 22.Qxe3 Bxe3+ 23.Kf1 Rae8 24.Nd5 Bc5 25.Nc7 Re7 26.Nd5 Ree8 27.Nc7 Re7 28.Nd5 Ree8 29.Nc7 Re7 30.Nd5 Ree8 ½-½ (30) ertras (2626)-gmmitkov (2617) Blitz 2023)* 13.Nc3 Nb4 14.Ng5 Bc4 15.Bb3 b5 16.Bxc4 bxc4 17.Qh5 h6 18.Ne6 fxe6 19.Qxg6 Qd7 20.Rad1 Nd5 21.Ne4 Qf7 22.Qxf7+ Kxf7 23.Rc1 Rfb8 24.Rc2 Rb4 25.a3 Rb3 26.Nd2 Rd3 27.Nxc4 Bxd4 28.Bxd4 Rxd4 29.b4 Ke7 30.Rfc1 Rd3 31.g3 Rb3 32.Re1 Rf8 33.Rd2 Rf5 34.Kg2 Kd7 35.Rde2 Rf6 36.Ne5+ Kc8 37.Ng4 Rg6 38.Ne5 Rf6 39.Nc4 Rg6 40.Re4 Kb8 41.h4 Rf6 42.Rxe6 Rxe6 43.Rxe6 Rc3 44.Re4 Nb6 45.Nxb6 cxb6 46.Re7 g5 47.h5 Rxa3 48.Re6 Kc7 49.Rxh6 a5 50.bxa5 Rxa5 51.Rg6 g4 52.h6 Rh5 53.Rg7+ Kc6 54.h7 b5 55.Kf1 b4 56.Ke2 Kb5 57.Kd2 Ka4 58.Kc2 Rh2 59.Ra7+ Kb5 60.Kb3 Kc5 61.Rd7 Kb5 62.Rg7 Kc5 63.Rg5+ Kd4 64.Rxg4+ Kd3 65.Rh4 1-0 (65) KreuzritterImZoo (2664)-dmitrij_IM (2776) Blitz 2021;
B) 9...b5 10.Bb3 d6 11.Nbd2 Na5 12.Bc2 c5 13.d5 c4 14.b4 *(14.Bxa7 Rxa7 15.b4 cxb3 16.axb3 Qc7 17.b4 Nc4 18.Nxc4 Qxc4 19.Qd2 Nf4 20.Rfe1 Bd7 21.Ra3 Rc8 22.h4 a5 23.g3 Ng6 24.Bd3 Qc7 25.bxa5 Rxa5 26.Rea1 Rca8 27.Rxa5 Rxa5 28.Rxa5 Qxa5 29.h5 Ne7 30.h6 g6 31.Qg5 Qd8 32.Qf6 Normal 1-0 (32) Vahe_S (2706)-Train_account (2620) Blitz 2024)* 14...Nb7 15.a4 Bxe3 16.fxe3 Bd7 17.Qe1 Qb6 18.a5 Qa7 19.g4 Nf4 20.Kh2 Nd3 21.Qe2 Rac8 22.Rg1 f6 23.Raf1 Nd8 24.Nh4 Nf7 25.Nf5 Bxf5 26.gxf5 Kh8 27.Nf3 Nh6 28.Nh4 Rc7 29.Rg3 Rg8 30.Rfg1 Qb8 31.Qh5 Qe8 32.Qe2 Nb2 33.Qf3 Na4 34.Bxa4 bxa4 35.Ra1 Nf7 36.Qg4 Ng5 37.Ng2 h5 38.Qh4 g6 39.Rf1 a3 40.fxg6 Qxg6 41.Nf4 Qh7 42.Ne6 Nxe6 43.Rxg8+ Kxg8 44.dxe6 Rf7 45.exf7+ Kxf7 46.Qxf6+ Ke8 47.Qf8+ Kd7 48.Rf7+ Qxf7 49.Qxf7+ Kc6 50.Qxc4+ Kd7 51.Qb3 d5 52.Qa2 dxe4 53.Qxa3 Kd6 54.Qc1 Kc6 55.Qd2 Kb5 56.c4+ Ka4 57.Qd6 Kb3 58.Qxa6 Kc3 59.Qb6 Kd2 60.a6 Ke2 61.a7 Kf3 62.a8Q Ke2 63.Qxe4 Kf2 64.Qbc6 Ke2 65.Qg2+ Kd3 66.Qcd5+ Kc3 67.Qdd2+ Kb3 68.Qc2+ Kxb4 69.Qc3+ Kc5 70.Qxe5+ Kb4 71.Qxh5 Kc3 72.Qhg4 Kb4 73.Qd5 Kc3 74.Qgd4+ Kb4 ½-½ (74) ScareCCrow06PL (2714)-spectraline (2523) Blitz 2024]
9...d6 10.Bg5 Qe8 11.Qd3 Kh8 12.Bd2 f5 13.Re1 fxe4 14.Qxe4 Bf5 15.Qe2 exd4 16.cxd4 Qxe2 17.Rxe2 Nxd4 18.Nxd4 Bxd4 19.Nc3 Rae8 20.Rae1 Rxe2 21.Rxe2 Bd3 22.Re1 Bxf2+ 23.Kh2 Bxe1 24.Bxe1 c5 25.Bg3 Rd8 26.Bd5 b5 27.Nd1 Ne5 28.Bb7 a5 29.Ne3 a4 30.Nd5 Be4 31.b3 axb3 32.axb3 c4 33.bxc4 bxc4

34.Be1 Rb8 35.Ba8 Rxa8 36.Nb6 Rb8 37.Na4 Nd3 38.Bc3 Ra8 39.Nb6 Ra2 40.Nxc4 Rxg2+ 41.Kh1 Nf2# 0-1 (41) goltsev2000 (2716)-QWERT0808 (2494) Blitz 2024

[73] **11.Bxc6** bxc6 12.Nbd2 Be6 13.Re1 Kh8 14.Qa4
[14.b3 Re8 15.c4 exd4 16.Bxd4 Bxd4 17.Nxd4 Bd7 18.c5 dxc5 19.N4f3 Nf4 20.Qc2 Qc8 21.Re3 Bxh3 22.gxh3 Qxh3 23.Ne1 Qg4+ 24.Kf1 Qh5 25.Ndf3 Re5 26.Ng1 Rae8 27.Qd1 Qg6 28.Qf3 Ne6 29.Rd1 Nd4 30.Qg2 Rg5 31.Qh1 h6 32.Nh3 Rg4 33.Nd3 Qh5 34.Rd2 c4 35.bxc4 Qa5 36.Rd1 Qxa2 37.Nhf4 Qxc4 38.Qh5 Rxf4 39.Qxe8+ Kh7 40.Rc1 Qb5 41.Rg3 Rg4 42.Rxg4 Qxd3+ 43.Kg1 Nf3+ 44.Kg2 Ne5 45.Rg3 Qxe4+ 46.f3 Qd4 47.Rf1 g5 48.Rh3 Qd5 49.Qe7+ Kg6 50.Rxh6+ 1-0 (50) Ponkratov,P (2614)-Le,T (2567) chess.com INT 2024]
14...Qd7
[14...Bd7 15.Qxa6 Bxd4 16.Qd3 Bxe3 17.fxe3 Qe7 18.a4 c5 19.a5 Bc6 20.b4 cxb4 21.cxb4 Rfb8 22.Reb1 Bb5 23.Qc3 Qf7 24.Rc1 c6 25.Rab1 Rd8 26.Nc4 h6 27.Nb6 Ra7 28.Qb3 Qf8 29.Rd1 f5 30.exf5 Qxf5 31.Rf1 Bxf1 32.Rxf1 Rf8 33.Qc4 Rc7 34.Kh2 d5 35.Nxd5 Rcc8 36.Nb6 Rce8 37.Qxc6 e4 38.Nd2 Qe5+ 39.Kg1 Rxf1+ 40.Nxf1 Rf8 41.Qxg6 Qa1 42.Qxe4 Rxf1+ 43.Kh2 Rh1+ 44.Kg3 Qe1+ 45.Kf4 Rf1+ 46.Ke5 Qa1+ 47.Qd4 Qe1 48.Nd5 Qg3+ 49.Ke4 Qg6+ 50.Ke5 Rf5+ 51.Ke4 Rf1+ 52.Ke5 Rf5+ 53.Ke4 Rf1+ ½-½ (53) HerrTulpe (2610)-Calzonesdesuperman (2571) Blitz 2023]
15.Rad1 Bb6 16.d5 cxd5 17.Qxd7 Bxd7 18.Bxb6 cxb6 19.exd5 b5 20.Ne4 f5 21.Nxd6 e4 22.Nd4 Ne5 23.f4 Nd3 24.Rd2 Nxf4 25.Rf1 Nxd5 26.N4xf5 Nf6 27.Re2 Be6 28.b3 Bd5 29.Ne7 g6 30.Nxd5 Nxd5 31.Rxf8+ Rxf8 32.Nxe4 Re8 33.Kf2 Nf4 34.Re3 Nd5 35.Rd3 Nf4 36.Rd4 Ne6 37.Rd7 Nf4 38.Nf6 1-0 (38) HerrTulpe (2631)-Calzonesdesuperman (2574) Blitz 2023

[74] **11...Qe8** 12.Re1 Kh8 13.a3
[13.d5 b5 14.Bc2 Bxe3 15.Rxe3 Nce7 16.a4 Bd7 17.axb5 axb5 18.Re1 Nf4 19.Rxa8 Qxa8 20.Qa1 Qe8 21.Kh2 Qh5 22.Ng1 Qh6 23.Nf1 g5 24.Qa7 Rc8 25.f3 Neg6 26.Ra1 Nh4 27.Ne3 Nhxg2 28.Ng4 Bxg4 29.fxg4 Qh4 30.Bd1 Ne1 31.Qe3 Ned3 32.Rb1 Ra8 33.Bc2 Nc5 34.b4 Ra2 35.bxc5 Rxc2+ 36.Kh1 h5 37.cxd6 cxd6 38.Rxb5 Kg7 39.Rb8 Qf2 40.Qxf2 Rxf2 41.c4 Nd3 42.Rb7+ Kg6 43.gxh5+ Kxh5 44.Rh7+ Kg6 45.Rh8 Kg7 46.Rb8 Kg6 47.Rb7 Kh5 48.Rh7+ Kg6 49.Rg7+ Kh5 50.Rxg5+ 1-0 (50) sina_iran (2685)-FraDoNicks (2765) Blitz 2021]
13...Bd7 14.Bc2 Nce7 15.b4 Be6 16.c4 Bd7 17.c5 exd4 18.Bxd4 dxc5 19.bxc5 Be6 20.Rb1 Nc6 21.Rxb7 Nxd4 22.Nxd4 Bxc5 23.Nxe6 Qxe6 24.Bb3 Qc8 25.Bd5 c6 26.Nb3 cxd5 27.Qxd5 Bxa3 28.Nd4 Qc5 29.Qd7 Qe7 30.Qd5 Qd6 31.Qxd6 Bxd6 32.Nf5 Be5 33.Rxg7 a5 34.g3 a4 35.Rd1 Rg8 36.Rf7 Rgd8 37.Rxd8+ Rxd8 38.Ra7 Re8 39.Rxa4 Ne7 40.Ne3 Nc8 41.Nd5 Nd6 42.Kg2 Rd8 43.Ra6 Nxe4 44.Ne3 Rd2 45.Kf3 Ng5+ 46.Kg4 Kg7 47.h4 Nf7 48.Nf5+

Kf8 49.Ra8+ Rd8 50.Ra2 Nd6 51.Ne3 Kf7 52.Ra7+ Kg8 53.Nd5 Kh8 54.f4 f5+ 55.Kf3 Bg7 56.Ne7 Bf6 57.Nc6 Nb5 58.Rf7 Nd4+ 59.Nxd4 Bxd4 60.Rxf5 Bc3 61.h5 Rd3+ 62.Kg2 Rd8 63.Rc5 Bb2 64.Rc4 Ba1 65.Re4 Bd4 66.Kf3 Bg7 67.g4 Bh6 68.g5 Bg7 69.Kg4 Bf8 70.Re6 Kg8 71.h6 Rd7 72.Rf6 Rf7 73.Rf5 Rxf5 74.Kxf5 Kf7 75.Kg4 Kg6 76.f5+ Kf7 77.Kh5 Be7 78.Kh4 Kg8 79.Kg4 Kf7 80.Kh5 Kg8 81.g6 Bf6 82.Kg4 1-0 (82) Federicov93 (2860)-FraDoNicks (2766) Blitz 2021

11...Kh8 12.Bc2

[12.Bb3

A) 12...Qe8 13.Nc4 Bd7 14.d5 Nd8 15.Bxa7 Rxa7 16.Ne3 Nf7 17.Kh2 Ng5 18.Nxg5 fxg5 19.Qd2 Qe7 20.Bd1 Raa8 21.Bg4 Bxg4 22.Nxg4 Rf4 23.f3 Raf8 24.c4 Qd7 25.b4 Ne7 26.Ne3 Qe8 27.c5 h5 28.a4 Qg6 29.cxd6 cxd6 30.Rac1 R8f7 31.Rc7 g4 32.Rxb7 gxf3 33.gxf3 Rxf3 34.Rxf3 Rxf3 35.Qg2 Qf6 36.Nf5 Rxf5 37.exf5 Nxf5 38.Qf3 Qg5 39.Rf7 Qd2+ 40.Qg2 Qf4+ 41.Kg1 Qc1+ 42.Qf1 Qe3+ 43.Qf2 Qg5+ 44.Kh2 Ne3 45.Qg3 Qh6 46.b5 axb5 47.axb5 Nxd5 48.Rf8+ Kh7 49.Qd3+ e4 50.Qxd5 Qe3 51.Qf5+ 1-0 (51) Look_Dad_I_Just_Grow (2700)-alfredogto (2623) Blitz 2024;

B) 12...f5 13.Ng5 f4 14.Qh5 h6 15.Ndf3 Qf6 16.Bd2 Na5 17.Nf7+ Rxf7 18.Bxf7 Qxf7 19.Nh4 Kh7 20.g3 Be6 21.Kh2 Nxh4 22.Qxh4 g5 0-1 (22) ie1 (2679)-TheDayThatNeverCome (2679) Blitz 2024;

C) 12...Bd7 13.Qe2 *(13.d5 Nce7 14.Bxa7 Rxa7 15.c4 a5 16.Re1 b6 17.Nf1 Qe8 18.Ng3 Ra8 19.Qd3 Nf4 20.Qd2 g6 21.Ne2 Nxe2+ 22.Rxe2 Qf7 23.Ne1 f5 24.f3 f4 25.Nd3 g5 26.Kf1 h5 27.Ke1 Kg7 28.Kd1 g4 29.hxg4 hxg4 30.Kc2 Rh8 31.a3 Rh2 32.Kb1 Rah8 33.Ka2 Qh5 34.Rg1 Kf6 35.Rf2 g3 36.Re2 Rh1 37.Ree1 Rxg1 38.Rxg1 Qg5 39.Qc2 Rh2 40.Ba4 Bc8 41.b4 Ng6 42.c5 bxc5 43.bxc5 Bh3 44.cxd6 cxd6 45.Qc7 Rxg2+ 46.Rxg2 Bxg2 47.Qxd6+ Kg7 48.Bd1 Bf1 49.Ne1 g2 50.Qd7+ Kh6 51.Nxg2 Qxg2+ 52.Kb3 Qd2 53.Bc2 a4+ 54.Kb2 Bd3 55.Qc6 Kg5 56.Qxa4 Qxc2+ 57.Qxc2 Nf8 58.Qg2+ Kf6 59.Kc3 Nd7 60.Kxd3 Nc5+ 61.Kc4 Nd7 62.Kb5 Nb6 63.Kxb6* 1-0 (63) AfricanJo (2609)-gmmitkov (2610) Blitz 2022*)* 13...h6 *(13...Qe7 14.Rad1 Rae8 15.dxe5 Ncxe5 16.Bxa7* 1-0 (16) Iluzionisti (2634)-spectraline (2507) Blitz 2024 *)* 14.Rae1 Qe7 15.Qd3 Nd8 16.Nh2 Ne6 17.Bxe6 Bxe6 18.f4 exf4 19.Bxf4 Nxf4 20.Rxf4 Qf7 21.Kh1 Rae8 22.b3 Qg6 23.Nhf3 c6 24.Nh4 Qh7 25.Rf3 d5 26.Rg3 g5 27.Nhf3 dxe4 28.Rxe4 Bf5 29.Rxe8 Rxe8 30.Qc4 Bb8 31.Ne5 fxe5 32.dxe5 Rxe5 33.Rf3 Re1+ 34.Rf1 Rxf1+ 35.Nxf1 Qd7 36.Ne3 Be6 37.Qf1 Kg7 0-1 (37) Sigmachess08 (2642)-spectraline (2598) Blitz 2025;

D) 12...Na5 13.Bc2 Nc6 14.b4 f5 15.exf5 Bxf5 16.Bxf5 Rxf5 17.Qc2 Qf8 18.d5 Nce7 19.Bxa7 Rxa7 20.c4 Nf4 21.Kh2 Ra8 22.g3 Nfg6 23.Kg2 Qf7 24.h4 Rf8 25.Qe4 Nf4+ 26.gxf4 Rxf4 27.Ng5

Qh5 28.Qd3 Qxh4 29.Nh3 Rd4 30.Qc3 Ng6 31.Rh1 Nf4+ 32.Nxf4 Qxf4 33.Raf1 Rxd2 34.Qg3 Qxg3+ 35.Kxg3 Rd3+ 36.Kg2 Rd4 37.Rc1 Rg4+ 38.Kf1 Rgf4 39.Rc2 Rd4 40.Ke2 h6 41.b5 axb5 42.cxb5 Rxd5 43.a4 c6 44.bxc6 bxc6 45.Rxc6 Rd4 46.Ra1 Re4+ 47.Kf1 Ref4 48.Ra2 e4 49.Rc3 d5 50.Ke1 d4 51.Rca3 e3 52.fxe3 Rf1+ 53.Ke2 R1f2+ 54.Kd3 Rxa2 55.Rxa2 dxe3 56.Kxe3 Kh7 57.a5 h5 58.a6 Kh6 59.a7 Ra8 60.Kf4 g6 61.Ra6 Kg7 62.Kg5 Kh7 63.Ra4 Kg7 64.Ra5 Kf7 65.Ra6 Ke7 66.Rxg6 Kd7 67.Kxh5 Kc7 68.Kg5 Rxa7 69.Kf5 Kb7 70.Ke5 Ra5+ 71.Kd4 Rf5 72.Kc4 Rh5 73.Re6 Kc7 74.Ra6 Kb7 75.Rf6 Kc7 76.Kb4 Kd7 77.Rg6 Ke7 78.Rc6 Kf7 79.Kc4 Ke7 80.Kd4 Kd7 81.Ra6 Kc7 82.Ke4 Kb7 83.Rf6 Kc7 84.Kf4 Ra5 85.Kg4 Kd7 86.Kf4 Ke7 87.Rh6 Kf7 88.Ke4 Kg7 89.Rc6 Rh5 90.Kd4 Kf7 91.Kc4 Ke7 92.Rb6 Kd7 93.Kb4 Kc7 94.Ra6 Kb7 95.Rf6 Kc7 96.Rg6 Kd7 97.Rf6 Ke7 98.Rb6 Kd7 99.Rb5 Rxb5+ 100.Kxb5 ½-½ (100) Donchenko,A (2631)-Lebedev,A (1941) chess.com INT 2024;

E) 12...Nce7 13.Qe2 f5 14.exf5 Nxf5 15.Ng5 exd4 16.Qh5 Nh6 17.Bxd4 Bxd4 18.cxd4 Nf4 19.Qh4 Be6 20.Qxf4 Rxf4 21.Nxe6 Qf6 22.Nxf4 Qxf4 23.Nf3 Nf5 24.Rae1 Nxd4 25.Nxd4 Qxd4 26.Re2 Rf8 27.Rfe1 b5 28.g3 c5 29.Kg2 c4 30.Bc2 Qxb2 31.Bxh7 Qf6 32.Be4 Re8 33.Bf3 Rxe2 34.Rxe2 Qf7 35.Rd2 Qc7 36.Bd5 c3 37.Rd4 g5 38.Rd1 c2 39.Rc1 Qc3 40.Bb3 a5 41.Rxc2 Qe5 42.Rd2 a4 43.Bd5 b4 44.Bf3 b3 45.axb3 axb3 46.Rd5 Qe6 47.Rb5 Qc4 48.Rb8+ Kg7 49.Rb7+ Kf6 50.h4 Qc2 51.hxg5+ Kxg5 52.Rb5+ Kf6 53.g4 b2 54.g5+ Ke7 55.Kg3 Kd8 56.Kf4 b1Q 57.Rxb1 Qxb1 58.Be4 Qc1+ 59.Kg4 Qf1 60.f4 Qg2+ 61.Kf5 Qf2 62.g6 Qc5+ 63.Kf6 d5 64.f5 Qb6+ 65.Kg7 dxe4 66.f6 Qd4 67.Kg8 Qxf6 68.g7 Qxg7+ 69.Kxg7 e3 70.Kg6 e2 71.Kh6 e1Q 0-1 (71) DailyTornado (2613)-Samira_Chess2010 (2711) Blitz 2024;

F) 12...h6 13.Re1

F1) 13...exd4 14.cxd4 f5 15.exf5 *(15.d5 Nce5 16.Bxa7 Rxa7 17.exf5 Bxf5 18.Nd4 Qh4 19.N2f3 Nxf3+ 20.Nxf3 Qf6 21.Qd4 Raa8 22.Qxf6 Rxf6 23.Nd4 Ne5 24.Re3 Bd7 25.Rc1 c5 26.dxc6 bxc6 27.Rd1 Rb8 28.Ne2 Bf5 29.f4 Ng6 30.g4 Bd7 31.f5 Nf8 32.Nf4 g6 33.Nxg6+ Nxg6 34.fxg6 Rxg6 35.Re7 Rd8 36.Bc2 Rf6 37.Rde1 Kg8 38.Rh7 Re8 39.Rxe8+ Bxe8 40.Ra7 Rf3 41.Kg2 Re3 42.Kf2 Rxh3 43.Rxa6 Rh2+ 44.Ke3 Rxc2 45.Rb6 Kf7 46.a4 Rc1 47.a5 Ra1 48.b4 Ke6 49.Kf4 d5 50.Rb8 Bg6 51.Rb6 Kd7* 0-1 (51) crackcubano (2734)-IMFAR (2764) Blitz 2022*)* 15...Bxf5 16.Nf1 Nh4 17.Nxh4 Qxh4 18.Ng3 Bg6 19.Qg4 Qxg4 20.hxg4 Nxd4 21.Rad1 Nxb3 22.axb3 Bxe3 23.Rxe3 Rae8 24.Rde1 Rxe3 25.Rxe3 Re8 26.Rc3 Re7 27.f4 Bf7

28.Kf2 g6 29.b4 Kg7 30.f5 Kf6 31.Kf3 Bd5+ 32.Kf2 Kg5 33.Rd3 Bc6 34.Rd4 h5 35.gxh5 gxf5 36.b3 f4 37.Ne2 Kxh5 38.Nxf4+ Kg5 39.Nd3 Re4 40.Rxe4 Bxe4 41.Nc1 Kf4 42.g3+ Kg4 43.Ne2 Bd5 44.Nc1 Kh3 45.Ke3 Kxg3 46.Kd4 c6 47.Kc3 Kf4 48.Ne2+ Ke5 49.Ng3 Bf3 50.Nf1 d5 51.Nd2 Bg2 52.Kd3 Be4+ 53.Kc3 d4+ 54.Kc4 Bd5+ 55.Kd3 b6 56.Kc2 c5 57.bxc5 bxc5 58.Kd3 a5 59.Kc2 Be4+ 60.Kb2 Bd3 61.Ka3 Bb5 62.Kb2 Kf4 63.Kc2 Ke3 64.Nb1 Bd3+ 0-1 (64) SirJohn13 (2810)-kartoGM (2657) Blitz 2022;

F2) 13...Nce7 14.Nf1 exd4 15.cxd4 d5 16.e5 Nf5 17.Bc2 fxe5 18.dxe5 Nxe3 19.Nxe3 Nf4 20.Rc1 c6 21.Bb1 Qe7 22.Qc2 g5 23.Ng4 Bxg4 24.hxg4 Rae8 25.e6 Qg7 26.Re5 Rxe6 27.Rce1 Rxe5 28.Rxe5 1-0 (28) Kolian222 (2643)-mocaspoke (2575) Blitz 2021;

F3) 13...f5 14.exf5 Bxf5 15.dxe5 *(15.Bc2 Qf6 16.Bxf5 Qxf5 17.dxe5 Bxe3 18.Rxe3 Ncxe5 19.Qb1 Qf7 20.Qe4 c6 21.Rae1 Qxa2 22.Nxe5 Nxe5 23.f4 Nd7 24.Nf3 Nf6 25.Qc2 Nd5 26.Re4 Nxf4 27.Nh4 Kg8 28.c4 d5 29.cxd5 Qxd5 30.Re7 Qg5 31.Nf3 Qg3 32.Kh1 Nxh3 33.Qc4+ Kh8 34.Ne5 Qxe1+ 35.Kh2 Qb1 36.Qg4 Ng5 37.Qh5 Kh7 38.Ng4 Qg6 39.Qh4 Rf4 0-1 (39) Corre_por_tu_vida (2662)-IMFAR (2691) Blitz 2021)*

15...Bxe3 16.Rxe3 Ncxe5 17.Nd4 Nf4 18.N2f3 Nxf3+ 19.Rxf3 Be4 20.Rxf4 Rxf4 21.Ne6 Qh4 22.Qd4 Rf6 23.Re1 c5 24.Qxe4 Qxf2+ 25.Kh1 Re8 26.Bc2 g6 27.Bb3 b5 28.Re2 Qf1+ 29.Kh2 c4 30.Qd4 Kg8 31.Bxc4 bxc4 32.Qxc4 d5 33.Qxa6 Rexe6 34.Qc8+ Kg7 35.Qd7+ Kf8 36.Qd8+ Kf7 37.Qd7+ Kf8 38.Rxe6 Qf4+ 39.Kg1 Qc1+ 40.Kh2 Qf4+ 41.Kg1 Qc1+ 42.Kh2 Qf4+ ½-½ (42) chessed70 (2832)-EvilGenius94 (2900) Blitz 2024]

[12.c4 exd4 13.Nxd4 Nxd4 0-1 (13) MR_HW (2680)-misterbluff (2777) Blitz 2024]

[12.Qe2 Bd7 13.Bc2 Qe7 14.Rae1 h6 15.d5 Nd8 16.Bxa7 Rxa7 17.Nh2 Nf4 18.Qe3 Ra8 19.Bd1 Nf7 20.Bg4 Ng5 21.h4 Nh7 22.g3 f5 23.Bf3 Nh3+ 24.Kg2 f4 25.Qe2 g5 26.Bg4 gxh4 27.Bxh3 Bxh3+ 28.Kxh3 hxg3 29.fxg3 Rg8 30.g4 Ng5+ 31.Kg2 Raf8 32.Ndf3 h5 33.Rh1 hxg4 34.Nxg4+ Kg7 35.Reg1 Rh8 36.Kf1 Rxh1 37.Rxh1 Rg8 38.Nh6 1-0 (38) filmer75 (2636)-spectraline (2550) Blitz 2024]

[12.Bxc6 bxc6 13.Re1 *(13.Qc2 Be6 14.Rad1 Qe8 15.Rfe1 Bb6 16.Nf1 Rb8 17.Ng3 Qf7 18.b3 a5 19.c4 c5 20.d5 Bd7 21.a4 Ne7 22.Nh4 g6 23.Qb2 Kg8 24.Qc3 f5 25.exf5 gxf5 26.f4 Ng6 27.Nxg6 hxg6 28.Rf1 Rbe8 29.fxe5 dxe5 30.Bh6 Kh7 31.Bxf8 Qxf8 32.Rde1 e4 33.Nxe4 Kh6 34.Qd2+ Kg7 35.Ng5 Qf6 36.Rxe8 Bxe8 37.Ne6+ Kh7 38.Qf4 Bd7 39.Ng5+ Kg7 40.Re1 c6 41.d6 Bd8 42.h4 Kf8 43.Re3 Qa1+*

44.Kh2 Qf6 45.Nh7+ 1-0 (45) HerrTulpe (2616)-Calzonesdesuperman (2591) Blitz 2023 *)* 13...a5 *(13...Bd7 14.c4 exd4 15.Nxd4 Qc8 16.Qh5 Nf4 17.Bxf4 Bxd4 18.Rab1 Rb8 19.b3 c5 20.Nf3 Be8 21.Qh4 Be5 22.Nxe5 fxe5 23.Bd2 Bc6 24.Re2 Qd7 25.Qg4 Qe7 26.Qg5 Qe6 27.Qg4 Qe7 28.Rc1 Rf7 29.Qg3 Rbf8 30.b4 cxb4 31.Bxb4 Rf4 32.Rce1 Qf7 33.Bd2 Rf6 34.Rc1 h6 35.Rc3 a5 36.Bc1 a4 37.f3 Rg6 38.Qh4 Bd7 39.c5 Be6 40.cxd6 cxd6 41.Ba3 Bxa2 42.Rd2 Bc4 43.Rxd6 Rxd6 44.Bxd6 Re8 45.Qf2 Bb3 46.Rc7 Qf4 47.Qc5 Re6 48.Rc8+ Kh7 49.Rf8 Qg3 50.Qc8 Qg5 51.Ba3 Rf6 52.Rh8+ Kg6 53.Qg4 Qxg4 54.hxg4 Rc6 55.Ra8 Kg5 56.Kf2 Rc2+ 57.Kg3 Bc4 58.Ra5 Bf1 59.Rxe5+ Kf6 60.Rf5+ Ke6 61.g5* ½-½ (61) Karthikeyan,M (2627)-Lamard,G (2501) Dole France Throphy Nextlane Grand Prix 2024*)* 14.a3 a4 15.Qxa4 f5 16.exf5 Bxf5 17.Qxc6 Rb8 18.dxe5 Bxe3 19.Rxe3 Rxb2 20.e6 Ne7 21.Qc4 d5 22.Qh4 Rb6 23.Ng5 Kg8 24.Rae1 Qe8 25.Ndf3 Rf6 26.Qd4 h6 27.Nf7 Rfxe6 28.N7e5 Be4 29.c4 Nf5 30.Qd2 Nxe3 31.Rxe3 Rxe5 32.cxd5 Rb1+ 33.Kh2 Bxf3 34.Rxf3 Ree1 35.Qd4 Qg6 36.Qg4 Qxg4 37.hxg4 Red1 38.Rf5 Rd4 39.d6 Rxd6 40.f3 Ra6 41.Rc5 Rxa3 42.Rxc7 Ra2 43.Kg3 Rbb2 44.Kf4 Rxg2 45.Kf5 Rgf2 46.Kg6 Ra6+ 47.Kf5 Rf6+ 48.Ke5 R2xf3 49.Rc8+ Kh7 50.Rc5 Kg6 51.Kd5 R3f4 52.Ke5 Kh7 53.Kd5 Rxg4 54.Rc7 Rg5+ 55.Ke4 1-0 (55) kondor-ro (2631)-quick_Mate (2676) Blitz 2024]

12...exd4

[12...Nce7 13.Qe1 exd4 14.Nxd4 d5 15.Rd1 Qe8 16.Qe2 c5 17.N4b3 b6 18.Qh5 Ne5 19.Qxe8 Rxe8 20.f4 N5g6 21.Nf3 Bb7 22.e5 d4 23.cxd4 c4 24.Nbd2 b5 25.f5 Nxe5 26.Nxe5 fxe5 27.Ne4 Rad8 28.f6 gxf6 29.Nxf6 Rf8 30.Ng4 Rxf1+ 31.Kxf1 exd4 32.Bg5 Rf8+ 33.Ke1 Nd5 34.Be4 d3 35.Kd2 h5 36.Nf6 Nxf6 37.Bxb7 Nh7 38.Be3 Bxe3+ 39.Kxe3 Re8+ 40.Kd4 Re2 41.Bxa6 Rxb2 42.a4 bxa4 43.Bxc4 Rxg2 44.Rxd3 Ng5 45.h4 Rg4+ 46.Kc5 Ne4+ 47.Kb6 Rxh4 48.Ra3 Nd6 49.Be6 Nc4+ 50.Bxc4 Rxc4 51.Kb5 Rg4 52.Rh3 h4 53.Rc3 Kh7 54.Rc8 Kh6 55.Rc5 Rg5 0-1 (55) EleKtRoMaGnIt (2806)-zvonokchess (2867) Blitz 2023]

[12...Bd7

A) 13.a4 Qe8 14.Re1 Qf7 *(14...Rd8 15.Nf1 Bc8 16.Ng3 d5 17.exd5 Rxd5 18.Be4 Rd8 19.d5 Bxe3 20.fxe3 f5 21.Bc2 e4 22.Nh2 Qe5* 0-1 (22) hardtraining (2614)-pobimrbr (2605) Blitz 2024*)* 15.a5 Nce7 16.Bb3 Be6 17.Bxe6 Qxe6 18.Qb3 Qxb3 19.Nxb3 h6 20.dxe5 fxe5 21.Nbd2 Bxe3 22.Rxe3 Nf4 23.Kh2 g5 24.g3 Ne6 25.b4 Rf7 26.Rb1 Raf8 27.Kg2 h5 28.Re2 Kg7 29.Ne1 g4 30.h4 Ng6 31.Nd3 Rd8 32.b5 axb5 33.Rxb5 c6 34.Rb6 Ra8 35.Nc4 Rd7 36.Reb2 Ra7 37.Nb4 Nc5 38.f3 gxf3+ 39.Kxf3 Kf7 40.Rd2 Ke6 41.Ne3 Ne7 42.g4 hxg4+ 43.Kxg4 Ra8 44.Nf5 Rg8+ 45.Kf3 Nxf5 46.exf5+ Kxf5 47.a6 bxa6 48.Rxc6 e4+ 49.Kf2 Kf4 50.Nd5+ Ke5 51.Ne3 Nd3+ 52.Kf1 Rf8+ 53.Ke2 Rb7 54.Kd1

Rf3 55.Nc4+ Kf4 56.Kc2 Rf1 57.Rd1 Rf2+ 58.Rd2 e3 59.Kxd3 exd2 60.Nxd2 Rxd2+ 61.Kxd2 Ke5 62.Kd3 Kd5 0-1 (62) Ruoxiax (2638)-vaynetop (2713) Blitz 2023;

B) 13.a3 Qe7 14.d5 Nd8 15.Bxa7 Rxa7 16.Ne1 f5 17.exf5 Bxf5 18.Bxf5 Rxf5 19.Ne4 Ra8 20.Nd3 Nf4 21.Re1 Nxd5 22.Ng3 Rf8 23.Nxe5 dxe5 24.Qxd5 Nc6 25.Rad1 Rad8 26.Qe4 Qc5 27.Qe2 h6 28.Ne4 Qe7 29.Rxd8 Rxd8 30.Rd1 Rxd1+ 31.Qxd1 Qd8 32.Qg4 Qe8 33.Kh2 Kh7 34.Qe2 Qe7 35.Qd3 Kh8 36.Qd5 Nd8 37.b4 c6 38.Qa5 Nf7 39.Qb6 Ng5 40.Ng3 e4 41.Qe3 Qe5 42.h4 Nf7 43.Qxe4 Qc7 44.f4 Nd6 45.Qe5 Qd7 46.h5 Nc4 47.Qe4 Nxa3 48.Nf5 Nb5 49.Ne7 Nd6 50.Ng6+ Kg8 51.Qe5 Nf7 52.Qb8+ Nd8 53.c4 Qe8 54.c5 Qd7 55.Qe5 Qf7 56.Ne7+ Kf8 57.Ng6+ Kg8 58.Qd6 Qf6 59.Qd7 Ne6 60.Qe8+ Nf8 61.Nxf8 1-0 (61) persianking2000 (2715)-povadingo (2661) Blitz 2024]

[12...Qe8 13.Re1 Nd8 14.a4 *(14.Nf1 Ne6 15.Ng3 Ngf4 16.Qd2 Nh5 17.Nf5 g6 18.Ng3 Nxg3 19.fxg3 b5 20.Rf1 Bb7 21.Rae1 c5 22.d5 Ng7 23.g4 Bc8 24.Kh2 c4 25.Rf2 Qe7 26.Ref1 Bxe3 27.Qxe3 Bd7 28.Ng1 Kg8 29.Ne2 Ne8 30.Ng3 Bc8 31.g5 Kg7 32.Bd1 Qa7 33.Qd2 Rb8 34.gxf6+ Rxf6 35.Rxf6 Nxf6 36.Qg5 Ng8 37.Nh5+ Kh8 38.Rf8 Bxh3 39.Qf6+ Qg7 40.Qxg7#* 1-0 (40) Puranik,A (2608)-Aradhya,G (2275) chess24.com INT 2022*)* 14...Ne6 15.a5 Ngf4 16.Nf1 Bd7 17.Ng3 Ng5 18.b4 h6 19.Rc1 Qc8 20.dxe5 fxe5 21.Nxg5 hxg5 22.Bxf4 Rxf4 23.Qh5+ Kg8 24.Re2 g4 25.Nf5 Qe8 26.Bb3+ Be6 27.Qg5 Rxf5 28.Bxe6+ Qxe6 29.exf5 Qf7 30.hxg4 Rf8 31.c4 Bd4 32.g3 Qd7 33.Kg2 Qc6+ 34.f3 Rf6 35.Re4 Qa4 36.Qd2 Qc6 37.f4 Rf7 38.Qd3 Re7 39.Kf3 Rf7 40.Rh1 Qa4 41.g5 Qxb4 42.g6 Rf6 43.Kg4 Qc5 44.Rhe1 Qc6 45.Rxd4 exd4 46.Qxd4 Qd7 47.Qd5+ Kf8 48.Re6 c6 49.Qxd6+ Qxd6 50.Rxd6 Rxd6 51.Kg5 Ke7 52.g4 Rf6 53.Kh5 c5 54.g5 Rxf5 55.Kg4 Rf8 56.f5 Kd6 57.f6 Ke5 58.fxg7 Rg8 59.Kh5 Ke6 60.Kh6 Kf5 61.Kh7 Re8 62.g8Q Re7+ 63.Qf7+ Rxf7+ 64.gxf7 Ke5 65.f8Q Kd4 66.Qf7 1-0 (66) IsolatedMushroom (2708)-Calzonesdesuperman (2660) Blitz 2024]

[12...a5 13.a3 Bd7 14.Rb1 b5 15.b4 Rb8 16.d5 Bxe3 17.fxe3 Nce7 18.bxa5 Ra8 19.Nb3 Qb8 20.Bd3 Qa7 21.Qe2 Nf4 22.Qd2 f5 23.Rb2 c6 24.dxc6 Bxc6 25.Ng5 h6 26.Bb1 hxg5 27.Kh2 Nh5 28.exf5 Nf6 29.Qxd6 e4 30.Nd4 Rac8 31.Ne6 Rfe8 32.g4 Qxe3 33.Qg3 Qxg3+ 34.Kxg3 Ned5 35.a6 Ra8 36.Rc1 Rxa6 37.Rb3 Ra4 38.Nc5 Rc4 39.Ne6 e3 40.Kf3 Nf4+ 41.Kxe3 Nxe6 42.fxe6 Rxe6+ 43.Kf2 Rf4+ 44.Kg1 Re2 45.c4 Rg2+ 46.Kh1 Rc2+ 0-1 (46) puziko52 (2701)-Bugzilla (2757) Blitz 2022]

13.cxd4

[13.Nxd4 Nxd4 14.cxd4 d5 15.Qh5 dxe4 16.Nxe4 Qe8 17.Rae1 Qf7 18.Nc5 f5 19.Bb3 Qf6 20.Bg5 Qxd4 21.Ne6 Bxe6 22.Rxe6 Nf4 23.Bxf4 Qxf4 24.Kh1 Rad8 25.Re7 Bb6 26.Bf7 Qh6 27.Qxh6 gxh6 28.Bb3 Rde8 29.Rfe1 Rxe7 30.Rxe7 h5

31.Kg1 h4 32.Kf1 Rc8 33.Ke2 Bc5 34.Rf7 Bd6 35.Rxf5 Kg7 36.Rg5+ Kh6 37.Rg4 Re8+ 38.Kf1 Be7 39.Re4 Kg7 40.Rg4+ Kf6 41.Rf4+ Kg6 42.Bf7+ Kg5 43.Rg4+ 1-0 (43) AvoNSWFins0034 (2755)-Dictator02 (2656) Blitz 2024]

13...Nce7 14.Re1 c6 15.Rc1

[15.b4 d5 16.e5 fxe5 17.dxe5 Bxe3 18.Rxe3 Bf5 19.Nd4 Bxc2 20.Qxc2 Nf4 21.Rae1 Neg6 22.N2f3 Qe7 23.g3 Nxh3+ 24.Kg2 Ng5 25.Rh1 Nxf3 26.Qxg6 Nh4+ 27.Rxh4 Qxh4 28.Qd3 Qe7 29.a3 a5 30.b5 c5 31.Nf5 Qe6 32.Nd6 d4 33.Re2 Rad8 34.Qe4 b6 35.f4 g6 36.Qc6 Qg4 37.Rf2 h5 38.Qf3 Qxf3+ 39.Kxf3 Rxd6 40.exd6 Rd8 41.Ke4 Rxd6 42.Kd3 Kg7 43.Re2 Kf7 44.Re5 Re6 45.Rd5 Re3+ 46.Kd2 Rxa3 47.Rd6 Rxg3 48.Rxb6 Rb3 49.Rb8 a4 50.b6 Kg7 51.Kc2 d3+ 52.Kd2 c4 53.Rc8 Rxb6 54.Rxc4 Ra6 55.Kxd3 a3 56.Rc1 a2 57.Ra1 Kf6 58.Ke4 Ra4+ 59.Ke3 Kf5 60.Kf3 Rxf4+ 61.Ke3 Ra4 62.Kd3 Kg5 63.Kc3 Kh6 64.Kb3 Ra8 65.Kb2 h4 66.Kc3 Kh5 67.Kd3 g5 68.Ke3 h3 69.Kf2 Kh4 70.Kf3 g4+ 71.Kf2 Rf8+ 72.Kg1 Ra8 73.Kf2 g3+ 74.Kg1 h2+ 75.Kh1 Kh3 0-1 (75) EleKtRoMaGnIt (2800)-KKlie4 (2834) Blitz 2023]

[15.Nf1 d5 16.Ng3 Kuzmin, Alexey: 'Black can continue' dxe4 (Kuzmin, Alexey: 'or' *16...f5* Kuzmin, Alexey: '⇄!?' ; *16...Be6* Kuzmin, Alexey: '⇄!?') 17.Nxe4 Nd5 Kuzmin, Alexey: 'with counterplay in any case.']

15...d5 16.e5 fxe5 17.Nxe5 Nxe5 18.dxe5 Bxe3 19.Rxe3 Bf5 20.Nf3 Bxc2 21.Rxc2 Ng6 22.Nd4 Qh4 23.Rd2 Nf4 24.Kh2 Rae8 25.Qe1 c5 26.Nf3 Qh5 27.Qd1 d4 28.Re4 Nxh3 29.Rh4 Nxf2 30.Rxh5 Nxd1 31.Rxd1 b6 32.b4 g6 33.Rh4 Kg7 34.bxc5 bxc5 35.Rc1 Rc8 36.Ng5 Rf5 37.Nf3 Rff8 38.Re4 h6 39.e6 Rfe8 40.Re5 Kf6 41.Rexc5 Rxc5 42.Rxc5 Rxe6 43.Nxd4 Rb6 44.Ra5 h5 45.Nb3 Kg7 46.Nc5 Rb2 47.Rxa6 g5 48.Ne6+ Kf6 49.Nf4+ Kf5 50.Nxh5 1-0 (50) dmitrijiiiGM (2852)-pozvonochek (2875) Blitz 2025

11...Qe7 12.Re1 Nd8 13.Nf1 Ne6 14.Bb3

[14.Ng3 Nef4 15.Qd2 Kh8 16.Bb3 Be6 17.Nf5 Qd7 18.Bxe6 Nxe6 19.Rad1 Rae8 20.Kh2 Bb8 21.g3 Qf7 22.Kg2 Ne7 23.Nxe7 Qxe7 24.d5 Nd8 25.Nh4 g6 26.Bh6 Rf7 27.c4 Ba7 28.Qe2 f5 29.exf5 gxf5 30.Qh5 Qf6 31.Bg5 Qg7 32.Nxf5 Rxf5 33.Qxe8+ Rf8 34.Qh5 Rxf2+ 35.Kh1 Nf7 36.Be3 Qxg3 37.Bxf2 Bxf2 38.Rf1 e4 39.Qg4 Qxg4 40.hxg4 e3 41.Rxf2 exf2 42.Rf1 Ne5 43.Rxf2 Kg7 44.Rf4 Nd3 45.Re4 Kf7 46.Re2 Ne5 47.b3 Nxg4 48.Kg2 Ne5 49.Kg3 Ke7 50.Rh2 Kd8 51.Rxh7 Kc8 52.Kf4 Nd3+ 53.Ke4 Nc1 54.Rh2 b5 55.cxb5 Nxa2 56.Rxa2 axb5 1-0 (56) diolley (2626)-vovaches (2638) Blitz 2022]

14...Kh8 15.Bxe6 Bxe6 16.dxe5 fxe5 17.Bxa7 Rxa7 18.Ne3 Nf4 19.Nd5 Bxd5 20.exd5 Qf7 21.Ng5 Qxd5 22.Qxd5 Nxd5 23.Rad1 Nf4 24.g3 Ng6 25.Ne6 Rc8 26.c4 b6 27.b4 a5 28.a3 axb4 29.axb4 Ra4 30.c5 Rxb4 31.cxd6 cxd6 32.Rxd6 Rb2 33.h4 Kg8 34.h5 Nf8 35.Rxe5 Nxe6 36.Rdxe6 h6 37.Rf5 Rf8 38.Rxf8+ Kxf8 39.Rc6 b5 40.Rb6 b4 41.Kg2 Kg8 42.g4 Rb1

43.Kg3 b3 44.f3 Kf7 45.Kf4 Kg8 46.Kf5 Kh7 47.f4 b2 48.Rb8 Rc1 49.Rxb2 Rc5+ 50.Ke6 Rc4 51.Ke5 Rc5+ 52.Kd4 Ra5 53.Rb4 Ra3 54.Ke5 Rg3 55.Kf5 Ra3 56.Rb5 Ra4 57.Re5 Rb4 58.Ra5 Rc4 59.Rb5 Ra4 60.Ke5 Rc4 61.Ra5 Rb4 62.Kf5 Rc4 63.Ra3 Rb4 64.Ke5 Rb5+ 65.Ke4 Rb4+ 66.Ke3 Rb1 67.Kf3 Rf1+ 68.Ke4 Rg1 69.Kf5 Rc1 70.g5 Rc5+ 71.Kg4 hxg5 72.fxg5 Rc4+ 73.Kf5 Rc5+ 74.Ke6 Rc4 75.g6+ 1-0 (75) dr_XXL (2802)-vovaches (2695) Blitz 2024

11...h6 12.Qe2 f5 13.Bxc6 bxc6 14.exf5 Bxf5 15.dxe5 Bxe3 16.Qxe3 Qd7 17.exd6 cxd6 18.Nd4 Rae8 19.Qg3 Ne5 20.Rae1 Bd3 21.f4 Bxf1 22.fxe5 dxe5 23.Rxe5 Rxe5 24.Qxe5 Bd3 25.N2b3 Qf7 26.Nc5 Qf1+ 27.Kh2 Rf2 28.Qg3 Bc4 29.Nce6 Rf7 30.b3 Bxe6 31.Nxe6 Qe2 32.Qb8+ Kh7 33.Nf8+ Kg8 34.Ng6+ Kh7 35.Nf8+ Kg8 36.Ng6+ Kh7 37.Nf8+ ½-½ (37) EleKtRoMaGnIt (2773)-IMFAR (2720) Blitz 2021

12.Re1

[12.Qb3+ Kh8 13.Qxb7 Bb6 *(13...Nxd4 14.Bxd4 Bxa4 15.Bxa7 c5 16.b3* 1-0 (16) THEMAFIA (2668)-CQQQ30 (2761) Blitz 2021*)* 14.Bxc6 Ra7 15.Qxa7 Bxa7 16.Bd5 c6 17.Bc4 Qe7 18.Bxa6 d5 19.exd5 cxd5 20.Rfe1 e4 21.Nh2 f5 22.f4 Bb8 23.g3 h5 24.h4 Nxh4 25.gxh4 Qxh4 26.Ndf1 Bxf4 27.Bxf4 Qxf4 28.c4 Rf6 29.Bb7 Rg6+ 30.Kh1 Qg5 31.Ne3 f4 32.Rg1 Qh6 33.Nxd5 Bf5 34.Ne7 Rxg1+ 35.Rxg1 Bh7 36.c5 Qe6 37.Nd5 e3 38.Nxf4 Be4+ 39.Bxe4 Qxe4+ 40.Ng2 Qxd4 41.c6 Qc5 42.c7 Qxc7 43.Nxe3 Qc6+ 44.Rg2 Qe4 45.Nhf1 h4 46.Kg1 Kh7 47.Rg4 Qe7 48.b4 Kh6 49.Nf5+ Kh5 50.Nxe7 Kxg4 51.b5 1-0 (51) PioneerZhangBeihai (2761)-spectraline (2613) Blitz 2023]

12...Qe8

[12...Kh8

A) 13.Rc1

A1) 13...Nce7 'N!?' New and interesting.Theoretisch interessant. 14.c4 *(14.Bxd7 Qxd7 15.c4 exd4 16.Nxd4 f5 17.exf5 Nxf5 18.Nxf5 Qxf5 19.Bxa7 Rxa7 20.Qf3 Raa8 21.Qxf5 Rxf5 22.Rc3 Raf8 23.f3 Re5 24.Rxe5 Nxe5 25.Kf2 Kg8 26.Nf1 Kf7 27.Ne3 Ke6 28.h4 h5 29.Kg3 c6 30.f4 Nd7 31.Kf3 Nf6 32.Rc2 g6 33.a4 a5 34.Re2 Kd7 35.Nc2 Ng4 36.b3 Ne5+ 37.Ke4 Ng4 38.Kf3 Ne5+ 39.Ke4 Ng4* ½-½ (39) Hou,Y (2633)-Koneru,H (2530) London, United Kingdom 2024 *)* 14...b5 15.Bb3 c5 16.dxc5 dxc5 17.cxb5 axb5 18.Bxc5 Bxc5 19.Rxc5 Qb6 20.Qc2 Nf4 21.Nf1 Bc6 22.Rc1 Bb7 23.Ne3 Rad8 24.Rc7 Neg6 25.Nf5 Nd3 26.Nxg7 Nxc1 27.Qxc1 Bxe4 28.Ne6 Nf4 29.Nxf8 Ne2+ 30.Kh2 Nxc1 31.Ne6 Nxb3 32.Re7 Bxf3 33.axb3 Bd5 34.Nxd8 Qxd8 35.Ra7 e4 36.Kg1 Qb6 37.Rd7 Qd4 38.Re7 f5 39.g3 b4 40.h4 Qxb2 41.h5 Bxb3 42.h6 Qc1+ 43.Kg2 Qxh6 44.Re6 Bxe6 0-1 (44) vistagusta (2811)-ma_long_ma (2688) Blitz 2024;

A2) 13...Nge7 14.Nf1 Qe8 15.Bc2 a5 16.Ng3 a4 17.Qd2 b5 18.b3 Na5 19.d5 Bxe3 20.Rxe3 f5 21.exf5 Nxf5 22.Nxf5 Bxf5 23.Bxf5 Rxf5

24.Nd4 Rf6 25.Qc2 axb3 26.axb3 Qg6 27.Nxb5 Qxc2 28.Rxc2 Nxb3 29.Nxc7 Ra1+ 30.Kh2 Nc5 31.Ne8 Rg6 32.Rb2 h5 33.Rb6 Ra6 34.Rxa6 Nxa6 35.Re4 Kg8 36.Rc4 Kf7 37.Rc6 Kxe8 38.Rxa6 Ke7 39.Ra7+ Kf6 40.f3 h4 41.c4 e4 42.fxe4 Ke5 43.Re7+ Kd4 44.Re6 Rg3 45.Rxd6 Ke3 46.Rd7 Kxe4 47.c5 Rc3 48.c6 Ke5 49.c7 1-0 (49) DmDonCh (2730)-elconceto (2866) Blitz 2023;

A3) 13...Qe8

A3a) 14.a3 Nxd4 15.cxd4 Bxa4 16.b3 Bc6 17.d5 Bd7 18.Rxc7 Bxe3 19.Rxe3 Rb8 20.Qc2 f5 21.Nc4 Rf6 22.exf5 Bxf5 23.Nxd6 Qd8 24.Nxf5 Rxf5 25.Qxf5 Qxc7 26.Nxe5 Kg8 27.Qe6+ 1-0 (27) vistagusta (2825)-Calzonesdesuperman (2676) Blitz 2024;

A3b) 14.Bc2

A3b1) 14...f5 15.exf5 Bxf5 16.Bxf5 *(16.dxe5 Bxc2 17.Rxc2 Ngxe5 18.Bxa7 Rxa7 19.Nxe5 Nxe5 20.Nc4 Ra8 21.Nxe5 dxe5 22.Qd5 c6 23.Qxe5 Qg6 24.Rce2 h6 25.Qe4 Qxe4 26.Rxe4 Rad8 27.Re7 Rd2 28.R1e2 Rxe2 29.Rxe2 Rf5 30.g3 Kg8 31.Kg2 Kf7 32.f4 a5 33.Kf3 Rd5 34.a3 a4 35.Re4 Rd2 36.Rxa4 c5 37.Rc4 b6 38.b4 Rd3+ 39.Kg4 cxb4 40.axb4 b5 41.Rc5 g6 42.Rxb5 h5+ 43.Kh4 Rxc3 44.g4 hxg4 45.hxg4 Kf6 46.Rb6+ Kf7 47.Kg5* 1-0 (47) Matlakov,M (2662)-Nogerbek,K (2474) chess.com INT 2023*)* 16...Rxf5 17.Ne4 *(17.Qb3 Rb8 18.Qd5 Nce7 19.Qc4 e4 20.Nh2 c6 21.f3 d5 22.Qe2 exf3 23.Ndxf3 Rf8 24.Ng4 Nf5 25.Bd2 c5 26.Qxe8 Rbxe8 27.Ne3 Ng3 28.dxc5 Bxc5 29.Nd4 Nf4 30.Kh2 Ne4 31.Rcd1 Nd3 32.Rf1 Nxb2 33.Rxf8+ Rxf8 34.Rb1 Nd3 35.Be1 Nxe1 36.Rxe1 Nxc3 37.Ne6 Bd6+ 38.g3 Rf2+ 39.Kg1 Bxg3 40.Nf1 Re2 41.Rc1 Be5 42.Nf4 Rxa2 43.Nd3 Ne2+* 0-1 (43) Grischuk,A (2773)-Nihal Sarin (2650) chess.com INT 2021*; 17.Ng5 h6 18.Nge4 exd4 19.cxd4 Qf7 20.Qg4 Rf8 21.Ng3 Rd5 22.Nf3 Nb4 23.Qe4 Nc6 24.a3 Bb6 25.Qg4 Nce7 26.Ne4 Rf5 27.Ng3 Rb5 28.Re2 Nd5 29.Nh5 Nf6 30.Nxf6 Qxf6 31.Rce1 a5 32.Nd2 Qf5 33.Nc4 Qxg4 34.hxg4 Ba7 35.g3 a4 36.Kg2 Kg8 37.d5 Bxe3 38.Nxe3 Ne5 39.Rd1 Nd7 40.Nf5 Nc5 41.f3 Rf7 42.Rd4 Rb3 43.Rb4 h5 44.Ne7+ Kh7 45.g5 g6 46.Rf4 Rxf4 47.gxf4 Kg7 48.f5 gxf5 49.f4 Kf7 50.Nxf5 h4 51.Nxh4 Nd3 52.Re4* Time forfeit 1-0 (52) gogotaniye (2753)-AgressiveMode (2809) Blitz 2024 *)* 17...exd4 18.Bxd4 Nxd4 19.cxd4 Qd7

20.Neg5 Bb6 21.Re3 Nf4 22.Qc2 Raf8 23.Rce1 h6 24.Re7 Qb5 25.Ne6 Nxe6 26.R1xe6 Kg8 27.Qe4 Qd5 28.Qg4 R5f7 29.Rxf7 Rxf7 30.Rxh6 Qxa2 31.Re6 Qxb2 32.Re8+ Rf8 33.Qe6+ 1-0 (33) Grischuk, A (2773)-Nihal Sarin (2650) chess.com INT 2021;

A3b2) 14...Nf4 15.Bxf4 exf4 16.Bd3 g5 17.Nh2 Qg6 18.Be2 Rae8 19.Bh5 Qg7 20.Bxe8 Rxe8 21.Nc4 b5 22.Nd2 Qg6 23.a4 h5 24.axb5 axb5 25.Ra1 Bb6 26.Nhf1 Kg7 27.Qb3 g4 28.h4 Rh8 29.Ra6 g3 30.Rxb6 gxf2+ 31.Kxf2 cxb6 32.Qd5 Rd8 33.Nf3 b4 34.N1d2 bxc3 35.bxc3 Be8 36.Ra1 Qg4 37.Kg1 Kh6 38.Ra6 Bd7 39.Rxb6 Rg8 40.Ng5 Rg7 41.Qxd6 Qxh4 42.Qxf6+ Rg6 43.Nf7+ Kh7 44.Qh8# 1-0 (44) mindSet2020 (2751)-SaxKaiGoal (2670) Blitz 2023;

A3b3) 14...Nd8 15.Nf1 a5 *(15...Ne6 16.Ng3 Ngf4 17.Qd2 g5 18.Kh2 Rg8 19.Rcd1 Bc8 20.Bb3 g4 21.Nh4 gxh3 22.gxh3 Bd7 23.Rg1 Rg5 24.Nf3 Rg6 25.dxe5 Nxh3 26.Kxh3 Nf4+ 27.Kh2 Rh6+* 0-1 (27) Volokitin,A (2674)-Sabuk,P (2406) Katowice POL 2024 *)* 16.Ng3 b5 17.Qd2 Ne6 18.Nf5 Ngf4 19.Kh2 a4 20.Red1 g6 21.Ng3 Bb6 22.dxe5 fxe5 23.Nxe5 Bc8 24.Bxb6 cxb6 25.Qxd6 Bb7 26.Qxb6 Rb8 27.Nd7 Nxg2 28.Nxb8 Nh4 29.Nd7 Rf7 30.Ne5 Ng5 31.Nxf7+ Qxf7 32.Qd8+ Kg7 33.Rd7 Nhf3+ 34.Kh1 Nxh3 35.Rxf7+ 1-0 (35) carrahe64 (2678)-gmmitkov (2606) Blitz 2022;

A3b4) 14...Nce7 15.Nf1 Rd8 16.Ng3 c5 17.b4 Nc6 18.a3 Nf4 19.Nf5 Qg6 20.Bxf4 exf4 21.Kh2 Rfe8 22.Nxd6 Bxh3 23.gxh3 Rxd6 24.e5 1-0 (24) Iron_Man1703 (2813)-spectraline (2560) Blitz 2024;

A3c) 14.Nf1 Nxd4 15.cxd4 Bxa4 16.b3 exd4 17.Nxd4 Bxd4 18.Bxd4 Bc6 19.Ng3 Qf7 20.f3 Rfe8 21.Re2 Nf4 22.Rec2 d5 23.Be3 Nh5 24.Nxh5 Qxh5 25.Rc5 Rad8 26.Bf4 Qh4 27.Bxc7 Rd7 28.exd5 Bb5 29.a4 Be2 30.Qe1 Qd4+ 31.Qf2 Rxd5 32.Qxd4 Rxd4 33.Bb6 Rd6 34.Rc8 Rde6 35.Rxe8+ Rxe8 36.Rc7 Bd1 37.Rc3 Kg8 38.a5 h5 39.Kf2 h4 40.b4 Ba4 41.Rc4 g5 42.Rc7 Bc6 43.Bd4 Re6 44.Rc8+ Kf7 45.Rc7+ Kg6 46.Rc8 Rd6 47.Ke3 f5 48.Rg8+ Kh6 49.Bc5 f4+ 50.Kf2 Rd2+ 51.Kg1 Rd5 52.Be7 Bb5 53.Bf8+ Kh7 54.Rg7+ Kh8 55.Rxb7 Rd1+ 56.Kh2 Rd2 57.Bg7+ Kg8 58.Bc3 Rd5 59.Rg7+ Kf8 60.Rg6 Kf7 61.Rg7+ Kf8 62.Bf6 Rf5

63.Bd4 Bc4 64.Rc7 1-0 (64) Warrior211 (2780)-ma_long_ma (2722) Blitz 2024;

A3d) 14.Bxc6 Bxc6 15.c4 a5 16.Qb3 a4 17.Qa3 exd4 18.Bxd4 Bxd4 19.Nxd4 b6 20.Qg3 Bb7 21.f4 Qf7 22.Kh2 Rfe8 23.Re3 Nf8 24.Rce1 Ne6 25.Nf5 Nc5 26.Qh4 Bc8 27.Ng3 Bd7 28.Nh5 Re7 29.Rg3 Rg8 30.e5 dxe5 31.fxe5 Rxe5 32.Rxe5 fxe5 33.Nf3 Be8 34.Rg5 Nd7 35.Nxe5 Nxe5 36.Rxe5 Qf8 37.Nf4 Bf7 38.Rf5 Qe8 39.Qg5 Rf8 40.Re5 Qd8 41.Re7 Rg8 42.Nd5 Bxd5 43.cxd5 Qd6+ 44.Kh1 h6 45.Qe5 Qxe5 46.Rxe5 Rd8 47.Kg1 Kg8 48.Kf2 Kf7 49.Ke3 Kf6 50.Kd4 Rd6 51.Ke4 g6 52.Re8 c6 53.dxc6 Rxc6 54.Ra8 b5 55.b3 axb3 56.axb3 Rc3 57.h4 Rxb3 58.Ra6+ Kf7 59.Ra7+ Kf6 60.Ra6+ Kf7 61.Ra7+ Ke6 62.Ra6+ Kd7 63.Rxg6 Rb4+ 64.Kf3 Rxh4 65.Rb6 Rh5 66.g4 Kc7 67.Re6 Rh3+ 68.Kg2 Rd3 69.Rxh6 b4 70.Rh1 b3 71.Rb1 Kd6 72.g5 Kc5 73.g6 Kb4 74.Kf2 Rd7 75.Rg1 Rg7 76.Ke3 b2 77.Kd2 Kb3 0-1 (77) Bacrot,E (2669)-Grischuk,A (2732) chess.com INT 2023;

A3e) 14.Bb3 Nd8 15.Nf1 Ne6 16.Ng3 Ngf4 17.Kh2 c6 18.Nf5 Bb8 19.g3 Ng6 20.d5 Ng5 21.Bxg5 fxg5 22.Nxg5 Bxf5 23.exf5 Rxf5 24.Ne4 c5 25.Qg4 Qf7 26.Kg2 Bc7 27.Bc2 Rf8 28.Re2 Qxd5 29.Rd1 Qc6 30.c4 b5 31.b3 Ne7 32.Kg1 h6 33.h4 R5f7 34.Red2 Qb7 35.Rxd6 Bxd6 36.Nxd6 Qc7 37.Qe4 Rf5 38.g4 bxc4 39.gxf5 Ng8 40.Nxc4 Nf6 41.Qxe5 Qf7 42.Nd6 Qh5 43.Qg3 Kh7 44.Re1 Kh8 45.Re7 Rg8 46.Nf7+ Kh7 47.Qg6+ Qxg6+ 48.fxg6# 1-0 (48) AndreyBelozerov (2655)-alfredogto (2639) Blitz 2024;

A3f) 14.d5 Nce7 15.Bxd7 Qxd7 16.Bxa7 Rxa7 17.c4 Nf4 18.Qb3 b6 19.Qe3 f5 20.b4 fxe4 21.Qxe4 Neg6 22.Re3 Rf6 23.c5 Nxg2 24.cxb6 cxb6 25.Kxg2 Nf4+ 26.Kf1 Qxh3+ 27.Ke1 Ng2+ 28.Ke2 Nxe3 29.Qxe3 Raf7 30.Rc3 h6 31.a4 Rf4 32.a5 bxa5 33.bxa5 e4 34.Nd4 Rxf2+ 35.Kd1 Qh5+ 36.Kc2 Qxd5 37.Kc1 Kh7 38.Qxe4+ Qxe4 39.Nxe4 R2f4 40.Nxd6 R7f6 41.Ne8 Rf8 42.Nxg7 Rxd4 43.Ne6 Rf1+ 44.Kc2 Rd6 45.Rc7+ Kg6 46.Nc5 Rf5 47.Nd3 Rxa5 48.Kc3 Ra3+ 49.Kb4 Raxd3 50.Rc8 R6d4+ 51.Ka5 Ra3+ 52.Kb6 Rb4+ 53.Ka7 Rf3 54.Rg8+ Kh5 55.Rg1 Rf6 56.Ka8 Re4 57.Rh1+ Kg6 58.Rg1+ Kh7 59.Rc1 Re7 60.Rc8 Kg7 61.Rd8 Rf8 62.Rb8 a5 0-1 (62) WorkTim1 (2864)-varunvar (2748) Blitz 2024;

B) 13.Bb3 '!?' An interesting side line. Eine interessante Nebenvariante.

B1) 13...Nce7 14.Nf1 *(14.a4 Qe8 15.Qc2 a5 16.Rad1 Nc6 17.Nf1 f5 18.dxe5 fxe4 19.Qxe4 Ngxe5 20.Nxe5 Nxe5 21.Bxa7 Rxa7 22.Qd4 Ra6 23.Rxe5 dxe5 24.Qxd7 Qxd7 25.Rxd7 Rb6 26.Nd2 e4 27.Rxc7 h6 28.Bc4 e3 29.fxe3 Rxb2 30.Nf3 Re8 31.Bf7 Rf8 32.Nd4 Rb1+ 33.Kh2 Re1 34.Rxb7 Rxe3 35.Rc7 Kh7 36.Bd5 Rf4 37.Ne6 Rxa4 38.Nf8+ Kh8 39.Ng6+ Kh7 40.Bf7 h5 41.Rc8 Kh6 42.h4* 1-0 (42) Abdusattorov,N (2769)-Kasimdzhanov,R (2685) Tashkent UZB 2024*; 14.Rc1 h6 15.Nf1 exd4 16.Nxd4 f5 17.Nxf5 Nxf5 18.exf5 Bxf5 19.Bxa7 Rxa7 20.Ng3 Qf6 21.Nxf5 Qxf5 22.Qd4 Raa8 23.Bc2 Qg5 24.g3 Rf6 25.h4 Qc5 26.Qxc5 dxc5 27.Bxg6 Rxg6 28.Re7 Rc6 29.Rd1 Rd6 30.Rxd6 cxd6 31.Rxb7 Re8 32.Kf1 a5 33.b3 d5 34.Rb5 Rc8 35.Rxa5 d4 36.cxd4 cxd4 37.Rd5 Rc2 38.a4 Rb2 39.Rxd4 Rxb3 40.h5 Ra3 41.Kg2 Kg8 42.g4 Kf7 43.f3 Ke6 44.Kg3 Ke5 45.Re4+ Kf6 46.Kf4 Ra1 47.Rb4 Ra2 48.Rb6+ Kf7 49.Ra6 Ra3 50.Ke4 Ke7 51.f4 Rg3 52.Kf5 Ra3 53.Ra7+ Kf8 54.Kg6 Rg3 55.g5 hxg5 56.fxg5 Rg1 57.Rxg7* 1-0 (57) DarkAlekhine (2678)-spectraline (2552) Blitz 2022 *)*

B1a) 14...exd4 15.Nxd4 *(15.cxd4 d5 16.exd5 Bb5 17.Rc1 Nxd5 18.Bxd5 Qxd5 19.Rxc7 Bc6 20.Qb3 Qxb3 21.axb3 Bb6 22.Rxc6 bxc6 23.Rc1 Rac8 24.N1d2 Ne7 25.Nc4 Bc7 26.Ra1 Ra8 27.Nfd2 Rfb8 28.Ra3 Kg8 29.Ne4 Kf7 30.Nc5 a5 31.Bd2 Nd5 32.Bxa5 Bxa5 33.Nxa5 Nb4 34.Nc4 Rxa3 35.bxa3 Nd5 36.a4 Ke7 37.a5 Nb4 38.a6 Ra8 39.Nb6 Ra7 40.Nc8+ Kd8 41.Nxa7 Kc7 42.Nxc6 Nxc6 43.d5 Na7 44.Ne6+ Kd6 45.Nxg7 Kxd5 46.Kh2 Kd4 47.Nh5 Kc3 48.Nxf6 h6 49.Ng4 Kxb3 50.Nxh6 Kb4 51.Nf5 Kb5 52.h4 Nc6 53.h5 Ne5 54.h6 Kxa6 55.h7 Ng6 56.Nh6 Kb7 57.Nf7 Kc6 58.h8Q Nxh8 59.Nxh8 Kd7 60.Ng6 Ke6 61.Nh4 Kf6 62.g3 Kg7 63.Kg2 Kf6 64.f4 Kg7 65.Kf3 Kf6 66.g4 Kg7 67.g5 Kf7 68.Kg4 Kg7 69.f5 Kf7 70.f6 Ke6 71.Kh5 Kd5 72.Kg6 Ke6 73.f7 Ke5 74.f8Q Kd5 75.Qf6 Kc4* ½-½ (75) vadapav2609 (2646)-spectraline (2593) Blitz 2023*)*

15...Bxd4 16.Bxd4 Nc6 17.Ng3 f5 18.exf5 Nge5 19.Bxe5 Nxe5 20.Bc2 Qh4 21.Qd4 Qh6 22.Re3 Bc6 23.Be4 Bxe4 24.Qxe4 c6 25.Rd1 Rad8 26.Re2 Nf7 27.c4 Ng5 28.Qe7 Qf6 29.Qxf6 Rxf6 30.Ne4 Nxe4 31.Rxe4 Rxf5 32.Rxd6 Rff8 33.Rxd8 Rxd8 34.Re7 b5 35.Rc7 bxc4 36.Rxc6 h6 37.Rxc4 Rd1+ 38.Kh2 Rd2 39.Rb4 Rxf2 40.a3 Rc2 41.Rb6 a5 42.a4 Kh7 43.b3 Rc3 44.h4 h5 45.g3 g6

46.Kh3 Kg7 47.Rb5 Kf6 48.Rxa5 Rxb3 49.Rg5 Ra3 50.a5 Ra2 51.Rb5 Kf7 52.Rb7+ Kg8 53.Ra7 Kh8 54.a6 Kg8 55.Ra8+ Kg7 56.a7 Kh7 57.g4 Ra3+ 58.Kg2 hxg4 59.Kf2 g3+ 60.Kg2 Kg7 61.Kh3 Kh7 62.Kg2 Kg7 63.Kh3 Kh7 64.Kg2 ½-½ (64) Fermalu (2676)-spectraline (2601) Blitz 2023;

B1b) 14...c5 15.a4 Rc8 16.dxc5 dxc5 17.a5 Qc7 18.Bc4 Rcd8 19.N1d2 h6 20.Qe2 Bc6 21.b4 f5 22.Ng5 f4 23.Bxc5 Bxc5 24.bxc5 Rxd2 25.Qxd2 hxg5 26.Qd6 Qxd6 27.cxd6 Nc8 28.Red1 Rd8 29.Bf7 Nf8 30.Bd5 Rxd6 31.Bxc6 Rxc6 32.Rd8 Kg8 33.Rb1 Rc7 34.Re8 Kf7 35.Rxe5 Ne6 36.Rb6 Nxb6 0-1 (36) Hou,Y (2658)-Indjic,A (2607) lichess.org INT 2021;

B1c) 14...Nf4 15.Bxf4 exf4 16.e5 fxe5 17.dxe5 Ng6 18.exd6 Bc6 19.dxc7 Qxc7 20.Ng5 f3 21.g3 Nf4 22.Qc2 g6 23.Ne6 Nxe6 24.Bxe6 Rae8 25.Rad1 Qg7 26.Bc4 Re2 27.Bxe2 fxe2 28.Rxe2 Qf7 29.Rd3 Bb5 30.Ne3 Qf3 31.c4 Bc6 32.Nd5 1-0 (32) SF-46 (2773)-drawingchest (2629) Blitz 2024;

B2) 13...a5 'N' 14.a4 *(14.Rc1 Qe8 15.Nf1 a4 16.Bc2 Na5 17.b3 b5 18.Ng3 Bb6 19.Qd2 Be6 20.Rb1 Qf7 21.Qd1 Rfb8 22.h4 Qg8 23.h5 Ne7 24.Nh4 axb3 25.axb3 Nb7 26.Ngf5 Re8 27.Nxe7 Rxe7 28.Ng6+ hxg6 29.hxg6 Qc8 30.Qh5+ Kg8 31.d5 Bf7 32.Qh7+ Kf8 33.gxf7 Rxf7 34.Bd3 Ke7 35.Bxb5 g5 36.Qh5 Nc5 37.f3 Ra2 38.b4 Na4 39.Bxb6 cxb6 40.Bc6 Nxc3 41.Rbc1 Ra3 42.Re3 Qa6 43.Qh8* 1-0 (43) Aryan,C (2637)-Ladan,N (2187) Saint Louis USA 2024*)* 14...Qe8 15.Nf1 Nd8 *(15...Nce7 16.Ng3 Bc6 17.Be6 Bd7 18.Bxd7 Qxd7 19.d5 Bxe3 20.Rxe3 f5 21.Re1 Nf4 22.c4 b6 23.Qd2 h6 24.Nh2 Rf7 25.b3 Raf8 26.Rf1 fxe4 27.Nxe4 Nf5 28.g3 Nxh3+ 29.Kg2 Nd4 30.Qe3 Nc2 31.Qc3 Nxa1 32.Qxa1 Qf5 33.Qe1 Kg8 34.f3 Ng5* 0-1 (34) cibona (2658)-ma_long_ma (2639) Blitz 2023*)* 16.Ng3 Ne6 17.Nf5 Nef4 18.Kh2 Rd8 19.g3 Ne6 20.d5 Nc5 21.Bc2 Bb6 22.b3 Bc8 23.Nd2 Nd7 24.Nc4 Bxe3 25.Ncxe3 b6 26.b4 Ne7 27.Bd3 Nxf5 28.Nxf5 g6 29.Nh6 Qe7 30.f4 Qg7 31.Ng4 f5 32.exf5 gxf5 33.Ne3 exf4 34.gxf4 Qxc3 35.bxa5 bxa5 36.Nxf5 Nf6 37.Ne7 Bd7 38.Qf3 Rf7 39.Rac1 Qb4 40.Re2 Re8 41.Rce1 Qxa4 42.Nc6 Rxe2+ 43.Rxe2 Bxc6 44.dxc6 Qd4 45.Bf5 a4 46.Qg3 Rg7 47.Qh4 Qg1# 0-1 (47) Zikator (2770)-AgeofExcuse (2683) Blitz 2023;

B3) 13...Qe8

B3a) 14.a4 Qc8 *(14...Nf4 15.Bxf4 exf4 16.Bd5 Qh5 17.Qb3 Na5 18.Qa2 Rae8 19.b4 Nc6 20.Qb3 g5 21.b5 Na5 22.Qb4 Bb6 23.c4 g4*

24.hxg4 Bxg4 25.c5 Bxf3 26.Nxf3 Rg8 27.Qc3 Rg6 28.cxb6 cxb6 29.Bf7 Rxg2+ 30.Kxg2 Qxf7 31.d5 Qg6+ 32.Kf1 Kg7 33.Qc7+ Kh6 34.Qxd6 Nc4 35.Qxf4+ Kg7 36.Qc7+ Kh8 37.Qxc4 Qg4 38.Qd3 1-0 (38) Ocinitram (2658)-CaptainSploosh (2715) Blitz 2022*)* 15.Kh2 h6 16.Bc2 f5 17.exf5 Bxf5 18.Bxf5 Qxf5 19.dxe5 Ncxe5 20.Bxa7 Rxa7 21.Qb1 Nd3 22.Rf1 Ngf4 23.Qc2 Nxg2 24.Rg1 Ngf4 25.Rg3 Nxf2 26.Qxf5 Rxf5 27.Re1 Rf7 28.Re8+ Kh7 29.Nh4 b5 30.a5 c5 31.Rf3 N2d3 32.Ne4 Rae7 33.Rxe7 Rxe7 34.Nxd6 Re2+ 35.Kg1 Rxb2 36.Nhf5 b4 37.cxb4 cxb4 38.Re3 Re2 39.Rg3 g5 40.h4 b3 41.hxg5 hxg5 42.Rxg5 Rg2+ 43.Rxg2 Nxg2 44.Nc4 Ngf4 45.Nd4 b2 46.Nxb2 Nxb2 47.Nc6 Nc4 48.Nb4 Nxa5 49.Nxa6 Nd5 50.Nc5 Nc4 51.Ne4 Kg6 52.Kg2 Kf5 53.Kf3 Ne5+ 54.Kg3 Kxe4 55.Kh4 Nf4 56.Kg5 Nf3+ 57.Kf6 Nd4 58.Ke7 Ke5 59.Kd7 Nd5 60.Kc8 Nf5 61.Kd8 Kd6 62.Ke8 Ke6 63.Kf8 Nf6 ½-½ (63) RCordero (2695)-alicja92 (2613) Blitz 2021;

B3b) 14.Nf1 Nd8 *(14...a5 15.Ng3 a4 16.Bc2 a3 17.bxa3 Na5 18.Bd3 Bb5 19.Rb1 Bxd3 20.Qxd3 Qa4 21.h4 Qxa3 22.h5 Ne7 23.Nh4 Kg8 24.Ngf5 Nxf5 25.Nxf5 exd4 26.Bxd4 Bxd4 27.Qxd4 Qxa2 28.Ra1 Qf7 29.Qb4 b6 30.Re3 Qxh5 31.Rh3 Qe8 32.Re1 g6 33.Nh6+ Kh8 34.Ree3 Qe7 35.Reg3 Nc6 36.Qb5 Ne5 37.f4 Nd7 38.Rxg6 Qxe4 39.Rgg3 Nc5 40.Qb2 Qxf4 41.Qe2 Ne4 42.Rf3 Qc1+ 43.Kh2 Ng5 44.Qe7 Nxf3+ 45.Rxf3 Qxh6+ 46.Rh3 Qg7 47.Qe6 Rae8 48.Qf5 Re5 49.Qf4 Rg5 50.Qc4 Rg8 51.g3 Rxg3 52.Qxg8+ Qxg8 53.Rxg3 Qxg3+ 54.Kxg3 Kg7 55.Kf4 Kf7 56.c4 c6 57.Ke4 b5 58.cxb5 cxb5 59.Kd4 h6 60.Kc3 h5 61.Kb4 h4 62.Kxb5 h3 63.Kc6 h2 64.Kc7 h1Q 65.Kd8 Qh2 66.Kd7 Qe5 67.Kc7 d5+ 68.Kc6 d4 69.Kb7 d3 70.Kb6 d2 71.Kb7 d1Q 72.Ka7* ½-½ (72) Fastchess2345 (2712)-ma_long_ma (2660) Blitz 2023*; 14...Na5 15.Ng3 Nxb3 16.Qxb3 b5 17.Rad1 Nf4 18.Bxf4 exf4 19.Nf5 g6 20.N5h4 Qf7 21.Qxf7 Rxf7 22.e5 Re8 23.exf6 Rxf6 24.Rxe8+ Bxe8 25.Re1 Bf7 26.Re7 Bb6 27.Ng5 Kg8 28.Nhf3 h6 29.Nxf7 Rxf7 30.Rxf7 Kxf7 31.Kf1 Ke7 32.Ke2 Ke6 33.Kd3 g5 34.h4 Kf5 35.hxg5 hxg5 36.Nh2 g4 37.f3 g3 38.Ng4 c5 39.dxc5 dxc5 40.c4 Bc7 41.b3 Bd6 42.cxb5 axb5 43.Kc3 Ke6 44.a4 bxa4 45.bxa4 Kd5 46.Nf6+ Kc6 47.Kc4 Kb6 48.Nd7+ Ka5 49.Nxc5 Bf8 50.Nd3 Bd6 51.Kd5 Bb8 52.Ke4 Kxa4 53.Nxf4 Kb3 54.Nh5 Kc2 55.f4 Kd2*

56.Nxg3 Ke1 57.Nf5 Kf2 58.g4 1-0 (58) Paolino68 (2646)-Sobino106 (2656) Blitz 2024 *)* 15.Ng3 Ne6 16.Nf5 *(16.Bc2 Ngf4 17.Nh2 c6 18.Qd2 Bb8 19.Ne2 g5 20.Ng3 Ng7 21.Nf5 Bc7 22.Nxg7 Kxg7 23.Nf1 Kh8 24.Ng3 Rg8 25.Rad1 Rd8 26.c4 Qg6 27.Qc3 g4 28.h4 Nh5 29.dxe5 dxe5 30.Rd2 Be6 31.Red1 Rxd2 32.Rxd2 Nf4 33.Nf5 g3 34.Nxg3 Qg4 35.h5 Nxh5 36.Bd1 Qh4 37.Nxh5 Bh3 38.Ng3 Be6 39.b3 Bd8 40.Rd3 Bc7 41.Qd2 Bg4 42.Bxg4 Qxg4 43.Rd7 Rg7 44.Rxc7 Rxc7 45.Qd8+ Kg7 46.Qxc7+ Kg6 47.Qd6 Qc8 48.Qe7 Qg8 49.Nf5 Qf7 50.Nh4+ Kg7 51.Bh6+ Kg8 52.Qd8+ Qe8 53.Qxe8#* 1-0 (53) Molt7n (2664)-Calzonesdesuperman (2670) Blitz 2024*)* 16...Ngf4 17.Kh2 *(17.g3 Nxh3+ 18.Kg2 Nhg5 19.Nxg5 Nxg5 20.Bxg5 fxg5 21.Qd3 g6 22.Ne3 h5 23.Rad1 Kg7 24.Bd5 c6 25.Bb3 exd4 26.cxd4 Qe7 27.e5 Rae8 28.Bc2 Qf7 29.Rd2 dxe5 30.dxe5 Bc8 31.Nc4 Bf5 32.Qc3 Bxc2 33.Rxc2 Qd5+ 34.Kg1 Rf3 35.Qd2 Rxg3+ 36.Kf1 Qg2+ 37.Ke2 Qf3+ 38.Kf1 Rh3* 0-1 (38) NewYork1924 (2699)-merci_mon_ami (2769) Blitz 2022 *)* 17...g6 18.Nh6 Kg7 19.Nf5+ gxf5 20.exf5 Qh5 21.fxe6 Nxe6 22.Bxe6 Bxe6 23.Ng5 Qe8 24.Nxe6+ Qxe6 25.Qh5 Qf7 26.Qh4 Qg6 27.Rad1 Kh8 28.Qg4 Qf7 29.Qf5 Qg6 30.Qg4 Qf7 31.f4 Rg8 32.Qf3 exd4 33.Bxd4 Bxd4 34.Rxd4 Rae8 35.Rxe8 Qxe8 36.Re4 Qc6 37.Qe2 Qd5 38.Re7 Qf5 39.Qe4 Qxe4 40.Rxe4 Rg7 41.Re8+ Rg8 42.Rxg8+ Kxg8 43.g4 Kf7 44.c4 f5 45.Kg3 Kg6 46.Kf3 h6 47.Ke3 c5 48.Kf3 b5 49.b3 Kf6 50.cxb5 axb5 51.a4 c4 52.axb5 cxb3 53.b6 b2 54.b7 b1Q 55.b8Q Qxb8 56.g5+ hxg5 57.fxg5+ Kxg5 58.Kg3 Qb3+ 59.Kf2 Kf4 60.h4 Qb2+ 0-1 (60) Poirot_Hercule (2766)-Calzonesdesuperman (2674) Blitz 2024;

B4) 13...exd4 14.Nxd4 Nxd4 15.Bxd4 Bxd4 16.cxd4 c6 17.Qh5 Qe7 18.Re3 Rae8 19.Rae1 Be6 20.Bc2 Qf7 21.b3 d5 22.exd5 Nf4 23.Qxf7 Bxf7 24.dxc6 bxc6 25.Rxe8 Rxe8 26.Rxe8+ Bxe8 27.Kf1 Bd7 28.Be4 Kg8 29.h4 g5 30.g3 Nd5 31.Bxd5+ cxd5 32.Ke2 Kf7 33.Ke3 Ke6 34.b4 Ba4 35.Nb1 Bb5 36.Nc3 Bc4 37.a4 Kf5 38.Kf3 h5 39.Nd1 Bb3 40.Ne3+ Ke6 41.b5 axb5 42.axb5 Ba4 43.b6 Bc6 44.g4 hxg4+ 45.Kxg4 gxh4 46.Kxh4 Bb7 47.Kh5 Kd6 48.Kg6 Kc6 49.Kxf6 Kxb6 50.Ke5 Kc6 51.Nxd5 Kd7 52.Ne3 Ke7 53.f4 Kf7 54.d5 Ke7 55.f5 Bc8 56.Nc4 Bd7 57.Nd6 Ba4 58.f6+ Kf8 59.Ne4 Bd1 60.Ng5 Bg4 61.Kd6 Ke8 62.Kc7 Kf8 63.d6 1-0 (63) Fermalu (2676)-

spectraline (2598) Blitz 2023;
B5) 13...Qe7 14.Nf1 Rae8 *(14...Na5 15.Bc2 Nc4 16.Bc1 Rae8 17.Ng3 Qd8 18.b3 Na5 19.c4 Nc6 20.Be3 Qb8 21.a4 a5 22.Nf5 Bxf5 23.exf5 Nge7 24.dxe5 Bxe3 25.Rxe3 fxe5 26.Nh4 Ng8 27.g4 Qd8 28.Nf3 Nf6 29.g5 Nd7 30.Re4 Rxf5 31.Rh4 Rxg5+ 32.Nxg5 Qxg5+ 33.Rg4 Qe7 34.Qd3 Nf6 35.Rg3 g6 36.Re1 Nh5 37.Rg4 Rf8 38.Qd2 Qf6 39.Be4 Nd4 40.Bg2 Nxb3 41.Qb2 Nc5 42.Qd2 b6 43.Qh6 Nf4 44.h4 Qg7 45.Qxg7+ Kxg7 46.Bd5 Nxa4 47.h5 Nxh5 48.Kh2 Nf4 49.Kg3 Nc5 50.Rh1 h5 51.Rg5 Kh6 52.Kh4 Rf5 53.Rxf5 gxf5 54.Rg1 Ng6+ 55.Kh3 Nd3 56.Bf7 Ndf4+ 57.Kh2 h4 58.Bxg6 Nxg6 59.Kh3 e4 60.Rd1 a4 61.Rd5 a3 62.Rxf5 a2* 0-1 (62) Espect (2657)-HowardShore (2640) Blitz 2024*)*
15.Ng3 Bb6 *(15...Qd8 16.Nf5 Bxf5 17.exf5 Nge7 18.Nh4 d5 19.Qh5 Kg8 20.Rad1 e4 21.Bf4 Na5 22.Bc2 c6 23.Re3 Bb8 24.Bxb8 Qxb8 25.Rg3 Rf7 26.Re1 Qf4 27.Rg4 Qd2 28.Re2 Qc1+ 29.Kh2 Nc4 30.Bb3 Nd6 31.f3 Qf1 32.fxe4 Nec8 33.Re3 Ree7 34.Ng6 Re8 35.Qxh7+* 1-0 (35) MassterofMayhem (2624)-spectraline (2621) Blitz 2023*)*
16.Nf5 Qd8 17.N3h4 exd4 18.Nxg6+ hxg6 19.Qg4 Be6 20.Qxg6 Qd7 21.Bxd4 Nxd4 22.cxd4 Bxf5 23.exf5 d5 24.Re6 Bxd4 25.Bxd5 Be5 26.Qh5+ Kg8 27.Rd6+ Qf7 28.Bxf7+ Rxf7 29.Rd7 Ref8 30.Rxf7 Rxf7 31.Rd1 Bd6 32.Re1 Be5 33.f4 Bd6 34.Re8+ Bf8 35.Qe2 b6 36.Qe6 a5 37.Qd5 a4 38.Rxf8+ Kxf8 39.Qd8# 1-0 (39) InterestingIdea (2824)-CaptainSploosh (2676) Blitz 2022;

C) 13.Nf1

C1) 13...Qe8 14.Ng3 *(14.g4 Nxd4 15.Bxd7 Nxf3+ 16.Qxf3 Qxd7 17.Ng3 Qb5 18.b3 Bxe3 19.fxe3 Rad8 20.Nf5 Qd3 21.c4 Rde8 22.h4 Ne7 23.Ng3 Nc6 24.Rad1 Qc3 25.h5 h6 26.Nf5 Nd4 27.Nxd4 exd4 28.Rxd4 Qxe1+* 0-1 (28) povodnikonj3 (2628)-Calzonesdesuperman (2648) Blitz 2024 *)*

C1a) 14...Nxd4

C1a1) 15.cxd4 Bxa4 16.b3 Bd7 17.Rc1 c6 *(17...Bb8 18.d5 f5 19.exf5 Bxf5 20.Nxf5 Rxf5 21.Nd2 Rf7 22.Ne4 h6 23.Qg4 Nf4 24.Nxd6 cxd6 25.Rc8 Qxc8 26.Qxc8+ Kh7 27.Bxf4 Rxf4 28.Qxb7 Ba7 29.Qxa8 Bxf2+ 30.Kf1* 1-0 (30) ChickaChick (2664)-Calzonesdesuperman (2612) Blitz 2024*)* 18.Qd2 Rd8 19.Qb4 Bc8 20.Qa3 Nf4 21.Rcd1 Ne6 22.Re2 exd4 23.Nxd4 Nxd4 24.Bxd4 Bb8 25.Bb6 Rd7 26.Nf5 Qe6 27.f3 Re8 28.Red2 d5 29.Nd4 Qe5 30.Ne2 dxe4 31.Rxd7 Bxd7 32.f4 Qe6 33.Qc5 e3 34.Rd3 Bc8 35.Rxe3

Qxe3+ 36.Qxe3 Rxe3 37.Bxe3 Kg8 38.Kf2 Kf7 39.Bb6 Bf5 40.Ke3 h5 41.Nd4 Bd7 42.f5 Be5 43.Ke4 Bxd4 44.Bxd4 g6 45.fxg6+ Kxg6 46.Kf4 Kf7 ½-½ (46) AngeryTroll (2697)-Fermalu (2668) Blitz 2023;

C1a2) 15.Bxd7 Nxf3+ 16.Qxf3 Qxd7 17.Bxa7 Rxa7 18.Qh5 Nf4 19.Qf3 a5 20.a4 b5 21.Nf5 bxa4 22.h4 g6 23.Nh6 f5 24.g3 fxe4 25.Qg4 Qxg4 26.Nxg4 Nd3 27.Rxe4 Nxb2 28.Re2 Rb7 29.Ne3 Rb3 30.Rd2 Rfb8 31.c4 a3 32.Rd5 a4 33.Ra5 Rc3 34.Ra7 Rc8 35.Kg2 Kg7 36.Nd5 Rb3 37.Ne7 Rf8 38.Nd5 Rf7 39.Nxc7 Nxc4 40.Ne8+ Kf8 41.Rxa4 Nb6 42.R4xa3 Rxa3 43.Rxa3 Kxe8 44.Rb3 Nd5 45.Rd3 Nf6 46.Rxd6 Ne4 47.Re6+ Re7 48.Ra6 Kf7 49.Kf3 Nf6 50.Ke3 Rb7 51.Ra3 Ke6 52.Ra6+ Kf5 53.f3 Rb3+ 54.Kf2 h5 55.Ke2 Rb2+ 56.Kf1 Rd2 57.Kg1 e4 58.Ra5+ Rd5 59.fxe4+ Kxe4 60.Ra4+ Kf3 61.Ra3+ Kg4 62.Kg2 Rd2+ 63.Kf1 Ne4 64.Ra4 Kf3 65.Ra3+ Kg4 66.Ra4 Kf5 67.Ra5+ Kf6 68.Ra3 Rc2 69.Kg1 Rc3 70.Ra6+ Kg7 71.Ra7+ Kh6 72.Ra4 Rxg3+ 73.Kh2 Rg4 74.Rb4 Rxh4+ 0-1 (74) wannabe2700 (2715)-aradhyagarg2000 (2648) Blitz 2022;

C1b) 14...Nce7 15.Bb3 b5 *(15...Rd8 16.dxe5 Bxe3 17.exf6 Bxf2+ 18.Kxf2 Rxf6 19.Kg1 Nc6* 0-1 (49) Tarhan,A (2420)-Ashraf,A (2399) Titled Tuesday intern op 30th Jan Early blitz 2024 (5)*)* 16.Qd2 Rd8 17.Rad1 Bc8 18.c4 c6 19.Qc3 Bb7 20.c5 dxc5 21.dxe5 fxe5 22.Bxc5 Bb8 23.Ng5 Bc8 24.Rxd8 Qxd8 25.Nf7+ Rxf7 26.Bxf7 Qf8 27.Bxg6 hxg6 28.Qa3 1-0 (28) jimmypage777 (2660)-spectraline (2565) Blitz 2022;

C1c) 14...Nd8 15.Bxd7 Qxd7 16.Nf5 Ne6 17.Rc1 Qf7 18.g3 Ne7 19.N3h4 g6 20.Nxe7 Qxe7 21.Nf3 Rad8 22.Kg2 c6 23.h4 Ng7 24.Qb3 Bb8 25.Rcd1 Rde8 26.Bh6 Rf7 27.Rd3 f5 28.Bxg7+ Rxg7 29.dxe5 dxe5 30.exf5 gxf5 31.Nxe5 Bxe5 32.Rde3 Qc7 33.f4 Reg8 34.fxe5 f4 35.Rf3 Rxg3+ 36.Rxg3 Rxg3+ 37.Kf2 Qb6+ 38.Qxb6 1-0 (38) Poirot_Hercule (2792)-Calzonesdesuperman (2674) Blitz 2024;

C2) Vorgänger: 13...exd4 14.cxd4 d5

C2a) 15.Ng3 dxe4 16.Nxe4 Nce7 *(16...Nb4 17.Nc5 Bxc5 18.dxc5 Bxa4 19.Qxa4 Nd3 20.Re2 Nge5 21.Nxe5 Nxe5 22.Qb3 Qc8 23.Rd1 a5 24.Bf4 Ng6 25.Bg3 Ra6 26.Qc3 a4 27.b4 axb3 28.axb3 Rc6 29.b4 b6 30.Qf3 Qa8 31.Red2 h6*

32.Ra2 Ne5 33.Qd5 Qe8 34.f4 Ng6 35.Re1 Qf7 36.Qxc6 Qxa2 37.Qxc7 bxc5 38.Qxc5 Rd8 39.f5 Ne5 40.Bxe5 fxe5 41.Qxe5 Qa7+ 42.Kh2 Rf8 43.Re4 Qd7 44.Rf4 Rf6 45.b5 Kh7 46.Rf3 Qc8 47.Rg3 Qd7 48.Rg4 Kh8 49.Rd4 Qc8 50.Rd5 Kh7 51.Rc5 Qd7 52.b6 1-0 (52) Pichot,A (2650)-Khademalsharieh,S (2476) Marbella ESP 2023*)* 17.Nc3 Bxa4 18.Qxa4 Nf5 19.Rad1 Re8 0-1 (44) Pranav,V (2545)-Praggnanandhaa,R (2684) Tel Aviv 2022;

C2b) 15.exd5 Nce7 16.d6 cxd6 17.Bxd7 Qxd7 18.d5 Ne5 19.Bxa7 Nxf3+ 20.Qxf3 Rxa7 21.Qe3 Nc8 22.Ng3 b5 23.Nh5 Ne7 24.Rad1 Rc8 25.Nf4 Rac7 26.Ne6 Rc4 27.Qg3 Ng6 28.f4 Qf7 29.Kh2 Ne7 30.Rd2 Nf5 31.Qd3 g6 32.Rde2 Rc1 33.Rxc1 Rxc1 34.Qa3 Qb7 35.b3 Rd1 36.Qb2 Qf7 37.Rc2 Ne7 38.Rc7 Rxd5 39.Ng5 Qf8 40.Ne4 Rf5 41.Nxd6 Rxf4 42.Qe2 Ng8 43.Nf7+ 1-0 (43) vistagusta (2754)-ma_long_ma (2572) Blitz 2024;

C3) 13...Re8 14.Ng3 Nf4 15.Bxf4 exf4 16.Nh5 g5 17.Nh2 Qe7 18.Ng4 Bxg4 19.hxg4 Qf7 20.d5 b5 21.dxc6 bxa4 22.Qxa4 d5 23.Qb3 Rad8 24.exd5 f5 25.d6 Qxb3 26.axb3 cxd6 27.gxf5 Rxe1+ 28.Rxe1 d5 29.Re7 Bc5 30.Rd7 Rf8 31.c7 Bb6 32.Nf6 Rxf6 33.c8Q+ 1-0 (33) Rumple_DarkOne (2693)-CaptainSploosh (2638) Blitz 2022;

C4) 13...Nce7 14.Ng3 Bxa4 15.Qxa4 Qe8 16.Qb3 Qb5 *(16...Bb6 17.a4 a5 18.dxe5 Bxe3 19.Rxe3 fxe5 20.Qxb7 Qd7 21.Qb5 c6 22.Qd3 Nf4 23.Qd2 Rf6 24.Nxe5 Qe6 25.Ng4 Rg6 26.Rf3* 1-0 (26) Benditoporlatormenta (2638)-clinclincaja (2745) Blitz 2025*)* 17.Qc2 Rae8 18.a4 Qd7 19.Rad1 exd4 20.cxd4 d5 21.e5 fxe5 22.dxe5 Bxe3 23.Rxe3 c6 24.e6 Qd6 25.Ng5 Qf4 26.Nf7+ Kg8 27.Rf3 Qh4 28.Qc3 Nf4 29.Rd4 Neg6 30.Rdxf4 Nxf4 31.Rxf4 Qxf4 32.Nh5 Rxf7 33.Nxf4 Rxf4 34.Qe3 Rf6 35.Qb6 Rfxe6 36.Qxb7 Rd8 37.Qxa6 d4 38.Qc4 Kf7 39.Qd3 c5 40.a5 c4 41.Qxc4 d3 42.Qc7+ Ke8 43.Qxg7 d2 44.Qg8+ Ke7 45.Qg7+ Kd6 46.Qd4+ Kc7 47.Qa7+ Kd6 48.Qd4+ Ke7 49.Qg7+ Ke8 50.Qg8+ Kd7 51.Qf7+ Re7 52.Qd5+ Ke8 53.Qg8+ Kd7 54.Qd5+ Kc7 55.Qc5+ Kb8 56.Qb6+ Kc8 57.Qc6+ Rc7 58.Qa8+ Kd7 59.Qd5+ Ke8 60.Qe6+ Re7 61.Qg8+ Kd7 62.Qd5+ ½-½ (62) nimamideje (2644)-spectraline (2564) Blitz 2023;

C5) 13...b5 14.Bc2 Na5 15.Ng3 c5 16.d5 c4 17.Qd2 Bxe3 18.Rxe3 Nb7 19.b4 a5 20.a3 Qb6 21.Ree1 Ra6 22.Rec1 Rfa8 23.Qe1 Nf4 24.Rab1 axb4 25.axb4 Ra2 26.Ne2 Ng6

27.Kh2 Nd8 28.g3 Nf7 29.Kg2 Ng5 30.Nxg5 fxg5 31.Ng1 h6 32.Bd1 Rf8 33.Rc2 Raa8 34.Bg4 Qc7 35.Ra1 Ra4 36.Rca2 Rfa8 37.Rxa4 bxa4 38.Ra3 Ne7 39.Nf3 Bb5 40.Nd2 Ng8 41.Qe3 Nf6 42.Be6 Qd8 43.Nb1 Bd7 44.Bxd7 Qxd7 45.Ra1 g4 46.h4 Qf7 47.Na3 Qg6 48.Re1 Rc8 49.b5 Qf7 50.b6 Qb7 51.Rb1 Rf8 52.Nxc4 Nxd5 53.Qd3 Nxc3 54.Nxd6 Qc6 55.Rc1 Qxb6 56.Nf5 Na2 57.Ra1 Nb4 58.Qc4 Ra8 59.Rb1 Rb8 60.Ne3 Qd4 61.Qxd4 exd4 62.Nd5 Nc6 63.Ra1 Ra8 64.Nb6 Re8 65.Rxa4 Rxe4 66.Nd7 Re8 67.Rc4 Rd8 68.Nc5 Ne5 69.Rc1 Rd5 70.Ne6 d3 71.Rc8+ Kh7 72.Nf8+ Kg8 73.Ng6+ Kf7 74.Nxe5+ Rxe5 75.Rd8 h5 76.Rxd3 Kg6 77.Rd6+ Kh7 78.Rd4 Rf5 79.Re4 g6 80.Rd4 Kh6 81.Rd7 Rf6 82.Re7 Rf5 83.Rd7 Rf6 84.Re7 Rf5 85.Rd7 ½-½ (85) Ter Sahakyan,S (2640)-Indjic,A (2604) lichess.org INT 2020;

C6) 13...f5 14.exf5 Rxf5 15.Ng3 Rf8 16.Ng5 *(16.dxe5 Bxe3 17.Rxe3 Ncxe5 18.Nxe5 Nxe5 19.Bxd7 Nxd7 20.Qd5 Rb8 21.Rae1 Nf6 22.Qe6 Qe8 23.Qf5 Qb5 24.Qxb5 axb5 25.a3 Kg8 26.Nf5 Rfe8 27.Nd4 c6 28.g4 Rxe3 29.Rxe3 Re8 30.Rxe8+ Nxe8 31.f4 Kf7 32.Kf2 g6 33.Ke3 Nf6 34.g5 Nd5+ 35.Ke4 Nb6 36.b3 Nd5 37.Ne2 Ke6 38.c4 bxc4 39.bxc4 Nb6 40.Nd4+ Kf7 41.Kd3 c5 42.Nb5 Ke6 43.Nc3 d5 44.cxd5+ Nxd5 45.Nxd5 Kxd5 46.a4 b6 47.h4 Kd6 48.Ke4 Ke6 49.h5 gxh5 50.f5+ Kf7 51.Kd5 h4 52.Kc6 h3 53.Kxb6 h2 54.Kxc5 h1Q 55.g6+ hxg6 56.fxg6+ Kxg6 57.a5 Qa8* 0-1 (56) KhatanbaatarGM (2678)-voraylk (2638) Blitz 2024) 16...h6 17.Qh5 Qf6 18.Bc2 Nf4 19.Bxf4 exf4 20.N3e4 Qf5 21.Rac1 Be8 22.Qh4 d5 23.Nh7 Qxh7 24.Nf6 Rxf6 25.Bxh7 Kxh7 26.Qg4 Rd8 27.h4 Bd7 28.Qf3 Be6 29.Re2 Ne7 30.Rce1 Rd6 31.h5 c6 32.Qd3+ Kg8 33.Re5 Bb8 34.Qe2 Kf7 35.Qc2 Bc7 36.Qh7 Nf5 37.Rxe6 Rdxe6 38.Rxe6 Kxe6 39.Qg8+ Rf7 40.Qc8+ Kf6 41.Qxb7 f3 42.Qxc6+ Kg5 43.Qxd5 fxg2 44.Qxf7 1-0 (44) Shant7777777 (2812)-mocaspoke (2647) Blitz 2021;

D) 13.Bc2

D1) 13...Qe7 14.Rc1 Rae8 15.a4 Qd8 16.d5 Bxe3 17.dxc6 Bxf2+ 18.Kxf2 Bxc6 19.b4 Nf4 20.Kg1 Qd7 21.Nc4 b6 22.Ne3 Qf7 23.Kh2 Qh5 24.Nf1 Qh6 25.Ng3 g6 26.Qd2 Bd7 27.Ng1 f5 28.exf5 gxf5 29.c4 Rg8 30.Re3 Nxg2 31.Re2 Nf4 32.Re3 Nxh3 33.Nxh3 f4 34.Nf1 fxe3 35.Qxe3 Qh4 36.Nd2 Ref8 37.Ne4 Rf4 38.c5 bxc5 39.bxc5 Bxh3 40.Qxh3 Rxe4 41.Bxe4 Qxe4 42.Rf1 Qe2+ 43.Kh1 Qe4+ 44.Kh2 Qxa4 45.Qh6 Qc2+ 46.Rf2 Qxf2+ 0-1 (46) DrFlagstein

(2856)-voraylk (2648) Blitz 2024;
D2) 13...Nce7 14.Nf1 *(14.Bd3 Qe8 15.Qc2 f5 16.dxe5 Bxe3 17.Rxe3 f4 18.Ree1 Nxe5 19.Nxe5 dxe5 20.Nf3 Qh5 21.Be2 Ng6 22.Kh2 Nh4 23.Rad1 Rad8 24.Rd5 Nxg2 25.Red1 Qxh3+ 26.Kg1 Rf6 27.Ng5 Qh4 28.Rxd7 Rdf8 29.Nf3 Qh3 30.Ng5 Qh6 31.Nf7+ R6xf7 32.Rxf7 Rg8 33.Qd3 Qg6 34.Kf1 Qxf7 35.Kxg2 Qxa2 36.Qc4 Qxb2 37.Rd7 h6 38.Bg4 f3+ 39.Bxf3 Qc1 40.Qf7 Qg5+* 0-1 (40) ertras (2663)-spectraline (2589) Blitz 2023 *)*

D2a) 14...Qe8 10

D2a1) 15.Ng3 1 Rd8 3 *(15...Qc8 16.c4 Nf4 17.Bxf4 exf4 18.Ne2 Ng6 19.Qd2 Bxh3 20.gxh3 Qxh3 21.Nh2 f3 22.Nf4 Nxf4 23.Qxf4 Qg2#* 0-1 (23) lunarplayer (2721)-Train_account (2615) Blitz 2024; *15...h6 16.Qd2 Kh7 17.a4 Qf7 18.b4 Rae8 19.b5 f5 20.exf5 Nxf5 21.Nxf5 Bxf5 22.dxe5 Bxe3 23.Rxe3 Nxe5 24.Nxe5 Rxe5 25.Rxe5 dxe5 26.bxa6 bxa6 27.Re1 e4 28.Bxe4 Bxe4 29.Rxe4 Qf5 30.Re7 c5 31.Qe3 Rf6 32.f3 Rg6 33.Qe5 Qb1+ 34.Kh2 Qc2 35.Qe2 Qxa4 36.Qe4 Qxe4 37.fxe4 Rb6 38.Rc7 Re6 39.Rxc5 Rxe4 40.Rc6 a5 41.c4 Rd4 42.c5 Rc4 43.Rc7 Kg6 44.c6 a4 45.Ra7 Rxc6 46.Rxa4 Rc5 47.Rg4+* ½-½ (47) smihir6 (2673)-Ciderdrinker (2865) Blitz 2024 *)*

D2a11) 16.a4 Bc6 *(16...Qf7 17.b4 Qc4 18.Qd2 f5 19.Bd3 Qg8 20.exf5 Nxf5 21.Nxf5 Bxf5 22.Bxf5 Rxf5 23.dxe5 Bxe3 24.Rxe3 dxe5 25.Qe2 Rdf8 26.Nxe5 Nf4 27.Qg4 Qd5 28.Rae1 h5 29.Ng6+ Nxg6 30.Qxg6 Rxf2 31.Re7 R2f7 32.Rxf7 Qxf7 33.Qxf7 Rxf7 34.Re5 g6 35.b5 axb5 36.Rxb5 b6 37.a5 bxa5 38.Rxa5 Kg7 39.Ra6 Rf6 40.Rxf6 Kxf6 41.Kf2 Ke5 42.Ke3 h4 43.Kf3 Kd5 44.Kg4 Kc4 45.Kxh4 Kxc3 46.Kg5 c5 47.h4 c4 48.Kxg6 Kd2 49.h5 c3 50.h6 c2 51.h7 c1Q 52.h8Q Qc2+ 53.Kf7 Qc7+ 54.Ke6 Qc6+ 55.Kf5 Qd7+ 56.Kf4 Qc7+ 57.Kf3 Qc6+ 58.Kg4 Qg6+ 59.Kh3 Qf5+ 60.g4 Qf3+ 61.Kh2 Qf2+ 62.Kh3 Qf3+ 63.Kh2 Qf2+ 64.Kh3 Qf3+* ½-½ (64) sublimation1 (2630)-Sobino106 (2678) Blitz 2024 *)* 17.c4 exd4 18.Bxd4 Bc5 19.b3 Ne5 20.Bc3 f5 21.exf5 Nxf3+ 22.gxf3 Qf7 23.Be4 d5 24.cxd5 Nxd5 25.Bxd5 Rxd5 26.Qc2 Bd6 27.Re3 Bxg3 28.fxg3

Rxf5 29.f4 Qg6 30.Rf1 h5 31.Kh2 Qd6 32.Qe2 Kh7 33.Re5 Rxe5 34.Bxe5 Qg6 35.Rf2 Rd8 36.f5 Qf7 37.f6 g6 38.Bc3 Re8 39.Qd2 Re6 40.a5 Rd6 41.Qe2 Rd8 42.Qc2 Qd5 43.Rf1 Bb5 44.Re1 Bc6 45.Re7+ Kg8 46.Qxg6+ 1-0 (46) Rain_Man (2714)-Like_a_Gin (2766) Blitz 2021;

D2a12) 16.Qe2 1:28 16...c5 1:16 17.d5 29 Nf4 27 18.Qd2 14 g5 4 19.Nh2 4 Qg6 57 20.c4 3 b5 7 21.b3 2 Rg8 21 22.Qa5 41 h5 1:06 23.Qxa6 37 Bb8 1 24.cxb5 1 Nexd5 31 25.b6 1:17 Nb4 15 26.Qc4 1 d5 3 27.Qxc5 1 Nxc2 3 28.Qxc2 0 d4 8 29.Bd2 1 h4 7 30.Nf5 1 d3 1 31.Qc4 23 Bxf5 1 32.exf5 2 Qxf5 0 33.Ng4 21 Rd4 4 34.Qc6 2 Ne2+ 13 35.Kh1 34 Rxg4 1 36.hxg4 0 Qxf2 1 37.Qf3 4 Ng3+ 8 38.Kh2 1 Qxd2 6 39.Qxf6+ 2 Kh7 0 40.Rad1 3 Qf4 2 41.Qxf4 1 gxf4 0 42.Rxd3 1 e4 1 43.Rd7+ 0 Kh6 1 44.a4 3 f3 0 45.gxf3 1 exf3 1 46.Kg1 2 Rxg4 2 47.Kf2 0 Ne4+ 1 48.Kxf3 1 Rf4+ 1 49.Ke3 3 Nf6 0 50.Rd8 3 Re4+ 1 51.Kd2 4 Bf4+ 1 52.Kd1 0 Rxe1+ 2 53.Kxe1 0 h3 0 54.Kf2 3 Ne4+ 2 55.Kf1 4 Ng3+ 1 56.Kg1 2 Ne2+ 1 57.Kf2 1 1-0 (57) Ding,L (2734)-Matinian,N (2415) Chess.com 2025;

D2a2) 15.h4 Bg4 16.N1h2 Qc8 17.Nxg4 Qxg4 18.g3 f5 19.Ng5 Qxd1 20.Raxd1 f4 21.gxf4 exf4 22.Bc1 Nxh4 23.Rd3 h6 24.Ne6 Rf6 25.Nxc7 Rc8 26.Nd5 Nxd5 27.exd5 Bxd4 28.Re7 Bc5 29.Rh3 Ng6 30.Re6 Rcf8 31.Bxg6 f3 32.b4 Bb6 33.Rxf6 Rxf6 34.Be4 Rf7 35.Rxf3 Rxf3 36.Bxf3 g5 37.Kg2 Kg7 38.Bh5 Kf6 39.f4 a5 40.Kf3 axb4 41.cxb4 Bd4 42.a4 Bc3 43.b5 Ba5 44.Bb2+ Kf5 45.Bg4+ Kg6 46.f5+ Kf7 47.Bh5+ Ke7 48.f6+ Kf8 49.Bd4 b6 50.Kg4 Kg8 51.Kf5 Kf8 52.Ke6 g4 53.Be3 1-0 (53) Duda,J (2740)-Ragger,M (2579) chess.com INT 2024;

D2b) 14...exd4 15.Bxd4 Bxd4 16.cxd4 *(16.Nxd4 Nc6 17.Ne3 Nxd4 18.Qxd4 Bc6 19.Nd5 Bxd5 20.exd5 Re8 21.Re6 Rxe6 22.dxe6 Qe7 23.Re1 Rf8 24.Bf5 Ne5 25.f4 Nc6 26.Qc4 g6 27.Be4 f5 28.Bxc6 bxc6 29.Qxc6 Rf6 30.Qd7* 1-0 (30) ertras (2614)-spectraline (2576) Blitz 2023*)* 16...c5 *(16...d5 17.Ng3 dxe4 18.Bxe4 Bc6 19.Qb3 Bd5 20.Qc2 Qd7 21.Rac1 c6 22.Bxd5 Nxd5 23.Ne4 Rae8 24.Nc5 Qf7 25.Qf5 Ngf4*

26.Ng5 Qg6 27.Qxg6 hxg6 28.Nf3 0-1 (28) Karjakin,S (2747)-Grischuk,A (2745) Krasnogorsk RUS 2023*)* 17.Rc1 Nc6 18.Ne3 Rc8 19.dxc5 dxc5 20.Qd6 Qe7 21.Red1 Rfd8 22.Bb1 Nd4 23.Qxe7 Nxf3+ 24.gxf3 Nxe7 25.Kg2 Ng6 26.Kg3 h5 27.f4 h4+ 28.Kf3 Bxh3 29.Rh1 Bd7 30.e5 Bc6+ 31.Be4 fxe5 32.Bxc6 Rxc6 33.f5 Rf8 34.Kg4 Nf4 35.Rxh4+ Kg8 36.Rd1 g6 37.Rd7 gxf5+ 38.Kf3 Ng6 39.Rh1 e4+ 40.Ke2 f4 41.Kd2 fxe3+ 42.Kxe3 Rcf6 43.Rg1 R8f7 44.Rd8+ Kg7 45.Rb8 Rf3+ 46.Kxe4 R7f4+ 47.Kd5 Rxf2 48.Kxc5 Rf7 49.Kb6 Rxb2+ 50.Ka7 Rxa2 51.Rc8 Rb2 52.Rc7 b5 53.Rxf7+ Kxf7 54.Rf1+ Kg7 55.Rf2 Rxf2 56.Kxa6 b4 57.Kb5 b3 0-1 (57) Meskenas (2823)-ViktorMMs (2686) Blitz 2023;

D3) 13...exd4 14.cxd4 d5 15.exd5 Nce7 16.Rc1 Nxd5 17.Bxg6 hxg6 18.Nh4 Be8 19.Qg4 Kh7 20.Ne4 Qd7 21.Nxg6 Qxg4 22.Nxf8+ Kg8 23.hxg4 Kxf8 24.Nc3 Nb4 25.Red1 Bf7 26.d5 Bxe3 27.fxe3 c6 28.e4 cxd5 29.exd5 Rd8 30.Rd4 Nc6 31.dxc6 Rxd4 32.cxb7 Rb4 33.Nb5 1-0 (33) QuarterPawn (2740)-ma_long_ma (2614) Blitz 2025;

D4) 13...a5 14.Nf1 *(14.a3 Qe8 15.Nf1 a4 16.Ng3 b5 17.Nf5 Na5 18.Nd2 Ne7 19.Ng3 Nec6 20.Ne2 Qf7 21.Bd3 Rfb8 22.d5 Ne7 23.Bxa7 Rxa7 24.f4 c6 25.dxc6 Bxc6 26.Rf1 Rc7 27.Nf3 Qe6 28.Qe1 Nc4 29.Rb1 Rcb7 30.Qg3 Rb6 31.Kh2 Ba8 32.Qf2 Bc6 33.Rfe1 Ba8 34.Red1 Bc6 35.Kg1 Ba8 36.Bc2 Bc6 37.Nd2 Na5 38.Rf1 Ba8 39.Ng3 Bc6 40.Rfd1 Be8 41.Ndf1 Nc4 42.Bd3 R6b7 43.f5 Qd7 44.Bxc4 bxc4 45.Ne3 Bf7 46.Rd2 Qc7 47.Rbd1 Rb6 48.Ng4 R8b7 49.h4 Qb8 50.Qe3 Rc6 51.h5 d5 52.h6 gxh6 53.Qxh6 Ng8 54.Qh4 Rxb2 55.exd5 Rd6 56.Ne4 Rxd2 57.Rxd2 Qb1+* 0-1 (57) Hansen,E (2606)-Bjelobrk,I (2395) chess.com INT 2022 *)* 14...exd4 15.cxd4 d5 16.exd5 Nb4 17.Bb3 Bb5 18.Ng3 Nxd5 19.Rc1 Ndf4 20.Bc2 Re8 21.Qd2 Nd5 22.Nh5 Qd7 23.Nh2 Bc6 24.Ng4 Nh4 25.Bh6 Rxe1+ 26.Rxe1 Rg8 27.Bxg7+ Rxg7 28.Nxg7 Qxg7 29.Be4 f5 30.Bxd5 Bxd5 31.Re8+ Bg8 32.Qh6 fxg4 33.Qxh4 gxh3 34.Qxh3 Bxd4 35.Qf3 c6 36.b3 h6 37.Rd8 Be5 38.Re8 Bf6 39.Rb8 Be5 40.Re8 Kh7 41.Qf5+ Qg6 42.Qxg6+ Kxg6 43.Rxe5 Bd5 44.f3 Kf6 45.Re8 b5 46.Ra8 a4 47.bxa4 bxa4 48.Rxa4 Ke5 49.Kf2 c5 50.Ke3 c4 51.Ra5 Kd6 52.Kd4 Be6 53.Rc5 1-0 (53) Oparin,G (2685)-Bjelobrk,I (2395) chess.com INT 2022;

D5) 13...h6 14.Nf1 Nce7 15.Ng3 c6 16.Qd2 Kh7 17.Rad1 exd4 18.Nxd4 Bxd4 19.Qxd4 f5 20.Qxd6 f4

21.Qxd7 fxg3 22.fxg3 Qxd7 23.Rxd7 Rae8 24.Bc5 Rf7 25.e5 1-0 (25) Nevaljahka (2867)-spectraline (2597) Blitz 2023]

[12...h6 13.Bc2 *(13.d5 Nce7 14.Bxa7 Rxa7 15.Nf1 Kh8 16.Ng3 f5 17.Bxd7 Qxd7 18.exf5 Nxf5 19.Qd3 Raa8 20.Nxf5 Rxf5 21.Nd2 Raf8 22.Ne4 Nf4 23.Qg3 Qf7 24.Rad1 Nxd5 25.c4 Nf4 26.Qb3 b6 27.Kh2 a5 28.Qg3 Ne6 29.b3 Ng5 30.f3 Nxe4 31.Rxe4 Rf4 32.Rde1 Qh5 33.a3 R8f5 34.b4 axb4 35.axb4 Qf7 36.c5 bxc5 37.bxc5 Rxe4 38.Rxe4 Rf4 39.c6 Rxe4 40.fxe4 Qf4 41.h4 g5 42.hxg5 hxg5 43.Qxf4 gxf4 44.Kh3 Kg7 45.Kg4 Kg6 46.Kh4 Kf6 47.Kg4 Ke6 48.Kg5 d5 49.exd5+ Kxd5 50.Kf5 e4 51.Kxf4 Kd4 52.g4 e3 53.g5 e2 54.g6 e1Q 55.g7 Qg1 56.g8Q Qxg8* 0-1 (56) Ute-Manfred (2668)-spectraline (2557) Blitz 2022*)* 13...Nce7 14.Nf1 *(14.Bd3 c6 15.Qb3+ Kh8 16.Qxb7 d5 17.Qb3 Rb8 18.Qc2 Nf4 19.Bxf4 exf4 20.e5 fxe5 21.Nxe5 Bf5 22.Bxf5 Nxf5 23.Ng6+ Kg8 24.Nxf8 Qxf8 25.Nf3 Qf6 26.Re5 Nd6 27.b3 Ne4 28.Rxe4 dxe4 29.Qxe4 Rd8 30.Re1 Kf7 31.Ne5+ Kg8 32.Qxc6* 1-0 (32) IwkooO (2631)-spectraline (2563) Blitz 2022*)* 14...Qe8 15.Ng3 Qf7 16.Nf5 Nxf5 17.exf5 Ne7 18.dxe5 fxe5 19.Bxa7 Rxa7 20.Nxe5 Qe8 21.Ng6 Rf7 22.Bb3 1-0 (22) SaxKaiGoal (2692)-spectraline (2557) Blitz 2023]

[12...Nce7 13.Bc2 f5 14.dxe5 Bxe3 15.Rxe3 f4 16.Rd3 Qe8 17.exd6 cxd6 18.Nc4 Nc6 19.Rxd6 Rd8 20.Qd5+ Kh8 21.Rd1 Nge7 22.Qd2 Bc8 23.Rxd8 Nxd8 24.Nd6 Qc6 25.Ne5 Qc7 26.Ndf7+ Nxf7 27.Nxf7+ Rxf7 28.Qd8+ Ng8 29.Bb3 Bxh3 30.Qxc7 Rxc7 31.Rd8 Rc8 32.Rd6 Bg4 33.f3 Bh5 34.Rd7 Be8 35.Rxb7 Bb5 36.a4 Bc4 37.Bc2 Nf6 38.b3 Be6 39.c4 Nd7 40.e5 Nxe5 41.Re7 Rc6 42.Re8+ Bg8 43.Be4 Re6 44.Rd8 Re8 45.Rxe8 1-0 (45) notagm27 (2692)-spectraline (2577) Blitz 2023]

[12...b5 13.Bb3+ Kh8 14.a4 b4 *(14...Na5 15.Bc2 Nc4 16.Nxc4 bxc4 17.Qe2 c5 18.dxc5 Bxc5 19.Bxc5 dxc5 20.Qxc4 Qe7 21.Bb3 Nf4 22.Qf1 Rab8 23.Ra3 Qe8 24.Nh4 Qh5 25.Nf5 Bxf5 26.exf5 Qxf5 27.h4 Rfd8 28.g3 Nd3 29.Re2 e4 30.a5 Ne5 31.Bc2 Nf3+ 32.Kg2 Re8 33.c4 Qg4 34.Kh1 f5 35.Bb1 Nd4 36.Ree3 Rxb2* 0-1 (36) Malakhov,I (2608)-spectraline (2584) Blitz 2023*)* 15.a5 Rb8 16.Bc4 Bc8 17.Qe2 bxc3 18.bxc3 f5 19.exf5 Bxf5 20.Bxa6 e4 21.Nh2 d5 22.Bb5 Nce7 23.Ng4 c6 24.Ba4 Qd6 25.Ne5 Rb2 26.Reb1 Rxb1+ 27.Rxb1 Bb8 28.Nxg6+ Nxg6 29.Nf1 Nh4 30.Qh5 Ng6 31.a6 Bc8 32.Rb6 Ne7 33.Bg5 Nf5 34.Rxc6 Qa3 35.Rxc8 Rxc8 36.Bd7 Rf8 37.Bxf5 Rxf5 38.Qg4 Rf8 39.Qe6 Qd6 40.Qg4 Qxa6 41.Be3 Qd6 42.g3 Qf6 43.Kg2 Bd6 44.Nd2 h6 45.Qd1 Qg6 46.Qb3 Qe6 47.Qb5 Qf7 48.Qc6 Qe6 49.Qa6 Rc8 50.Qe2 Rxc3 51.Qh5 Rc8 52.Qe2 Rf8 53.Nf1 Rf6 54.g4 Kh7 55.Ng3 Qf7 56.Qa2 Qf8 57.Qe2 Rf7 58.Nh5 Qe7 59.Ng3 Qf6 60.Bd2 Qf3+ 61.Qxf3 exf3+ 62.Kf1 Bxg3 63.fxg3 g5 64.Be3 Kg6 65.Kf2 Kf6 66.Bd2 Ke6 67.Be3 Kd6 68.h4 Kc6 69.hxg5 Kb5 70.gxh6 Rh7 71.g5 Rxh6

72.gxh6 Kc4 73.h7 Kd3 74.h8Q Ke4 75.Qe5+ Kd3 76.Qxd5 Kc3 77.Qxf3 Kd3 78.Qe4+ Kc3 79.g4 Kb3 80.Kf3 Kc3 81.g5 Kb3 82.g6 Kc3 83.g7 Kb3 84.g8Q+ Kc3 85.Qc8+ Kb4 86.Qeb7+ Ka3 87.Qca8# 1-0 (87) legend2014 (2616)-spectraline (2558) Blitz 2023]

13.Bc2

[13.Qb3+ Kh8 14.Qxb7 exd4 15.cxd4 Bb6 16.Rac1 Nb4 17.Bxd7 Qxd7 18.Nc4 Qb5 19.Nxb6 cxb6 20.d5 Nd3 21.Nd4 Qe8 22.Nf5 Rf7 23.Qxb6 Nxe1 24.Nxd6 Qd7 25.Nxf7+ Qxf7 26.Rxe1 Ne5 27.Qe6 Qg6 28.Qf5 Qf7 29.Bd4 Nd3 30.Rd1 Nb4 31.a3 Nc2 32.Bc3 Re8 33.e5 Qg6 34.Qxg6 hxg6 35.e6 Kg8 36.Rd2 Ne1 37.Kf1 Nxg2 38.Kxg2 Rd8 39.d6 Re8 40.d7 1-0 (40) wallywally (2668)-Calzonesdesuperman (2649) Blitz 2023]

13...Kh8 14.Nf1

[14.Qe2 Nd8 15.Nh2 Ne6 16.d5 Nef4 17.Qf1 Qf7 18.Ng4 f5 19.exf5 Bxf5 20.Ne4 h6 21.g3 Nh5 22.Rad1 Ne7 23.c4 Qg6 24.Qg2 Bxe3 25.Nxe3 Nf6 26.Nxf5 Nxf5 27.c5 Nxe4 28.Rxe4 Qf6 29.cxd6 cxd6 30.Rg4 Nd4 31.Be4 Rac8 32.Rg6 Qf7 33.Rxd6 Rc5 34.h4 Rb5 35.b3 Ra5 36.Rd2 Rc5 37.Kh2 Rc1 38.Qh3 Nf3+ 39.Bxf3 Qxf3 40.Qg2 Qc3 41.Re2 Qd3 42.Re3 Qd2 43.Rf3 Re8 44.Rf7 e4 45.Re6 Rg8 46.Qxe4 Qd1 47.Rxh6+ 1-0 (47) tulachessroom (2660)-Calzonesdesuperman (2614) Blitz 2024]

[14.b4 Nd8 15.a4 Ne6 16.Bd3 Ngf4 17.Bf1 g5 18.c4 Rg8 19.d5 Nf8 20.Bxa7 Rxa7 21.Nh2 h5 22.Ra3 Qg6 23.c5 Qh6 24.cxd6 cxd6 25.Nc4 f5 26.exf5 Bxf5 27.Nxe5 dxe5 28.Rxe5 Qf6 29.Rxf5 Qxf5 30.Qd4+ Rg7 31.Qxa7 Qxd5 32.Re3 Kh7 33.Qb8 N8e6 34.Nf3 Rc7 35.Qe8 Rc1 36.Qf7+ Kh6 37.Qf6+ Kh7 38.h4 g4 39.Ng5+ Nxg5 40.Re7+ 1-0 (40) artem64 (2642)-IljaSir (2590) Blitz 2023]

14...Nf4

[14...Nd8 15.Ng3 *(15.d5 f5 16.exf5 Bxf5 17.Bxf5 Rxf5 18.Ng3 Rf8 19.Ne4 Bxe3 20.fxe3 h6 21.Rf1 Nf7 22.Qd3 Qe7 23.g3 Rae8 24.Kg2 c6 25.c4 c5 26.a3 Nd8 27.b4 b6 28.bxc5 bxc5 29.Rab1 Rf7 30.Rb6 Nb7 31.Rxa6 Ref8 32.Ra7 Qd8 33.Nfd2 Rxf1 34.Nxf1 Qb6 35.Rxb7 Qxb7 36.Nxd6 Qb2+ 37.Nd2 e4 38.N6xe4 Ne5 39.Qc3 Qxc3 40.Nxc3 Ra8 41.a4 Kg8 42.g4 Kf7 43.Kg3 Ke7 44.Kf4 Nd3+ 45.Kf5 Nb2 46.Nce4 Nxa4 47.Kg6 Rf8 48.Kxg7 Rb8 49.Nf3 Rb3 50.Ng3 Kd6 51.Nf5+ Kd7 52.Ne5+ Kc7 53.d6+ Kd8 54.Kf6 Nb6 55.Ke6 Rb1 56.Nxh6 Re1 57.Nf5 Rh1 58.h4 Rg1 59.g5 Rh1 60.g6 Rg1 61.h5 Nc8 62.Nf7+* 1-0 (62) Kastorcito (2699)-Calzonesdesuperman (2614) Blitz 2024*; 15.h4 Ne7 16.dxe5 fxe5 17.Bxa7 Rxa7 18.N3h2 Ne6 19.g3 Qf7 20.Qd2 Raa8 21.Bb3 Qg6 22.Bxe6 Bxe6 23.Re3 Rf7 24.Rf3 Raf8 25.Rxf7 Rxf7 26.Re1 h6 27.a3 Kh7 28.Ne3 Rf8 29.Nef1 Nc8 30.Qc2 Nb6 31.b3 Qf7 32.c4 a5 33.a4 Nd7 34.Ne3 Nc5 35.Re2 Bd7 36.Nd5 Bc6 37.Ng4 Ne6 38.Qd3 Nd4 39.Rb2 Qg6 40.Nh2 Rf7 41.Qe3 b6 42.Nc3 Ne6 43.Nd5 Nc5 44.Re2 Qe6 45.Nf1 Qh3 46.Nh2*

Kh8 47.Re1 Ne6 0-1 (47) artem64 (2608)-Player_2211 (2556) Blitz 2023 *)* 15...Ne6

A) 16.Qd2

A1) 16...c6 17.Rad1 Bb8 18.dxe5 *(18.d5 Nef4 19.b4 Bc7 20.c4 cxd5 21.exd5 Qf7 22.c5 f5 23.Ng5 Qf6 24.Ne6 Bxe6 25.dxe6 Rad8 26.Bxf5 d5 27.Qc2 Nxe6 28.Bxe6 Qxe6 29.Bg5 Rde8 30.a4 e4 31.b5 axb5 32.axb5 Qe5 33.Be3 Rd8 34.Bd4 Qg5 35.Re3 Nf4 36.Qb2 Rf7 37.c6 b6 38.Rf1 Rdf8 39.Qa3 Ne6 40.Bb2 Bf4 41.Rb3 e3 42.Rxe3 Bxe3 43.Qxe3 Nc5 44.Qxg5 Nd3 45.Bd4 Nf4 46.Qe5 Ng6 47.Qxd5 Nf4 48.Qxf7 Rxf7 49.Be5 Ne6 50.Ra1 h6 51.Ra8+ Kh7 52.Rb8 Nc5 53.c7 Re7 54.c8Q Rxe5 55.Qg8+ Kg6 56.Re8 Rxe8 57.Qxe8+ Kh7 58.Qc6 Nb3 59.Qc2+ Kg8 60.Qxb3+ Kh7 61.Qc4 g6 62.Qc6 h5 63.Qxb6 Kh6 64.Qc7 h4 65.Qf4+ Kg7 66.Qxh4 Kf7 67.b6 Kg7 68.Qg5 Kf7 69.b7 Kg7 70.b8Q Kh7 71.Qc7+ Kh8 72.Qgd8#* 1-0 (72) patryk2001 (2604)-alfredogto (2625) Blitz 2024*)* 18...fxe5 19.Nf5 Ngf4 20.Nxe5 dxe5 21.Qxd7 Qg6 22.Ng3 Ba7 23.Qxb7 Bxe3 24.Rxe3 Rab8 25.Qxc6 Rxb2 26.Bb3 Qf6 27.Bxe6 Nxh3+ 28.Kh2 Nxf2 29.Rf3 Qh4+ 30.Kg1 Re8 1-0 (30) GBHeraklinosK (2652)-alfredogto (2646) Blitz 2024;

A2) 16...Nef4 17.a4 Be6 18.b4 Rd8 19.d5 Bxe3 20.fxe3 Nxh3+ 21.gxh3 Bxh3 22.Qh2 Bg4 23.Nh4 c6 24.Kg2 Nxh4+ 25.Qxh4 Qg6 26.Bd1 Bxd1 27.Raxd1 Rc8 28.Qh5 cxd5 29.Qxg6 hxg6 30.Rxd5 Rxc3 31.Rxd6 Rfc8 32.Rb6 R8c7 33.Rd1 Rc2+ 34.Kf3 R2c6 35.Rxc6 Rxc6 36.b5 axb5 37.axb5 Rc5 38.Rd5 Rc7 39.Ne2 Kg8 40.Rd8+ Kf7 41.b6 Re7 42.Nc3 f5 43.Nd5 Re6 44.Rd7+ Kg8 45.Rxb7 fxe4+ 46.Kxe4 g5 47.Rb8+ Kh7 48.b7 Rc6 49.Rd8 Rc4+ 50.Kd3 Ra4 51.b8Q e4+ 52.Ke2 Ra2+ 53.Kd1 Ra1+ 54.Kc2 Ra2+ 55.Kb3 Rf2 56.Rh8+ Kg6 57.Qe8+ Rf7 58.Qe6+ Rf6 59.Nxf6 gxf6 60.Qxe4+ f5 61.Qe6+ Kg7 62.Rg8+ Kh7 63.Qg6# 1-0 (63) BulgarianBulldozer (2604)-Calzonesdesuperman (2620) Blitz 2024;

A3) 16...Rd8 17.Nf5 Ne7 18.Kh2 Bc8 19.Rad1 Ng6 20.g3 Rf7 21.Qe2 Bb8 22.d5 Nef8 23.c4 Ne7 24.h4 Nxf5 25.exf5 c6 26.h5 h6 27.Nh4 Re7 28.Be4 Bd7 29.Ng6+ Nxg6 30.hxg6 cxd5 31.cxd5 Bb5 32.Qh5 Kg8 33.Kg2 Rc7 34.Rh1 Qf8 35.b3 Re7 36.Qg4 Bd7 37.Rh4 Bc8 38.Rdh1 Bc7 39.Bxh6 gxh6 40.Rxh6 Qg7 41.Qh5 Kf8 42.Rh8+ Qg8 43.Rxg8+ Kxg8 44.Qh8# 1-0 (44) Loin_sn (2758)-supertactic91 (2753) Blitz 2024;

B) 16.Kh2 Ngf4 17.d5 Ng5 18.Nxg5 fxg5 19.Bxa7 Rxa7 20.Re3 Qg6 21.f3 h5 22.Qd2 g4 23.hxg4 hxg4 24.Rh1 Kg8 25.Nf5 Qg5 26.Qf2 Bxf5 27.exf5 Nh5

28.fxg4 Qxg4 29.Re4 Nf4 30.g3 Rxf5 31.Rxf4 exf4 32.Bxf5 fxg3+ 33.Kg2 gxf2+ 34.Bxg4 Ra8 35.Be6+ 1-0 (35) JimHacker (2707)-Calzonesdesuperman (2607) Blitz 2023;

C) 16.Ne2 Bb6 17.Qd2 Rd8 18.Rad1 Bc8 19.Qc1 Qf7 20.b4 Qe8 21.a4 Ba7 22.a5 Bb8 23.c4 c6 24.d5 Nc7 25.Ba4 f5 26.Bg5 fxe4 27.Nd2 Bf5 28.Bxd8 Qxd8 29.dxc6 bxc6 30.Ng3 Nf4 31.Ndxe4 d5 32.Bxc6 d4 33.Nxf5 Rxf5 34.Ng3 Qg5 35.Nxf5 Qxf5 36.Be4 Qg5 37.g3 Qh6 38.gxf4 1-0 (38) GBHeraklinosK (2661)-Calzonesdesuperman (2624) Blitz 2024;

D) 16.d5 Nef4 17.Bxa7 Rxa7 18.Nf5 Ne7 19.Nxe7 Qxe7 20.Kh2 Raa8 21.Ng1 f5 22.g3 Ng6 23.f4 Qf7 24.fxe5 Nxe5 25.exf5 Bxf5 26.Bxf5 Qxf5 27.Re2 Qh5 28.Qd4 Qxe2+ 29.Nxe2 Nf3+ 30.Kg2 Nxd4 31.Nxd4 Rf6 32.Re1 Raf8 33.h4 h6 34.Re7 R8f7 35.Re8+ Kh7 36.Ne6 c6 37.c4 cxd5 38.cxd5 Rf5 39.Kh3 g5 40.h5 Rxd5 41.Nf8+ Kg7 42.Ne6+ Kf6 43.Nc7 Rd4 44.Rc8 g4+ 45.Kh4 Rg7 46.Ne8+ Kf7 47.Nxg7 Kxg7 48.Rc7+ Kf6 49.Rxb7 Ra4 50.a3 Kf5 51.Rf7+ Ke5 52.Rh7 d5 53.Rxh6 d4 54.Rh8 d3 55.Re8+ Kf5 56.Rd8 Ke4 57.h6 Rd4 58.Rxd4+ Kxd4 59.h7 d2 60.h8Q+ Ke3 61.Qc3+ Ke2 62.Qc4+ Kf2 63.Qxg4 Ke1 64.b4 1-0 (64) gila_main (2650)-Calzonesdesuperman (2669) Blitz 2024;

E) 16.a4 Ngf4 17.d5 *(17.Kh2 g6 18.a5 Qc8 19.Bb3 Ng5 20.Ng1 Nge6 21.Nf3 Kg7 22.Qd2 Ng5 23.Ng1 Qe8 24.Bxf4 exf4 25.Qxf4 Ne6 26.Qh4 g5 27.Nf5+ Kh8 28.Qh6 Qg6 29.g3 Rae8 30.Nf3 Ng7 31.Qxg7+ Qxg7 32.Nxg7 Kxg7 33.Re3 h6 34.Rae1 Bc6 35.Bc2 Re7 36.b4 Rfe8 37.Nd2 Bd7 38.Kg2 c5 39.bxc5 dxc5 40.d5 Bb5 41.c4 Bd7 42.f4 Bb8 43.Kf3 Bc7 44.h4 g4+ 45.Kf2 Bxa5 46.R1e2 Bc7 47.Nb3 b6 48.Nc1 b5 49.Nd3 bxc4 50.Nxc5 Bb5 51.Ne6+ Kf7 52.e5 fxe5 53.fxe5 Rxe6 54.dxe6+ Kxe6 55.Re4 Bb6+ 56.Ke1 a5 57.Rxg4 Ke7 58.Rg6 Bd4 59.e6 Bc3+ 60.Kd1 Rd8+ 61.Kc1 a4 62.Rxh6 a3 63.Rh7+ Kd6 64.Ra7 a2 65.Rxa2 Rf8 66.Bd1 Bd4 67.Rad2 Re8 68.e7 Kc5 69.Re4 Bc6 70.Rde2 Be5 71.Rxe5+ Kb4 72.R5e4 Bb5 73.Re5 c3 74.Kc2 Bc4 75.R2e4 Ka4 76.Rxc4+ Ka3 77.Ra5# 1-0 (77) Ballsy_Binge (2607)-Calzonesdesuperman (2609) Blitz 2023)* 17...Ng5 18.Bxf4 exf4 19.Nf5 Qg6 20.Kf1 Rae8 21.N3h4 Qf7 22.Qd2 g6 23.Nd4 Bxd4 24.cxd4 f3 25.Nxf3 Nxf3 26.gxf3 Bxh3+ 27.Ke2 Qxd5 28.Rh1 Bd7 29.Qe3 Qg5 30.Qc3 Bc6 31.Rag1 Qf4 32.d5 Bxd5 33.Qxc7 Rf7 34.Qc3 Qe5 35.Qe3 Bc4+ 36.Kd1 Qxb2 37.Qd2 Qa1+ 38.Qc1 Qxc1+ 39.Kxc1 Rc8 40.Kd2 Rg7 41.Rc1 Be6 42.Bd3 Rd8 43.Rb1 d5 44.Rb2 dxe4 45.fxe4 f5 46.Ke3 fxe4 47.Bxe4 Re8 48.f3 Bd5 49.Kd4 Bxe4 50.fxe4 Rd7+ 51.Ke3 Rde7 52.Rb4 Kg7 53.Rd4 Rf8 54.Rhd1 Rff7 55.Rd6 h5 56.R6d4 Rf6 57.Rd5 Rfe6 58.R5d4 Kh6

59.Kd3 Rg7 60.Ke3 g5 61.Rd8 Kg6 62.R8d4 g4 63.R1d2 Kf7 64.Re2 Reg6 65.Red2 Rf6 66.Rf2 Kg6 67.Re2 g3 68.Re1 Rf2 69.e5 h4 70.Rd6+ Kf5 71.Rd4 Ra2 72.Rf4+ Kxe5 73.Re4+ Kd5 74.Kf3 Kc5 75.Rf4 Kb6 76.Rf6+ Ka7 77.Rf5 Ra3+ 78.Kf4 Rxa4+ 79.Ke5 g2 80.Kf6 g1Q 81.Rxg1 Rxg1 82.Re5 Rga1 83.Re7 Ra5 84.Rxb7+ Kxb7 85.Kf7 Rb5 0-1 (85) BulgarianBulldozer (2627)-Calzonesdesuperman (2647) Blitz 2024;

F) 16.Nh2 Ngf4 17.Ng4 Ng5 18.Bxf4 exf4 19.Nf1 f3 20.Ng3 h5 21.Nh2 h4 22.Nf5 Qh5 23.Nxf3 Bxf5 24.exf5 Rae8 25.Nxg5 Qxg5 26.Qf3 c6 27.Re3 Rxe3 28.fxe3 d5 29.Re1 Bb8 30.e4 dxe4 31.Rxe4 Bg3 32.Bb3 Qc1+ 33.Qd1 Qxb2 34.Qh5# 1-0 (34) schaakam (2614)-Calzonesdesuperman (2576) Blitz 2023;

G) 16.Bd3 Ngf4 17.Bf1 Ng5 18.Nxg5 fxg5 19.dxe5 dxe5 20.Bxa7 Rxa7 21.f3 Ra8 22.Qd2 Rd8 23.Rad1 h5 24.Qe3 Qe7 25.Rd2 g4 26.fxg4 hxg4 27.hxg4 Bxg4 28.Rxd8 Rxd8 29.Nf5 Qg5 30.g3 Ne6 31.Nh4 Rd2 32.Qxg5 Nxg5 33.Ng6+ Kg8 34.Nxe5 Be6 35.b4 Rxa2 36.Bg2 Rc2 37.Re3 b6 38.Nc6 Ra2 39.e5 a5 40.bxa5 bxa5 41.Nd4 Ra1+ 42.Kf2 Bc4 43.e6 Ra2+ 44.Kg1 Ra1+ 45.Kf2 Ra2+ 46.Kg1 Ra1+ 47.Kh2 Nxe6 48.Nxe6 Ra2 49.Kh3 a4 50.Nc5 a3 51.Re8+ Kh7 52.Ra8 Ra1 53.Be4+ Kh6 54.Ra4 Be2 55.g4 a2 56.Kh2 Kg5 57.Bg2 Kh4 58.Nb3 Rb1 59.Rxa2 Bxg4 60.Nd4 Rb6 61.Rf2 Rh6 62.Kg1 Kg5 63.Nf3+ Bxf3 64.Rxf3 Ra6 65.Kf2 Ra1 66.Kg3 Ra2 67.Re3 Ra3 68.Re5+ Kf6 69.Re3 Ra2 70.Rf3+ Ke6 71.Bh3+ Kd6 72.Bg4 Kc5 73.Rf4 Ra3 74.Rf3 Ra4 75.Rf5+ Kc4 76.Rg5 Kxc3 77.Rxg7 Ra3 78.Rxc7+ Kb2+ 79.Kh4 Rb3 80.Bf3 Rb4+ 81.Kg5 Rb3 82.Kf6 Rc3 83.Rb7+ Rb3 84.Rc7 Rb4 85.Ke7 1-0 (85) zorrita (2610)-Calzonesdesuperman (2603) Blitz 2024;

H) 16.Nf5 Ngf4 17.Kh2 *(17.d5 Ng5 18.Nxg5 fxg5 19.Bxa7 Rxa7 20.g3 Nxh3+ 21.Kg2 g6 22.Kxh3 gxf5 23.exf5 Bxf5+ 24.Bxf5 Rxf5 25.Kg2 Qf7 26.Qc2 Qxd5+* 0-1 (26) SaxKaiGoal (2768)-Calzonesdesuperman (2672) Blitz 2024 *)* 17...g6 18.Ng3 Ng5 *(18...Qe7 19.Qd2 c6 20.d5 Ng5 21.Nxg5 fxg5 22.Bxa7 Rxa7 23.dxc6 bxc6 24.Rad1 Rf6 25.Nf1 Ra8 26.Ne3 Raf8 27.f3 Nxh3 28.Nc4 Nf4 29.Nxd6 g4 30.Rf1 Nh5 31.Qg5 Qg7 32.Qxe5 gxf3 33.Rxf3 Rxf3 34.Qxg7+ Kxg7 35.gxf3 Rxf3 36.Rd2 Rh3+ 37.Kg1 Nf4 38.Nc4 Be6 39.Ne5 Rg3+ 40.Kf2 Rg2+ 41.Ke3 Rxd2 42.Kxd2 h5 43.Ke3 Ng2+ 44.Kf2 Nf4 45.Nxc6 h4 46.Nd4 Bxa2 47.b3 Kf6 48.c4 Ne6 49.Nf3 g5 50.e5+ Ke7 51.Bf5 Bxb3 52.Bxe6 Kxe6 53.Nd4+ Kxe5 54.Nxb3 a5 55.Nxa5 Kd4 56.Kf3 Kc5 57.Kg4 Kb4 58.Nc6+ Kxc4 59.Ne7 Kc5 60.Nf5 Kc4 61.Kh3 Kb3 62.Nh6 Ka2 63.Ng4 Ka3 64.Ne3 Ka2 65.Kg4 Ka3 66.Kf3 Kb3 67.Nf5 Kb2 68.Nd4 Kc3 69.Ne2+ Kc4*

70.Ng1 Kd5 71.Nh3 Ke6 72.Kg4 Kd6 73.Ng1 Kc5 74.Nf3 Kb4 75.Kf5 Kb3 76.Ke4 Ka2 77.Ng1 Ka3 78.Nh3 g4 79.Nf4 h3 80.Nxh3 gxh3 81.Kf3 h2 82.Kg2 h1Q+ 83.Kxh1 ½-½ (83) Lioni26 (2680)-Alfredo2345 (2613) Blitz 2025 *)* 19.Bxf4 exf4 20.Nf1 Be6 21.Bb3 Bd7 22.N1d2 Qc8 23.Nxg5 fxg5 24.e5 dxe5 25.Rxe5 g4 26.hxg4 Bxg4 27.f3 Bf5 28.Qe1 Qd8 29.Re7 Re8 30.Qe5# 1-0 (30) warrior211 (2778)-Calzonesdesuperman (2649) Blitz 2024]

[14...a5 15.Ng3

A) 15...a4 16.Nf5 *(16.Qd2 b5 17.Rad1 Qf7 18.b3 Na5 19.c4 axb3 20.axb3 bxc4 21.Qxa5 cxb3 22.Bd3 Bxd4 23.Qxc7 Rfc8 24.Qxd6 Rc6 25.Qb4 Bc3 26.Qb7 Rcc8 27.Bd2 Rab8 28.Qa7 Bxd2 29.Nxd2 Nf4 30.Bc4* 1-0 (30) General_Zod_01 (2635)-ma_long_ma (2654) Blitz 2023*)* 16...Nce7 17.Qd2 Nxf5 18.exf5 Ne7 19.g4 g6 20.fxg6 hxg6 21.Rad1 Rd8 22.dxe5 dxe5 23.Bxa7 b6 24.Qh6+ Kg8 25.Nh4 Qf7 26.Nxg6 Nxg6 27.Qxg6+ Qxg6 28.Bxg6 Be6 29.Bb1 Rxd1 30.Rxd1 Ra8 31.Bxb6 cxb6 32.Rd6 Kf7 33.Be4 Ra6 34.Bb7 Ra5 35.Rxb6 Bxa2 36.Kg2 Kg6 37.Kg3 a3 38.Be4+ Kg7 39.bxa3 Rxa3 40.Rc6 1-0 (40) VanTierry (2719)-PurpleAvocado (2539) Blitz 2025;

B) 15...Nd8 16.Nf5 *(16.a4 Ne6 17.Nf5 Ngf4 18.Kh2 g6 19.Ng3 Ng5 20.Bxf4 exf4 21.Nf1 Qc8 22.Nxg5 fxg5 23.e5 f3 24.g4 Bxg4 25.hxg4 Qxg4 26.Re4 Qg2#* 0-1 (26) Rachmaninoff_08 (2628)-Indianchesslover7896 (2527) Blitz 2025 *)* 16...a4 17.Qd2 Ne6 18.Rad1 Nef4 19.Kh2 b5 *(19...Qf7 20.b3 axb3 21.axb3 Ne6 22.c4 Ne7 23.Ra1 Nxf5 24.exf5 Nxd4 25.Nxd4 Bxd4 26.Bxd4 exd4 27.Qxd4 Rxa1 28.Rxa1 Re8 29.Be4 Qe7 30.Bxb7 Bxf5 31.b4 c5 32.Qd5 Be6 33.Qe4 f5 34.Qf3 Bxc4 35.Bc6 Qe5+ 36.g3 Qxa1 37.Bxe8 cxb4 38.Qf4 Bg8 39.Qxb4 Qe5 40.Bc6 d5 41.Qd2 d4 42.Bf3 h6 43.h4 Kh7 44.Qd3 Bd5 45.Bxd5 Qxd5 46.Kg1 Qe4 47.Qd2 d3 48.h5 Qe2 49.Qf4 Qd1+ 50.Kg2 Qg4 51.Qe3 Qe4+ 52.Qxe4 fxe4 53.Kf1 g6 54.hxg6+ Kxg6 55.Ke1 Kf5 56.Kd2 Ke5 57.Ke3 Kd5 58.f3 Kc4 59.fxe4 Kc3 60.e5 d2 61.e6 d1Q 62.e7 Qe1+ 63.Kf4 Qxe7 64.Kg4 Qg7+ 65.Kh5 Qg5#* 0-1 (65) london_2021 (2670)-Sobino106 (2719) Blitz 2025*)* 20.g3 Ne6 21.h4 Ne7 22.dxe5 fxe5 23.Bxa7 Rxa7 24.Nxe5 Nc5 25.Nxd7 Qxd7 26.Nxe7 Qxe7 27.f4 Raa8 28.e5 a3 29.b4 Nb7 30.Be4 Ra7 31.Qe3 Rfa8 32.exd6 cxd6 33.Qb6 Qd8 34.Qxb5 Rb8 35.Qh5 g6 36.Bxg6 Qg8 37.Bc2 Nd8 38.Rxd6 Nf7 39.Rg6 Qd8 40.Ra6 Qd2+ 41.Re2 Qxe2+ 42.Qxe2 Rxa6 43.Qxa6 Rc8 44.Qxc8+ Kg7 45.Qc7 Kf6 46.Bxh7 Nd6 47.Qxd6+ Kg7 48.Qe5+ 1-0 (48) SirJohn13 (2756)-gmmitkov (2612) Blitz 2023]

[14...f5 15.exf5 Bxf5 16.Ba4 Bd7 17.Bc2 Bf5 18.Bb3 exd4 19.cxd4 Na5 20.Bd2 Qb5 21.Ba4 Qb6

22.Ne3 Nc6 23.Nc4 Nxd4 24.Nxb6 Nxf3+ 25.Qxf3 Bxb6 26.Be3 Bc2 27.Qxf8+ Rxf8 28.Bxc2 1-0 (28) VladislavKrasikov_FM (2734)-Belyakov,B (2386) Blitz 2024]

15.Ng3 Ne7 16.Qd2

[16.Bxf4 exf4 17.Ne2 g5 18.e5 Qf7 19.Bb3 Qg7 20.e6 Be8 21.Nh2 Bg6 22.Kh1 Rae8 23.Ng1 d5 24.h4 c6 25.hxg5 fxg5 26.Qg4 Bf5 27.Qh5 Qg6 28.Qxg6 Nxg6 29.Ngf3 h6 30.g3 fxg3 31.fxg3 Be4 32.Rxe4 dxe4 33.Nd2 e3 34.Ndf3 Bb8 35.Kg2 Rf6 36.Ng4 Rfxe6 37.Bxe6 Rxe6 38.Nxh6 Kg7 39.Nxg5 Re8 40.Ng4 e2 41.Re1 Bd6 42.Nf3 c5 43.d5 c4 44.Nd4 Re4 45.Nf2 Re5 46.Kf3 Rxd5 47.Rxe2 Ne5+ 48.Ke4 Ra5 49.Nf5+ Kf6 50.Nxd6 Ke6 51.Nxb7 Rxa2 52.Kd4 1-0 (52) LineOfFire6 (2668)-sima0201 (2465) Blitz 2025]

16...g5 17.Rad1 Be6 18.Bb3 Bxb3 19.axb3 h5 20.Nh2 Qg6 21.Qc2 a5 22.Nhf1 Bb6 23.Nf5 Nxf5 24.exf5 Qf7 25.c4 Bxd4 26.Bxd4 exd4 27.Rxd4 Rfe8 28.Rde4 Re5 29.Nd2 Rae8 30.Nf3 Rxe4 31.Rxe4 d5 32.cxd5 Nxd5 33.Nd4 c6 34.Ne6 Nc7 35.Nxc7 Rxe4 36.Qxe4 Qxc7 37.Qe8+ Kg7 38.Qg6+ Kh8 39.Qxf6+ Qg7 40.Qe6 Qxb2 41.Qh6+ Kg8 42.Qxg5+ Kf8 43.Qh6+ Ke7 44.Qe6+ Kf8 45.Qd6+ Kf7 46.Qg6+ Ke7 47.Qe6+ Kf8 48.Qc8+ Kf7 49.Qxb7+ Kf6 50.Qxc6+ Kxf5 51.Qd5+ Kg6 52.Qd3+ Kf6 53.g3 Qe5 54.Qf3+ Kg6 55.Kg2 Qb2 56.h4 Qe5 57.Qc6+ Kf7 58.Qb7+ Kf6 59.Qf3+ Kg7 60.Qe3 Qd5+ 61.Kh2 Kf7 62.Qf4+ Ke8 63.Qg5 Qf3 64.Kg1 Qd1+ 65.Kg2 Qxb3 66.Qxh5+ Ke7 67.Qxa5 Qb7+ 68.Kh2 Qf3 69.Qg5+ Kd7 70.Qe3 Qf5 71.Qd4+ Ke6 72.Qc4+ Kd6 73.Qe2 Qf6 74.Kg2 Kc5 75.Qe4 Kd6 76.Qf4+ Qxf4 77.gxf4 Ke6 78.Kg3 Kf6 79.Kg4 Kg6 80.f5+ Kf6 81.Kf4 Kf7 82.Kg5 Kg7 83.f6+ 1-0 (83) daro94 (2893)-aradhyagarg2000 (2669) Blitz 2022

[75] **8...Nb8** 9.d6

[9.c4]

[9.Be3 Bxe3 10.fxe3 b5 11.Bb3 d6 12.a4 bxa4 13.Bxa4+ Bd7 14.Nbd2 0-0 15.Bxd7 Nxd7 16.Qe2 a5 17.b3 Qb8 18.Ra3 Nc5 19.Rfa1 Qb7 20.Qc4 Rfb8 21.h3 h6 22.Kh2 Nf8 23.Rxa5 Rxa5 24.Rxa5 Nxb3 25.Nxb3 Qxb3 26.Qxc7 Qb6 27.Qxb6 Rxb6 28.Ra8 g6 29.c4 Kg7 30.c5 dxc5 31.Nxe5 Rb4 32.d6 Rxe4 33.d7 Ne6 34.Re8 Rxe5 35.d8Q Nxd8 36.Rxe5 Ne6 37.Kg3 Kf6 38.Rd5 h5 39.Kf3 Ng5+ 40.Ke2 Ne6 41.Kd3 Ke7 42.Kc4 Kf6 43.Kb5 Ke7 44.h4 Kf6 45.g3 Ng7 46.e4 Ne6 47.Kc4 Ke7 48.e5 Kf8 49.Rd7 Ke8 50.Rd3 Ke7 51.Kd5 Kd7 52.Ra3 Ke7 53.Ra7+ Kf8 54.Kd6 c4 55.Ra3 Nd4 56.Kd5 Nb5 57.Ra8+ Kg7 0-1 (57) JelenaZ (2628)-voraylk (2622) Blitz 2024]

9...0-0 10.Bb3

[10.c4 Nc6 11.Nc3 Nd4 12.Bg5 f6 13.Be3 Nxf3+ 14.Qxf3 Bxe3 15.Qxe3 c6 16.c5 Rb8 17.b4 b5 18.Bb3+ Kh8 19.Ne2 a5 20.a3 Ra8 21.Kh1 Bb7 22.g3 Ra6 23.f4 exf4 24.gxf4 f5 25.e5 Qa8 26.Qc3 Bc8 27.Rg1 Bb7 28.Raf1 axb4 29.axb4 Qe8 30.Rg3 Ra3 31.Qb2 Rxb3 32.Qxb3 Rg8 33.Rfg1 Nf8 34.Nd4 Ne6 35.Nxf5 g6 36.Ne7 Rg7 37.f5 1-0 (37) cyryd (2628)-coluichenontiaspetti (2761) Blitz 2021]

10...Bc5 11.Bg5 Qe8 12.dxc7 Nc6 13.h4 h6 14.h5 Nf4 15.Bxf4 exf4 16.Bd5 d6 17.Qd2 Bg4 18.Qxf4 Bxh5 19.Nbd2 Rc8 20.b4 Bb6 21.g4 Bg6 22.Qxd6 Bh7 23.Qh2 Bxc7 24.Qh5 Ne5 25.Rac1 Nd3 26.Rc2 Nf4 27.Qh4 Nxd5 28.g5 Qe7 29.Re1 Nf4 30.Nf1 hxg5 31.Nxg5 Qxg5+ 0-1 (31) chargemax23 (2691)-WW-1219 (2662) Blitz 2025

[76] **9.d6** cxd6 10.Qxd6

[10.c4 0-0 11.Nc3

A) 11...Bb8 12.Be3 f5 13.exf5 Nxf5 14.Nd5 Bc7 15.Rc1 b6 16.b4 Bb7 17.Bb3 Kh8 18.Qd2 e4 19.Ng5 Nxe3 20.Qxe3 Bxd5 21.cxd5 b5 22.Nxe4 Bb6 23.Qg3 Nf4 24.Kh1 Ne2 25.Qxd6 Nxc1 26.Rxc1 Bxf2 27.g3 Bd4 28.Rc7 Rc8 29.Rxc8 Qxc8 30.Kg2 Re8 31.Ng5 Re2+ 32.Kh3 Qe8 33.Nf3 g5 34.Qh6 d6 35.Nxg5 Qd7+ 36.Ne6 Bg7 37.Qh5 Qe7 38.Qxe2 Be5 39.Qh5 Kg8 40.Bc2 1-0 (40) Buhmann (2761)-MI-DTB (2596) Blitz 2023;

B) 11...Bc5 12.a3 *(12.Be3 Nc6 13.Nd5 Nge7 14.Rb1 a5 15.a3 Nxd5 16.Qxd5 Qe7 17.Rfd1 b6 18.Bg5 Qe6 19.Bxc6 dxc6 20.Qxc6 Bd7 21.Qd5 Qxd5 22.Rxd5 a4 23.Nxe5 Be6 24.Nc6 Bxd5 25.Ne7+ Kh8 26.Nxd5 f6 27.Be3 Rab8 28.Kf1 Bxe3 29.Nxe3 b5 30.Rd1 bxc4 31.Nxc4 Rfc8 32.Nxd6 Rc7 33.Nb5 Rcb7 34.Nc3 Rxb2 35.Nxa4 Rb1 36.Rxb1 Rxb1+ 37.Ke2 Ra1 38.Nc5 Rxa3 39.Nd3 Kg8 40.Ke3 Kf7 41.f4 Ke6 42.g4 g5 43.f5+ Kd6 44.Kd4 Ra4+ 45.Ke3 h6 46.h3 Ra1 47.Kd4 Rd1 48.Ke3 Rh1 49.Nf2 Rg1 50.Kf3 Ke5 51.Nd3+ Kd4 52.Nb4 Rf1+ 53.Kg2 Re1 54.Nd5 Ke5 55.Nc3 Re3 56.Nd1 Rxe4 57.Kf3 Rf4+ 58.Kg3 Kd4 59.Nb2 Kc3 60.Nd1+ Kd3 61.Nb2+ Ke3 62.Nd1+ Kd4 63.Nf2 Kc3 64.h4 Rxf2 65.Kxf2 gxh4 66.Kg2 Kd3 67.Kh3 Ke3 68.Kxh4 Kf4 69.Kh5 Kg3 70.Kxh6 Kxg4 71.Kg6* 1-0 (71) Jonathan_Tah9393 (2648)-khvichachess (2642) Blitz 2025*)*

12...a5 13.Nb5 Ra6 14.h3 f5 15.Bc2 fxe4 16.Bxe4 Kh8 17.Ng5 h6 18.Qh5 Nf4 19.Bxf4 Rxf4 20.Nf7+ Rxf7 21.Qxf7 d5 22.cxd5 Rf6 23.Qh5 d6 24.b4 Bb6 25.bxa5 Bc5 26.Rac1 Bd7 27.a4 Qxa5 28.Rxc5 dxc5 29.Qxe5 Bxb5 30.axb5 Qd8 31.Re1 Nc8 32.Qb8 b6 33.Bf3 Rf8 34.Re6 Qg5 35.Rc6 Rxf3 36.Rxc8+ Kh7 37.Rh8+ Kg6 38.Qd6+ Rf6 39.Qg3 Qxg3 40.fxg3 Rd6 41.Rb8 Kf5 42.Kf2 Ke5 43.Rb7 g6 44.Ke3 Kxd5 45.Kd3 g5 46.Kc3 Rf6 47.Rd7+ Rd6 48.Rc7 c4 49.Rxc4 Re6 50.Rd4+ Kc5 51.Rd8 Re3+ 52.Kd2 Rxg3 53.Ke2 Rxg2+ 54.Kf3 Kxb5 55.Rd5+ Kc4 56.Rd6 Rb2 57.Rc6+ Kb5 58.Rxh6 Rb3+ 59.Kg4 Rb4+ 60.Kxg5 Rb3 61.h4 Ka5 62.Kg6 b5 63.Rh5 Rg3+ 64.Rg5 Rb3 65.h5 Ka4 66.h6 Rg3 67.h7 Rxg5+ 68.Kxg5 1-0 (68) LoveNewUniverse (2753)-Masterclass2 (2713) Blitz 2022;

C) 11...f5 12.Qxd6 fxe4 13.Nxe4 Rxf3 14.gxf3 Bb8 15.Qd3 b5 16.Bb3 bxc4 17.Bxc4+ d5 18.Rd1 Bb7 19.Nc5 Bc6 20.Bg5 Qd6 21.Ne4 Qd7 22.Bb3 Qh3 23.Rac1

Bb7 24.Nc5 Bc6 25.Ne4 Bb7 26.Ng3 h6 27.Bxe7 Nxe7 28.Qe4 Bd6 29.Bxd5+ Nxd5 30.Rxd5 Qe6 31.Rcd1 Bxd5 32.Qxd5 Qxd5 33.Rxd5 Bc7 34.Ne4 Rb8 35.b3 Kf8 36.Rd7 Bb6 37.Kg2 Rd8 38.Rb7 Bd4 39.Ng3 g6 40.Ne4 Rc8 41.h4 Rc6 42.Rh7 Kg8 43.Rxh6 Kg7 44.h5 Kxh6 45.hxg6 Kxg6 46.Kf1 Kf5 47.Ke2 Kf4 48.Kd3 Rc1 49.Nf6 Ra1 50.Nd5+ Kf5 51.Nb4 a5 52.Nc6 Rxa2 53.f4 Rxf2 54.fxe5 Bxe5 55.Nxa5 Rf4 56.Nc4 Rh4 57.Kc2 Rh3 58.Kb1 Ke6 59.Ka2 Kd5 60.Ka3 Rh2 61.Ka4 Bd4 62.Kb5 Bc5 63.b4 Rb2 64.Nb6+ Kd6 0-1 (64) kc6 (2635)-spectraline (2564) Blitz 2023;

D) 11...d5 12.cxd5 d6 13.h3 f5 14.Ng5 Nf4 15.Bxf4 exf4 16.Qh5 h6 17.Ne6 Bxe6 18.dxe6 fxe4 19.Nxe4 f3 20.Bc2 d5 21.Ng5 fxg2 22.Kxg2 Qc7 23.Rac1 Qf4 24.Nf7 Rac8 25.Qg4 Qxg4+ 26.hxg4 Rc4 27.Bf5 g6 28.Bd3 Rxg4+ 29.Kh3 Rf4 30.Kg3 Bb8 31.Kg2 Rg4+ 32.Kf3 Rb4 33.Rc2 Nc6 34.Rg1 g5 35.Kg2 Rg4+ 36.Kf1 Rxg1+ 37.Kxg1 Nd4 38.Rc3 Nxe6 39.Nxh6+ Kg7 40.Nf5+ Kf6 41.Ne3 Ke5 42.Rc1 Nf4 43.Bf1 Ba7 44.Re1 Kd6 45.Rd1 Re8 46.Nc4+ Kc7 47.Nd2 Bd4 48.b3 Ne2+ 49.Kg2 Nf4+ 50.Kg3 Rh8 51.Nf3 Bf6 52.Kg4 Kd6 53.Nxg5 Bxg5 54.Kxg5 Ne6+ 55.Kg4 Rf8 56.Kg3 Rf4 57.Bh3 Re4 58.Bf5 Re5 59.Kg4 Nc5 60.f4 Re2 61.b4 Rxa2 62.bxc5+ Kxc5 63.Be6 Rg2+ 64.Kf3 Rb2 65.Rxd5+ Kc6 66.Rd3 b5 67.f5 Rb4 68.f6 a5 69.f7 1-0 (69) rosagasa (2793)-efourwhitewins (2766) Blitz 2022]

[10.Bb3 0-0 11.Nbd2 *(11.Na3 d5 12.Bxd5 Nxd5 13.Qxd5 d6 14.Rd1 Bg4 15.Rd3 Qb6* 0-1 (15) kc6 (2639)-spectraline (2601) Blitz 2023*)* 11...d5 12.exd5 d6 13.Ne4 h6 14.Re1 f5 15.Ng3 Bd7 16.Nh5 f4 17.h3 Rc8 18.Bd2 Kh8 19.Bc2 Bf5 20.Nh2 Bxc2 21.Qxc2 Nf5 22.Nf3 Ngh4 23.Qe4 g6 24.Nxf4 exf4 25.Bxf4 Nxf3+ 26.Qxf3 Rc4 27.Re6 Ng7 28.Rxg6 Rcxf4 29.Rxh6+ Kg8 30.Qd3 R4f5 31.g4 Qg5 32.Rxd6 Rxf2 33.Kh1 R2f3 34.Qd4 0-1 (34) Erebuni91 (2684)-ma_long_ma (2653) Blitz 2024]

10...Bb8

[10...0-0

A) 11.Nxe5 Bb8 12.Nxf7 Rxf7 13.Qd1 d5 14.exd5 Qd6 15.f4 Nxf4 16.Bxf4 Rxf4 17.g3 Rxf1+ 18.Qxf1 Ba7+ 19.Kh1 Qxd5+ 20.Qg2 Be6 21.Bb3 Qxg2+ 22.Kxg2 Bd5+ 23.Bxd5+ Nxd5 24.Nd2 Rd8 25.Ne4 Nf6 26.Nxf6+ gxf6 27.b3 Rd2+ 28.Kh3 Kf7 29.a4 Bb8 30.c4 Be5 31.Re1 Rd3 32.b4 Ra3 33.a5 Rb3 0-1 (33) slamdunk_09 (2753)-toomanymanoevres (2919) Blitz 2024;

B) 11.Na3 b5 12.Bb3 Rb8 *(12...Bb7 13.Nxe5 Bb8 14.Qxd7 Nxe5 15.Qxb7 Ra7 16.Qxa7 Bxa7 17.Bf4 N7g6 18.Bg3 h5 19.Rad1 Qf6 20.h3 h4 21.Bh2 Nf4 22.Kh1 Qg5 23.g3 hxg3 24.fxg3 Nxh3 25.Kg2 Nf2 26.Bg1 Neg4 27.Bxf2 Nxf2 28.Rxf2 Bxf2 29.Kxf2 Kh7 30.Nc2 f5 31.e5 f4 32.Rh1+ Kg6 33.g4 Qxe5 34.Re1 Qg5 35.Nd4 Qh4+ 36.Kf1 f3*

37.Re6+ Rf6 38.Bc2+ Kg5 39.Rxf6 Kxf6 40.Nxf3 Qxg4 41.Kf2 Qf4 42.Bd1 g5 43.Be2 g4 44.Kg2 gxf3+ 45.Bxf3 Qd2+ 46.Kg3 Qxb2 47.Bg4 Qxc3+ 48.Kf4 Qb4+ 49.Kg3 Qa3+ 50.Bf3 Qxa2 51.Kf4 Qb3 52.Be4 Qb4 53.Kf3 Qxe4+ 54.Kxe4 Ke6 55.Kd4 Kd6 56.Ke4 Kc5 57.Kd3 b4 58.Kd2 a5 59.Kd3 a4 60.Ke3 a3 61.Ke4 a2 62.Ke5 a1Q+ 63.Ke6 Qd4 64.Ke7 Qd6+ 65.Kf7 b3 66.Ke8 b2 67.Kf7 ½-½ (67) Boss_GM (2607) - TheDayThatNeverCome (2656) Blitz 2024*)* 13.Rd1 Rb6 14.Qd3 h6 15.Be3 Rb7 16.Nc2 Bxe3 17.Nxe3 Rb6 18.g3 d6 19.Nf5 Nxf5 20.exf5 Ne7 21.Nxe5 Bxf5 22.Qe3 Qc7 23.Nf3 Ng6 24.Re1 Rbb8 25.Rad1 Rfe8 26.Qxe8+ Rxe8 27.Rxe8+ Kh7 28.Bd5 Bg4 29.Rd4 Qd7 30.Re3 Qf5 31.Be4 Qf6 32.Nh4 Kh8 33.Nxg6+ fxg6 34.Bg2 Kh7 35.Rxg4 1-0 (35) notkevich (2745)-spectraline (2593) Blitz 2023;

C) 11.Bg5 f6 12.Be3 Kuzmin, Alexey: 'was more precise, but does not pose considerable problems to Black:'

C1) 12...Bb8 Kuzmin, Alexey: '!?' 13.Bb3+ *(13.Qd2 f5* Kuzmin, Alexey: ' ⩾!'*)* 13...Kh8 14.Qd1 Kuzmin, Alexey: 'Kotronias,V - Rakotomaharo,F Belgrade 2021' d6 15.c4 *(15.a4 Nc6 16.Na3 Bc7 17.Nc4 Qe7 18.Bb6 Bb8 19.Ne3 f5 20.exf5 Bxf5 21.Nxf5 Rxf5 22.Bc2 Rf6 23.Be3 Nf4 24.Ng5 h6 25.Ne4 Rf8 26.Ng3 Bc7 27.Bxf4 Rxf4 28.Qd3 g5 29.Nh5 e4 30.Qe2 Rh4 31.g3 Rxh5 32.Qxh5 Kg7 33.Rae1 d5 34.f3 Bb6+ 35.Kh1 Rf8 36.fxe4 Rxf1+ 37.Rxf1 d4 38.Bb3 Ne5 39.Rf5 Bc7 40.cxd4 Nc4 41.Bxc4 Qxe4+ 42.Qf3 Qe1+ 43.Bf1 Qe7 44.Bg2 Qe1+ 45.Qf1 Qe7 46.Rf2 Bd6 47.Re2 Qc7 48.Bd5 Bb4 49.Rc2 Qd7 50.Qf3 Qe7 51.Re2 Qd7 52.Qe4 Qc7 53.Qe6 Qc1+ 54.Kg2 Qc7 55.Qg8+ Kf6 56.Re6+ Kf5 57.Be4+ Kg4 58.h3+ Kh5 59.g4+ Kh4 60.Rxh6#* 1-0 (60) nobodybelive (2607)-Calzonesdesuperman (2651) Blitz 2023*)* 15...f5 Kuzmin, Alexey: '⩾';

C2) Kuzmin, Alexey: 'A simpler way is also possible:' 12...Bxe3 13.fxe3 b5 14.Bb3+ Kh8 15.c4 Bb7 16.Nc3 Bc6 Kuzmin, Alexey: '⇄';

C3) 12...b5 13.Bb3+ Kh8 14.Bd5 *(14.a4 Bxe3 15.fxe3 Bb7 16.Nbd2 Bc6 17.axb5 axb5 18.h4 h5 19.Kh2 Qb6 20.Rxa8 Rxa8 21.Qd3 Ng8 22.Qe2 Nh6 23.Kh1 Ng4 24.Re1 b4 25.Nh2 bxc3 26.bxc3 f5 27.exf5 Nxh4 28.Nxg4 Bxg2+ 29.Kh2 hxg4 30.Qxg4 Qh6 31.Kg3 g5 32.fxg6 Nxg6 33.Kxg2 Nh4+ 34.Kg3 Ng6 35.Re2 Kg7 36.Ne4 Rd8 37.Qg5 Qxg5+ 38.Nxg5 Rc8 39.c4 Rb8 40.Bc2 Ne7 41.Rf2 Ng8 42.Rf7+ Kh6 43.Nf3 e4 44.Bxe4 Rb3 45.Rh7#* 1-0 (45) tulachessroom (2686)-CashVampire (2805) Blitz 2023*; 14.h4 Bb8 15.Qa3 Bb7*

16.Nbd2 d5 17.exd5 Nxd5 18.Bc5 Re8 19.Rad1 Qc8 20.Ne4 Ndf4 21.Bc2 Qg4 22.Ng3 Bxf3 23.gxf3 Qxf3 24.Be4 Qg4 25.Bxa8 e4 26.Bxe4 Ne2+ 27.Kh1 Qxh4+ 28.Kg2 Nxg3 29.Bxg6 hxg6 30.Rh1 Nxh1 31.Rxh1 1-0 (31) goltsev2000 (2652)-spectraline (2569) Blitz 2023*)* 14...Nxd5 15.Qxd5 Bxe3 16.Qxa8 Bh6 17.Nbd2 d6 18.Rad1 Nf4 19.Nb3 Qe7 20.Qc6 Bg4 21.Qxd6 Qf7 22.Nbd2 Rg8 23.Rfe1 Qg6 24.Nxe5 fxe5 25.Qxg6 Nxg6 26.f3 Be6 27.Nb3 Bc4 28.Na5 Bf7 29.Rd6 Nf4 30.Rxa6 Rd8 31.Nc6 Rd2 32.Ra8+ Bg8 33.Nxe5 Rxg2+ 34.Kf1 g5 35.Nf7+ Kg7 36.Nxh6 Bc4+ 37.Re2 Bxe2+ 38.Ke1 Kxh6 39.Kd2 Bxf3+ 40.Ke3 Bg4 41.h4 Re2+ 42.Kd4 gxh4 0-1 (42) Gutemaus2019 (2742)-killermania (2563) Blitz 2021;

D) 11.c4 Qa5 *(11...Nc6 12.Nc3 Nd4 13.Nxd4 Bxd4 14.Be3 Bxe3 15.fxe3 Qg5 16.Rf3 Qh6 17.c5 b5 18.Bb3 Bb7 19.Qxd7 Bc8 20.Qd6 Bg4 21.Rxf7 Qxe3+ 22.Kh1 Kh8 23.c6 Rxf7 24.Bxf7 Nf4 25.c7 Qd4 26.Qxd4 exd4 27.Nd5 Nxd5 28.exd5 d3 29.h3 Bd7 30.Rd1 Rc8 31.d6 Rf8 32.Bb3 g5 33.Rxd3 h5 34.Re3 g4 35.hxg4 hxg4 36.Kh2 Rf6 37.Re7 g3+ 38.Kxg3* 1-0 (38) titan00013 (2700)-FraDoNicks (2764) Blitz 2021*)* 12.Nc3 Bc5 13.Qd3 d6 14.Bd2 Qc7 15.Rac1 Bg4 16.h3 Bxf3 17.Qxf3 Rac8 18.a3 Bd4 19.Bb3 Qb6 20.Na4 Qa7 21.Ba2 Nc6 22.b4 b5 23.Nc3 bxc4 24.Nd5 Nge7 25.Bxc4 Nxd5 26.Bxd5 Qb6 27.Rc4 Ne7 28.Rxc8 Nxc8 29.Rc1 Ne7 30.Ba2 g6 31.Bh6 1-0 (31) Nadigraj (2733)-thedaythatnevercome (2662) Blitz 2024;

E) 11.Rd1 b5 12.Bb3 Bb7 13.Nxe5 *(13.Nbd2 Rc8 14.Ng5 h6 15.Ngf3 Rc6 16.Qd3 Nf4 17.Qf1 Rg6 18.g3 d6 19.Nh4 Qd7 20.Nxg6 Nh3+ 21.Kg2 Nxg6 22.f3 Kh8 23.a4 f5 24.Kxh3 fxe4+ 25.Kg2 e3 26.Qd3 exd2 27.Qxg6 Bxf3+* 0-1 (27) yaguigor (2628)-mocaspoke (2589) Blitz 2022 *)* 13...Bxe4 14.Nd2 Nf5 15.Nxf7 Rxf7 16.Bxf7+ Kxf7 17.Qb4 Bc6 18.Nf1 Qh4 19.Qxh4 Ngxh4 20.Ne3 Nxe3 21.Bxe3 Bxe3 22.fxe3 Nxg2 23.Kf2 h5 24.Rd4 Rf8 25.Rg1 Kg8+ 26.Ke2 Re8 27.e4 Rxe4+ 28.Rxe4 Bxe4 29.Kd2 g5 30.Rf1 Kg7 31.b3 Bc6 32.c4 bxc4 33.bxc4 g4 34.Kc3 h4 35.Kb4 Ne3 36.Rf4 g3 37.Rg4+ Nxg4 0-1 (37) chargemax23 (2679)-Fightbro (2598) Blitz 2023;

F) 11.Bc2 Bb8 12.Qd1 d5 13.exd5 Qxd5 14.Nbd2 Bf5 15.Bxf5 Nxf5 16.Nb3 Rd8 17.Bg5 f6 18.Qc2 Qe6 19.Nc5 Qc8 20.Bc1 Ba7 21.Ne4 Kh8 22.Qe2 Qe6 23.a4 Rac8 24.a5 Qc4 25.Qxc4 Rxc4 26.Nfd2 Rc7 27.g3 Rcd7 28.Nc4 Rc7 29.Ra4 Kg8 30.Nb6 Bxb6 31.axb6 Rc6 32.Rb4 h5 33.h3 Nf8 34.g4 hxg4 35.hxg4 Ne7 36.Rb3 Ne6 37.Be3 Nd5 38.Rd1 Nxe3 39.Rxd8+ Nxd8 40.fxe3 Ne6 41.Rb4 Kf8 42.Kf2 Nc5 43.Kf3 Nd3 44.Rb3 Ke7

45.c4 Ne1+ 46.Ke2 Rxc4 47.Nc3 Ng2 48.Nd5+ Kd7 49.Rd3 Kc6 50.Ne7+ Kxb6 51.Rd6+ Ka7 52.Rd7 Rxg4 53.Nf5 Nh4 54.Nd6 Rg2+ 55.Kd3 Rxb2 56.Rxg7 Ng2 57.Rg8 a5 58.Kc4 a4 59.Nb5+ Kb6 60.Nc3 a3 61.Ra8 Nxe3+ 62.Kd3 Nf5 63.Rxa3 Kc7 64.Nd5+ Kd6 65.Nxf6 Nd4 66.Ne4+ Ke6 67.Nc5+ Kd5 68.Ne4 Rb3+ 69.Rxb3 Nxb3 70.Nc3+ Kd6 71.Ke4 Nc5+ 72.Kf5 e4 73.Ne2 Kd5 74.Kf4 b5 75.Ke3 Kc4 76.Kd2 b4 0-1 (76) Fressinet,L (2626)-Cordoba Roa,A (2214) chess.com INT 2023;

G) 11.Bb3

G1) 11...b5 12.Bg5 *(12.h4 Bb8 13.Qd1 Bb7 14.h5 Nf4 15.h6 g6 16.Bxf4 exf4 17.Qd4* 1-0 (17) Tandilensis (2638)-Dictator02 (2698) Blitz 2024*)* 12...Bb8 *(12...Bb7 13.Nbd2 Bb8 14.Qc5 h6 15.Bxe7 Qxe7 16.Qxe7 Nxe7 17.Rad1 d5 18.exd5 Nxd5 19.Rfe1 Nf4 20.Ne4 Re8 21.g3 Ne6 22.Bd5 Bxd5 23.Rxd5 f5 24.Nd6 Bxd6 25.Rxd6 e4 26.Nh4 Ng5 27.Kg2 Rf8 28.Ng6 Rfd8 29.Red1 Rxd6 30.Rxd6 Kf7 31.Nf4 Nf3 32.h4 g5 33.Nd5 gxh4 34.Rxh6 Rg8 35.Rf6+ Ke8 36.Rxf5 hxg3 37.fxg3 Nh4+ 38.Kf2 Nxf5 39.Nf6+ Kf7 40.Nxg8 Kxg8 41.g4 Nd6 42.Ke3 Kf7 43.Kf4 Kf6 44.b3 Ke6 45.c4 bxc4 46.bxc4 Nxc4 47.Kxe4 Ne5 48.g5 Ng6 49.Kd4 Kd6 50.a3 Kc6 51.Ke4 Kb5 52.Kf5 Ne7+ 53.Ke6 Ng6 54.Kf5 Nf8 55.Ke5 Ka4 56.Kd6 Kxa3 57.Ke7 Ng6+ 58.Kf6 Nh4* Normal 0-1 (58) maffpoderallerechte (2648)-solxe (2617) Blitz 2024*)* 13.Qd3 Kh8 14.h4 f6 15.Be3 d5 16.h5 f5 17.Ng5 fxe4 18.Nxe4 Bf5 19.hxg6 Bxe4 20.Qe2 Bxg6 21.Bg5 Ra7 22.Nd2 Qd6 23.g3 Nf5 24.Rad1 Qc5 25.Qg4 Raf7 26.Ne4 dxe4 27.Bxf7 h5 28.Qxe4 Rxf7 29.Rd8+ Kh7 30.Rxb8 Nxg3 31.Rh8+ Kxh8 32.Qxg6 Rf8 33.Be3 Ne2+ 34.Kh2 Qc4 35.Qxh5+ Kg8 36.Re1 Nf4 37.Qxe5 Nd3 38.Bd4 Nxe5 39.Rxe5 b4 40.Rg5 Rf7 41.Kg2 bxc3 42.bxc3 Qxa2 43.Re5 Qc2 44.Re8+ Kh7 45.Re5 Qg6+ 46.Kf1 Qd3+ 0-1 (46) hungzhao (2721)-Jakebr8 (2842) Blitz 2024;

G2) 11...Bb8 12.Qd1

G2a) 12...b5 13.a4 *(13.Re1 Bb7 14.Bg5 Kh8 15.a4 f6 16.Bc1 d5 17.exd5 Nxd5 18.Na3 bxa4 19.Bxa4 Ngf4 20.c4 Nb4 21.Bxf4 exf4 22.Nd4 Be5 23.Ne6 Qxd1 24.Raxd1 Rg8 25.b3 f3 26.g3 Bc8 27.Ng5 fxg5 28.Rxe5 g4 29.h3 Ra7 30.hxg4 Bxg4 31.Rd6 h6 32.c5 Rc7 33.Rd4 Bh3 34.Rxb4 Rd8 35.Rh4 Rd1+ 36.Kh2 Bg2 37.g4 Rf7 38.Kg3 Rg1 39.Kh2 Rh1+ 40.Kg3 Rg1 41.Kh2 Rh1+ 42.Kg3 Rg1* ½-½ (42) ute-manfred (2620)-Samira_Chess2010 (2653) Blitz 2024*)* 13...Bb7 14.axb5 *(14.Re1 d5 15.exd5 Nxd5 16.Bg5 f6 17.Be3 Kh8*

18.Bc5 Re8 19.Na3 Ngf4 20.Nc2 Nxg2 21.Bxd5 Bxd5 22.Kxg2 e4 23.Nfd4 Qc7 24.Qh5 Re5 25.Qh3 Qxc5 26.Ne3 Bf7 27.axb5 Rg5+ 28.Kh1 Rh5 29.Qg2 Rxh2+ 30.Qxh2 Bxh2 31.Kxh2 Qh5+ 32.Kg1 Qg5+ 33.Kf1 a5 34.c4 f5 35.Ndxf5 Bxc4+ 36.Nxc4 Qxf5 37.Nd6 Qh3+ 38.Kg1 Qg4+ 39.Kf1 Rf8 40.Nxe4 Qh3+ 41.Kg1 Qb3 42.Rxa5 Qxb2 43.Raa1 Qxb5 44.Ng3 h6 45.Rab1 Qc5 46.Re2 h5 47.Rb3 h4 48.Nf1 Qg5+ 49.Kh1 Qd5+ 0-1 (49) ErenYeagaaa (2614)-Fightbro (2645) Blitz 2023*)*
14...axb5 15.Rxa8 Bxa8 16.Re1 d5 17.exd5 Bxd5 18.Bxd5 Nxd5 19.Na3 b4 20.cxb4 Nxb4 21.Nc4 Nd3 22.Re3 Nxc1 23.Qxc1 Qc7 24.b3 Ba7 25.Re1 f6 26.g3 Qb7 27.Nfd2 f5 28.Nxe5 Nxe5 29.Rxe5 f4 30.Qc4+ Kh8 31.Qxf4 Qc8 32.Qc4 Bxf2+ 33.Kg2 Qb8 34.Re2 Ba7 35.Ne4 Qb7 36.b4 h6 37.b5 Qb6 38.Kh3 Qg1 39.Rd2 Qe1 40.Qd3 Re8 41.Nd6 Re3 42.Qd5 Qf1+ 43.Kg4 Re7 44.Nf5 Re8 45.Qf7 Rg8 46.Rd7 Qe2+ 47.Kh3 Qf1+ 48.Kh4 g5+ 49.Kg4 Qe2+ 50.Kh3 Qf1+ 51.Kg4 Qe2+ 52.Kh3 g4+ 53.Kh4 Qxh2# 0-1 (53) Ditrealman (2705)-the_great_evil (2800) Blitz 2024;

G2b) 12...h6 13.Be3 d6 14.Nbd2 Kh8 15.Nc4 Bc7 16.a4 f5 17.exf5 Bxf5 18.a5 Bg4 19.Ncd2 Nh4 20.Ra4 Nxf3+ 21.Nxf3 Bxf3 22.gxf3 d5 23.Rg4 Rf5 24.Qd2 Rxf3 25.Bxh6 Nf5 26.Bg5 Qe8 27.Qxd5 Rh3 28.Qe4 Qh5 29.Qxf5 Rxh2 30.Bd5 e4 31.Qxe4 Rf8 32.Be3 Rh3 33.Re1 Bh2+ 34.Kf1 Bc7 35.Ke2 Rh2 36.Reg1 Qh3 37.Rxg7 1-0 (37) chargemax23 (2683)-spectraline (2628) Blitz 2023;

G2c) 12...d6 13.Na3 *(13.Nbd2 Bc7 14.Nc4 b5 15.Ne3 Bb7 16.Nd5 h6 17.a4 Kh8 18.Qd3 f5 19.exf5 Nxf5 20.Rd1 bxa4 21.Rxa4 Bb6 22.Rg4 Nge7 23.h3 Nxd5 24.Bxd5 Bxd5 25.Qxd5 Qe7 26.Rg6 e4 27.Re6 Qf7 28.Rxe4 Qg6 29.Rg4 Qf6 30.Bf4 Rae8 31.Bxd6 Rd8 32.Rf4 Rxd6 33.Qb3 Rxd1+ 34.Qxd1 Qe7 35.Qd5 Nd6 36.Rxf8+ Qxf8 37.c4 Nf7 38.b4 Ng5 39.c5 Nxf3+ 40.gxf3 Bc7 41.Kg2 Qf4 42.c6 Qh2+ 43.Kf1 Qxh3+ 44.Ke2 Qh2 45.Qd7 Qe5+ 46.Kf1 Qa1+ 47.Ke2 Qe5+ 48.Kf1 Kh7 49.Qd3+ Kg8 50.Qxa6 Qh2 51.Qc4+ Kh8 52.b5 Qd6 53.Ke2 Qe5+ 54.Kf1 Qd6 55.Qb4 Qxb4* 0-1 (55) TheRigaMagician (2701)-Calzonesdesuperman (2656) Blitz 2024*)* 13...h6 14.Nc4 b5 15.Ne3 Kh8 16.Nd5 f5 17.Bc2 Bb7 18.exf5 Nxd5 19.fxg6 Nf4 20.Bxf4 Rxf4 21.Re1 Qf6 22.Qd2 Rxf3 23.gxf3 Qxf3

24.Kf1 Qg2+ 25.Ke2 Qg4+ 0-1 (25) arturchix (2849)-SaxKaiGoal (2776) Blitz 2023]
[10...b5 11.Bb3 Qb6 12.Qd3 0-0 13.Be3 Qc7 14.Nbd2 Bb7 15.Bxa7 Rxa7 16.c4 b4 17.Qe3 Raa8 18.c5 d5 19.cxd6 Qxd6 20.Nc4 Qf6 21.Rfd1 Rad8 22.g3 Nc6 23.Kg2 Nd4 24.Ncxe5 Nxe5 25.Nxd4 Ng4 26.Qf4 Qxf4 27.gxf4 Bxe4+ 28.f3 Ne3+ 29.Kg3 Nxd1 30.Rxd1 Bd5 31.Ba4 g6 32.b3 Rd6 33.Rc1 Rfd8 34.Rc7 Be6 35.Nc6 R8d7 36.Ne7+ Rxe7 37.Rxe7 Rd2 38.Ra7 Rxa2 39.Rxa6 Bxb3 40.Ra8+ Kg7 41.Bc6 Rxa8 42.Bxa8 Bc2 0-1 (42) miki_train (2670)-Dictator02 (2625) Blitz 2024]
11.Qd3
[11.Qd1 0-0 12.c4 d6 *(12...b5 13.cxb5 d5 14.exd5 e4 15.Nd4 Qxd5 16.Nc6 axb5 17.Qxd5 Nxd5 18.Bxb5 Be6 19.Nc3 Nxc3 20.bxc3 Ne5 21.Nxe5 Bxe5 22.a4 Bxc3 23.Ra3 Bd4 24.Be3 Bb2 25.Bc5 Bxa3 26.Bxa3 Rfb8 27.Bd6 Rd8 28.Bc7 Rd2 29.a5 Ra2 30.Bb6 f5 31.Rc1 R2xa5 32.Bxa5 Rxa5 33.Bf1 Kf7 34.g3 g5 35.h4 gxh4 36.gxh4 Kf6 37.Rc7 h6 38.Kh2 Ke5 39.Rh7 Ra2 40.Kg1 Ra1 41.Kg2 f4 42.Bb5 f3+ 43.Kh2 Ra2 44.Kg3 Ra1 45.Kh2 Rb1 46.Bc6 Rb6 47.Bb7 Bf5 48.Re7+ Kf4 49.Rg7 Rb2 50.Rf7 e3 51.Kg1 e2 52.Rxf5+ Kxf5 53.Be4+* 1-0 (53) theRapidMonster (2674)-Kubas92 (2654) Blitz 2024*)*
13.Nc3 Ba7 14.h3 *(14.Bc2 Be6 15.b3 Rc8 16.Bd2 h6 17.Rc1 f5 18.exf5 Bxf5 19.Bxf5 Nxf5 20.Ne4 Ngh4 21.Nxh4 Qxh4 22.Qe2 Nd4 23.Qd3 Qg4 24.Kh1 Qg6 25.Be3 Rcd8 26.Rcd1 Kh8 27.Nc3 Qh5 28.Ne4 Rd7 29.f4 Qg6 30.fxe5 Rxf1+ 31.Rxf1 dxe5 32.Rf8+ Kh7 33.Nf6+ gxf6 34.Rh8+ Kxh8 35.Qxg6 Nf5 36.Qe8+* 1-0 (36) KhatanbaatarGM (2674)-Grandelicious (2744) Blitz 2025*)*
14...Be6 15.b3 h6 16.Be3 Bxe3 17.fxe3 Qb6 18.Qd2 Rad8 19.Rad1 f5 20.Kh2 f4 21.Rfe1 Kh8 22.Qe2 Rf6 23.Rd3 fxe3 24.Qxe3 Qb4 25.Red1 Bc8 26.Ne1 Nf4 27.R3d2 Neg6 28.Nc2 Qa5 29.b4 Qc7 30.c5 Nh4 31.Nd5 Nxd5 32.Rxd5 Rdf8 33.Rxd6 Rf2 34.R1d2 Nxg2 35.Qxf2 Rxf2 36.Rxf2 Nf4 37.Ne3 Qe7 38.Ng2 Qg5 39.Nxf4 exf4 40.Rg2 Qh4 41.Bd7 Bxd7 42.Rxd7 f3 43.Rgxg7 Qf4+ 44.Kh1 Qc1+ 45.Kh2 Qf4+ 46.Kh1 Qc1+ 47.Kh2 Qf4+ ½-½ (47) Bakayoyo (2788)-Stoichess (2654) Blitz 2021]
[11.Qa3 0-0 12.Bg5 f6 13.Bb3+ Kh8 14.Be3 b5 15.Nbd2 Bb7 16.Rfd1 d5 17.exd5 Nxd5 18.Bxd5 Qxd5 19.Nf1 Qf7 20.Ne1 Bc7 21.Ng3 Rfd8 22.Nf5 Qe6 23.Qc5 Rac8 24.Qa7 Qc6 25.Qc5 Qxc5 26.Bxc5 Be4 27.Ne7 Nxe7 28.Bxe7 Re8 29.Bc5 Bc6 30.Nc2 a5 31.Ne3 Kg8 32.Nf5 Kf7 33.Bd6 Bb6 34.Ba3 Bc7 35.Bd6 g6 36.Bxc7 gxf5 37.Bxa5 Re7 38.Bb4 Rd7 39.Rxd7+ Bxd7 40.Rd1 Be6 41.Rd6 Bxa2 42.Ra6 Bc4 43.Ra7+ Kg6 44.f3 f4 45.h4 Rd8 46.h5+ Kxh5 47.Rxh7+ Kg6 48.Rc7 Rd2 49.Rc6 Rxb2 50.Be7 Kg7 51.Bxf6+ Kf7 52.Bxe5 Bd3 53.Bxf4 b4 54.cxb4 Rxb4 55.Rc7+ Ke6 56.Bd2 Rb2 57.Bc3 Rc2 58.Ba5 Rxc7 59.Bxc7 Kf5 60.Bg3 Be2 61.Kf2 Bd1 62.Bh2 Bc2 63.Bg1 Kg5 64.g4 Bd1 65.Kg3 Be2 66.Be3+ Kg6 67.f4 Bd1 68.f5+ Kf6

69.Kf4 Bc2 70.Bd4+ Kf7 71.g5 Ke7 72.g6 Kf8 73.Kg5 Kg8 74.f6 Bxg6 75.Kxg6 Kf8 76.Bc5+ Ke8 77.f7+ Kd7 78.f8Q 1-0 (78) old_school_chess467 (2610)-phenix4k (2455) Blitz 2024]

11...0-0

[11...b5 12.Bb3 0-0 *(12...Bb7 13.Bg5 f6 14.Rd1 fxg5 15.Nxg5 Rf8 16.Ne6 Qc8 17.Nxg7+ Kd8 18.Ne6+ Ke8 19.Nxf8 Kxf8 20.Nd2 Kg7 21.Nf3 d6 22.Ng5 Qg4 23.Ne6+ Kh8 24.f3 Qh4 25.g3 Qh6 26.Nd8 Ba7+ 27.Kh1 Rxd8 28.a4 bxa4 29.Rxa4 Qh3 30.Rb4 Bc8 31.Rc4 a5 32.Rc7 Bb6 33.Rc4 Ba6 34.Qd2 Bxc4 35.Bxc4 Bc5 36.Qg5 Rf8 37.Ra1 Kg7 38.Rxa5 Rxf3 39.Ra1 Rf2* 0-1 (39) Igor232323 (2610)-Train_account (2659) Blitz 2024*)* 13.a4 Bb7 *(13...bxa4 14.Rxa4 d6 15.Rd1 Kh8 16.Ng5 Qe8 17.Na3 h6 18.Nf3 f5 19.exf5 Bxf5 20.Qe3 d5 21.Ra5 Ba7 22.Qe2 Bg4 23.Bxd5 Nxd5 24.Rdxd5 e4 25.h3 exf3 26.Qxe8 Raxe8 27.hxg4 Re1+ 28.Kh2 fxg2 29.Kxg2 Rxf2+ 30.Kg3 Rg1+ 31.Kh3 Rxc1 32.Rxa6 Nf4+ 33.Kg3 Rg1+ 34.Kh4 Rh2#* 0-1 (34) chargemax23 (2635)-SaxKaiGoal (2692) Blitz 2023*)* 14.axb5 axb5 15.Rxa8 Bxa8 16.Rd1 Bc6 17.c4 Qb6 18.Nc3 bxc4 19.Bxc4 Ba7 20.Be3 Qb7 21.Bxa7 Qxa7 22.g3 h6 23.h4 Qb8 24.h5 Nh8 25.Qd6 Qxd6 26.Rxd6 Nc8 27.Rd1 Re8 28.b4 Nb6 29.Bb3 Kf8 30.b5 Bb7 31.Rd6 Rc8 32.Rxb6 Rxc3 33.Rxb7 Rxb3 34.Nxe5 Ke7 35.Rb8 f6 36.Ng6+ Nxg6 37.hxg6 Rb4 38.b6 Rxe4 39.Rg8 Rb4 40.Rxg7+ Kf8 41.Rf7+ Kg8 42.Rxf6 d5 43.Rd6 d4 44.Kf1 d3 45.Ke1 Rb2 46.f4 Kg7 47.f5 h5 48.Rd7+ Kh6 49.g7 Kh7 50.f6 Re2+ 51.Kd1 Rf2 52.Rd8 Kg6 53.g8Q+ Kf5 54.Qh7+ Kg4 55.Qxd3 Kh3 56.Qe4 Kh2 57.Qf4 Kg2 58.Qxf2+ Kxf2 59.Rh8 Kg2 0-1 (59) Pendos666 (2650)-Demchenko,A (2625) Blitz 2023]

12.c4

[12.Na3 d5 13.Rd1 *(13.exd5 Bf5 14.Qe2 Nxd5 15.Bb3 Ndf4 16.Bxf4 Nxf4 17.Qe3 Qf6 18.Bc2 Bxc2 19.Nxc2 Qg6 20.g3 Qxc2 21.gxf4 exf4 22.Qd2 Qe4 23.Nd4 f3 24.Kh1 Rd8 25.Qe3 Qg4 26.Nxf3 Bf4 27.Qe4 Re8 28.Qxb7 Rab8 29.Qd5 Rbd8 30.Qb7 Rb8 31.Qd5 Rxb2 32.Rg1 Qh3 33.Rae1 Rxe1 34.Qd8+* 1-0 (34) Strongmama1 (2621)-LoveFifi (2645) Blitz 2024*)* 13...f5 14.Bb3 fxe4 15.Qxe4 Be6 16.Ng5 Qc8 17.Qe2 Ba7 18.Be3 Bxe3 19.Qxe3 h6 20.Nxe6 Qxe6 21.c4 d4 22.c5 Nd5 23.Rxd4 Nxe3 24.Bxe6+ Kh7 25.Rd7 Nf5 26.Rxb7 Nd4 27.Bg4 Nf4 28.Nc4 Nd3 29.Rf1 Nxc5 30.Rc7 Ne4 31.Nxe5 Nf6 32.Bd1 Rab8 33.b3 Rb5 34.f4 Ne4 35.Rc4 Rd5 36.g3 Nd2 37.Rxd4 Rxd4 38.Bc2+ Kg8 39.Rd1 Rd5 40.Nc4 Nxc4 41.Rxd5 Ne3 42.Rc5 Rd8 43.Be4 Rd2 44.Rc3 Nd1 45.Rd3 Kf7 46.Rxd2 1-0 (46) VKfan2022 (2768)-Ural_bogatyr (2636) Blitz 2023]

[12.Be3 d5 13.Nbd2 f5 14.exf5 e4 15.Qc2 exf3 16.fxg6 fxg2 17.gxh7+ Kh8 18.Rfe1 Qd6 19.f4 Nf5 20.Kxg2 Nxe3+ 21.Rxe3 Qxf4 22.Rf1 Qxh2# 0-1 (22) GeNer4tion_KiLL (2728)-NeverEnough (2748) Blitz 2024]

[12.Bb3

A) 12...d6 13.Na3 *(13.Be3 h6 14.Nbd2 b5 15.a4 bxa4 16.Rxa4 Kh8 17.Nc4 f5 18.Nb6 Bb7 19.Nxa8 fxe4 20.Rxe4 Bxa8 21.c4 Rxf3 22.gxf3 Nf5 23.Bc2 Qf6 24.Rg4 Nge7 25.f4 Bf3 26.Rg3 e4 27.Qb3 Bc7 28.Qb7 Nxg3 29.fxg3 Ba5 30.Qa8+ Kh7 31.Rxf3 Qxb2 32.Qxe4+ Kg8 33.Rf2 Qa1+ 34.Kg2 Be1 35.Qxe7 Bxf2 36.Qe8#* 1-0 (36) JimHacker (2625)-spectraline (2565) Blitz 2023*)* 13...Bc7 14.Nc4 *(14.Nc2 h6 15.Nb4 Kh8 16.Nd5 Nxd5 17.Bxd5 f5 18.exf5 Bxf5 19.Be4 Ne7 20.Bxf5 Nxf5 21.Qd5 Rb8 22.Nd2 Qd7 23.Ne4 Ne7 24.Qd1 d5 25.Ng3 Qe6 26.Be3 Rbd8 27.Qe2 Ng6 28.Rad1 Qf7 29.Bc1 Rfe8 30.Qh5 Kh7 31.Ne2 Rf8 32.Ng3 Nf4 33.Bxf4 exf4 34.Qxf7 Rxf7 35.Ne2 f3 36.gxf3 Rxf3 37.Nd4 Rf6 38.Rd3 Rdf8 39.Rd2 Bb6 40.Kg2 Rg6+ 41.Kh1 Rgf6 42.Kg2 g5 43.Kh1 Kg6 44.Kg2 h5 45.Re1 R8f7 46.Re5 Rd6 47.Nf3 Rf5 48.Rxf5 Kxf5 49.Nd4+ Bxd4 50.Rxd4 g4 51.h3 gxh3+ 52.Kxh3 Ke5* 0-1 (52) vipa21 (2636)-Calzonesdesuperman (2669) Blitz 2024*)* 14...b5 15.Ne3 Nf4 16.Qd1 Bb7 17.g3 Ne6 18.Nd5 Nc5 19.Nxe7+ Qxe7 20.Bd5 Bb6 21.Re1 h6 22.Be3 Qc7 23.Nh4 Rad8 24.Qg4 Kh8 25.Rad1 Bc8 26.Qh5 Ne6 27.Bxh6 gxh6 28.Qxh6+ Kg8 29.Qf6 Rde8 30.Nf5 Qd8 31.Qh6 Qg5 32.Bxe6 Qxh6 33.Nxh6+ Kg7 34.Nf5+ Kf6 35.Bxc8 Bc7 36.Bb7 Rd8 37.Bd5 Kg6 38.Kg2 f6 39.h4 Rh8 40.Kf3 Kh5 41.a4 Kg6 42.axb5 axb5 43.Ra1 b4 44.Ra7 Rc8 45.cxb4 Kh5 46.Bf7# 1-0 (46) Nadigraj (2661)-alfredogto (2675) Blitz 2024;

B) 12...d5 13.exd5 Bd6 *(13...Qd6 14.Nbd2 Bf5 15.Ne4 Bxe4 16.Qxe4 f5 17.Qb4 Qxb4 18.cxb4 Bd6 19.Be3 Rac8 20.Bc5 Rfd8 21.Rac1 Kf7 22.Ng5+ Kf6 23.Ne6 Rd7 24.Bxd6 Rxd6 25.Rxc8 Nxc8 26.Rc1 Nb6 27.Nc5 Nf4 28.Nxb7 Ne2+ 29.Kf1 Nxc1 30.Nxd6 Nxb3 31.axb3 e4 32.b5 axb5 33.Nxb5 Nxd5 34.Ke2 Ke5 35.g3 g5 36.Nc3 Nb4 37.f3 exf3+ 38.Kxf3 Nd3 39.Ke3 Nb4 40.Ne2 Nd5+ 41.Kf3 g4+ 42.Kf2 h5 43.b4 Nxb4 44.Nf4 Ke4 45.Kg2 h4 46.b3 h3+ 47.Kh1 Nd3 48.Ne6 Kf3 49.Nd4+ Kf2 50.Nxf5* 1-0 (50) Chesstomioka (2605)-HelgiGretarsson (2590) Blitz 2022 *)* 14.Bg5 f6 15.Be3 f5 16.Ng5 e4 17.Qd1 f4 18.Bd4 f3 19.g3 h6 20.Nxe4 Qd7 21.Nbd2 Qh3 22.Nxf3 Bg4 23.Ned2 Rxf3 24.Nxf3 Rf8 25.Qe2 Rxf3 26.Qe4 Nh4 0-1 (26) tulachessroom (2617)-sushila1 (2775) Blitz 2024;

C) 12...h6 13.Rd1 d6 14.Na3 b5 15.Nc2 Kh8 16.Ne3 Nf4 17.Qc2 Bb7 18.g3 Nfg6 19.Nd5 Nxd5 20.Bxd5 Bxd5 21.Rxd5 Qc8 22.Kg2 Ne7 23.Rd1 f5 24.Nh4 fxe4 25.Qxe4 d5 26.Rxd5 Qc6 27.f3 g5 28.Rxe5 Bxe5 29.Qxe5+ Qf6 30.Qxe7 gxh4 31.Qxf6+ Rxf6 32.Be3 Re6 33.Bd4+ Kh7 34.g4 Rae8 35.a4 Re2+ 36.Kh3 Rxb2 37.axb5 Ree2 38.Kxh4 Rxh2+ 39.Kg3 Rhg2+ 40.Kf4 Rxb5 41.Rxa6 h5 42.Ra7+ Kg8 43.gxh5 Rxh5 44.Ke4 Re2+ 45.Kd3 Re6 46.f4 Kf8 47.Be5 Ke8 48.Ke4

Re7 49.Kd5 Rxa7 50.c4 Rd7+ 0-1 (50) Nadigraj (2723)-ikica77 (2715) Blitz 2024]

[12.Rd1 d6 *(12...d5 13.exd5 f5 14.d6 Nc6 15.Ng5 Nf4 16.Bxf4 exf4 17.Qd5+ Kh8 18.Bb3 Qxg5 19.Nd2 Bd7 20.Nf3 Qf6 21.a3 Ba7 22.h4 Rae8 23.Ng5 Ne5 24.Re1 Bc6 25.Qd2 h6 26.Qxf4 hxg5 27.hxg5 Qg6 28.Rxe5 Rxe5 29.Qxe5 Qxg5 30.Qh2+ Qh6 31.Qxh6+ gxh6 32.Re1 f4 33.Re7 f3 34.g3 Rd8 35.Re6 Bc5 36.Rxh6+ Kg7 37.Rh5 Bxd6 38.Bd5 Bxd5 39.Rxd5 Be7 40.Rf5 Rd1+ 41.Kh2 Rd2 42.Rxf3 Rxb2 43.Kh3 Bc5 44.Rf4 Rxf2 45.Rg4+ Kf6 46.Rc4 Rf5 47.Kg4 Rd5 48.Kf3 Ke6 49.Re4+ Kd6 50.Rh4 b5 51.Rh6+ Ke5 52.Rh5+ Kd6 53.Rh6+ Ke5 54.Rxa6 Rd6 55.Ra5 Rf6+ 56.Kg4 Rb6 57.c4 Kd4 58.cxb5 Kc3 59.a4 Kb3 60.Ra6 Bb4 61.Rxb6* Time forfeit 1-0 (61) smihir6 (2679)-spectraline (2561) Blitz 2024 *)* 13.c4 h6 14.Nc3 Bc7 15.g3 f5 16.Kg2 fxe4 17.Qxe4 Bf5 18.Qxb7 Rb8 19.Qxa6 Bg4 20.Rd3 Nf5 21.Bc6 Rb6 22.Bd5+ Kh8 23.Qa4 Bxf3+ 24.Rxf3 Nfh4+ 25.gxh4 Nxh4+ 26.Kg3 Nxf3 27.Bxf3 e4 28.Be2 d5+ 29.Kg2 Rg6+ 30.Kf1 Qh4 31.Be3 Qxh2 32.Ke1 d4 33.Bxd4 Rg1+ 34.Bf1 Qg2 35.Kd2 Rxf1 36.Rxf1 Qxf1 37.Qd7 Qd3+ 38.Ke1 Be5 39.Qe7 Qxd4 40.Qxf8+ Kh7 41.Qf5+ Kg8 42.Qxe4 Qxe4+ 43.Nxe4 Bxb2 44.a4 Kf7 45.a5 Ke7 46.a6 Bd4 47.c5 Bb2 48.a7 Ba3 49.a8Q Bb4+ 50.Ke2 Kf7 51.Qb7+ Kg8 52.Qxb4 Kh7 53.Qc4 h5 54.Qf7 Kh6 55.Ng3 Kh7 56.Qxh5+ Kg8 57.Nf5 Kf8 58.Qg6 Kg8 59.Qxg7# 1-0 (59) MigueMosquera (2690)-Calzonesdesuperman (2604) Blitz 2024]

[12.Bg5 f6 13.Bb3+ Kh8 14.Be3 d6 *(14...b5 15.c4 Bb7 16.Nc3 bxc4 17.Bxc4 f5 18.Nd5 fxe4 19.Qxe4 Nf4 20.Bxf4 Rxf4 21.Ng5 Rxe4 22.Nf7+ Kg8 23.Nxd8 Bxd5 24.Bxd5+ Nxd5* 0-1 (24) michelchess94 (2605)-spidy92 (2693) Blitz 2022*)* 15.Rd1 f5 16.Ng5 Qe8 17.Na3 h6 18.Ne6 Rf6 19.exf5 Nxf5 20.Nc4 Bxe6 21.Nb6 Nxe3 22.Qxe3 Ba7 23.Rxd6 Rd8 24.Rad1 Rxd6 25.Rxd6 Qf8 26.Rxe6 Rxe6 27.Bxe6 Qd6 0-1 (27) Prettyfly (2630)-Calzonesdesuperman (2590) Blitz 2023]

12...b5

[12...d6 13.h3 *(13.Nc3 f5 14.Rd1 fxe4 15.Nxe4 Bf5 16.h3 Kh8 17.Qe2 b5 18.cxb5 d5 19.Ng3 e4 20.Nd4 Qc8 21.Ngxf5 Nxf5 22.Nxf5 Qxf5 23.Be3 axb5 24.Bxb5 Be5 25.a4 Rad8 26.Qg4 Qxg4 27.hxg4 Bxb2 28.Ra2 Be5 29.Bc5 Bd6 30.Rxd5 Bh2+ 31.Kxh2 Rxd5 32.Bxf8 Nxf8 33.Bc6 Ra5 34.Bxe4 Ne6 35.Bc6 g5 36.Re2 Nd4 37.Re8+ Kg7 38.Bd7 Rc5 39.Re7+ Kh6 40.Re4 Rd5 41.Be6 Rd6 42.Bf5 Kg7 43.a5 h6 44.f3 Kf6 45.Re8 Nxf5 46.Rf8+* 1-0 (46) Hilary46 (2611)-HorstBrack (2584) Blitz 2022*)* 13...f5 14.Nc3 h6 15.b4 fxe4 16.Qxe4 Bf5 17.Qxb7 Ba7 18.Nd5 Nxd5 19.Qxd5+ Kh8 20.Be3 Nh4 21.Nxh4 Qxh4 22.Bxa7 Rxa7 23.Qxd6 Raf7 24.Qxe5 Bxh3 25.Qg3 Qxg3 26.fxg3 Be6 27.Rxf7 Rxf7 28.c5 Bd5 29.Bb3 Bxb3 30.axb3 Rb7 31.Rxa6 Rxb4 32.Rb6 1-0 (32) berval (2617)-spectraline (2532) Blitz 2025]

13.Bb3
[13.cxb5 d5 14.exd5 Qxd5 15.Qe2 e4 16.Ng5 axb5 17.Bb3 Qe5 18.g3 Bb7 19.Nc3 b4 20.Ncxe4 h6 21.f4 Qf5 22.g4 Ba7+ 23.Kh1 Qa5 24.Nf3 Rae8 25.Nd6 Bc6 26.Nxe8 Rxe8 27.Qc4 Bd5 28.Qd3 Ba8 29.Be3 Nh4 30.Bxa7 Qxa7 31.Rae1 Nxf3 32.Rxf3 Qb7 33.Kg2 Rd8 34.Qxd8+ Kh7 35.Qd3+ f5 36.Kg3 Ng6 37.Bd5 Qd7 38.Bg8+ Kxg8 39.Qxd7 fxg4 40.Re8+ Kh7 41.Rfe3 1-0 (41) thebalancedplayer (2695)-Andrey_Klymchuk (2661) Blitz 2024]
13...Bb7 14.Nc3 b4 15.Nd5 Nxd5 16.cxd5 Bd6 17.Be3 a5 18.Rfc1 Qe7 19.Nd2 a4 20.Bc4 Nf4 21.Bxf4 exf4 22.Nf3 f6 23.h3 g5 24.Nd4 Kh8 25.Nf5 Qe5 26.Nxd6 Qxd6 27.Bb5 a3 28.bxa3 Rxa3 29.Qd4 Ra5 30.Bc4 Rc5 31.Bb3 Rfc8 32.Rxc5 Rxc5 33.Re1 Rc3 34.e5 fxe5 35.Rxe5 Qf6 36.Re8+ Kg7 37.Rg8+ 1-0 (37) cutemouse83 (2875)-FraDoNicks (2758) Blitz 2021
9.c4 0-0 10.Nc3
[10.h4 d6 11.h5 Nf4 *(11...Nh8 12.h6 g6 13.Nc3 f6 14.Nh4 Nf7 15.g4 Kh8 16.Kg2 f5 17.gxf5 gxf5 18.Qh5 f4 19.Rg1 Bg4 20.Ng6+ Nxg6 21.Qxg4 Nxh6 22.Qh3 Qh4 23.Qxh4 Nxh4+ 24.Kf1 Nf3 25.Rg2 Rg8 26.Bd1 Rxg2 27.Kxg2 Ne1+ 28.Kf1 Nd3 29.Bd2 Rg8* 0-1 (29) Onischuk,V (2619)-Le Tuan,M (2567) chess.com INT 2024*)* 12.Bxf4 exf4 13.Qd2 Bg4 14.Qxf4 Bxh5 15.Nc3 Ng6 16.Qg3 Qf6 17.Bd1 Rfe8 18.Nh2 Re5 19.Bxh5 Rxh5 20.Nf3 Nf4 21.Rfe1 Re8 22.e5 dxe5 23.Ne4 Qd8 24.Rad1 Rh6 25.Nxe5 Nh5 26.Qc3 Qh4 27.Kf1 Nf4 0-1 (27) Onischuk,V (2619)-Le,T (2567) chess.com INT 2024]
[10.Be3 Bxe3 *(10...d6 11.Nbd2 h6 12.Bc2 f5 13.exf5 Nxf5 14.Bxa7 Rxa7 15.Ne4 Bd7 16.Qd2 Qe7 17.Rfe1 Raa8 18.g3 Qf7 19.Qe2 Rae8 20.Kg2 Nd4 21.Nxd4 exd4 22.Qd3 Bf5 23.f4 b5 24.b3 Qd7 25.Qxd4 Bh3+ 26.Kh1 Qg4 27.Bd1 Qf5 28.Qe3 h5 29.Bf3 h4 30.Qd2 hxg3 31.hxg3 Ne7 32.Nf2 Qh7 33.Kg1 Bf5 34.Re2 Ng6 35.Rae1 Rxe2 36.Rxe2 bxc4 37.bxc4 Rb8 38.Re1 Nf8 39.g4 Bd7 40.f5 Qh4 41.Ne4 Rb2 42.Qxb2 Qxe1+ 43.Kg2 Nh7 44.Qd2 Qa1 45.Kg3 Nf8 46.Nc3 Qg1+ 47.Bg2 Qa1 48.Qe3 Kf7 49.Bh3 Nh7 50.Ne4 Nf6 51.Ng5+ Kf8 52.Nf3 Qxa2 53.g5 Nh5+ 54.Kh4 g6 55.fxg6 Qxc4+ 56.Kxh5 Bxh3 57.Kh6 Qxd5 58.g7+ Kf7 59.Qf4+ Ke7 60.Qf6+ Kd7 61.Nh4 Kc6 62.Ng6 Be6 63.Nf4* 1-0 (63) ajedrezsinlimites (2607)-alfredogto (2626) Blitz 2024*)* 11.fxe3 d6 12.Nbd2 f6 13.Qe2 Bg4 14.b4 Nh4 15.h3 Nxf3+ 16.Nxf3 Bxf3 17.Rxf3 b6 18.Bb3 a5 19.c5 axb4 20.cxb6 cxb6 21.Qd2 Ra5 22.Qxb4 Qc7 23.Qd2 Rc8 24.Raf1 Qc3 25.Qf2 Qd3 26.Qh4 Ng6 27.Qg4 Re8 28.h4 Ra7 29.h5 Nf8 30.h6 Rf7 31.Kh2 Ng6 32.Ba4 Ref8 33.Bd7 Kh8 34.Be6 Re7 35.hxg7+ Kxg7 36.R1f2 h5 37.Qf5 h4 38.Rh3 Qd1 39.Qg4 Qe1 40.Qf3 Rc7 41.Rf1 Qd2 42.Bf5 Ne7 43.Rxh4 Kf7 44.Bh3 Ke8 45.Rh6 Rg8 46.Rxf6 Ng6 47.Qf5 Nh4 48.Qe6+ 1-0 (48) maffpoderallerechte (2610)-whiteboader (2533) Blitz 2024]
10...d6 11.h3
[11.Bc2 h6 *(11...f5 12.exf5 Bxf5 13.Ne4 Bg4 14.Ned2 Nh4 15.Be4*

Neg6 16.Qb3 Rf4 17.Nxh4 Nxh4 18.Qg3 Bf5 19.Bxf5 Nxf5 20.Qh3 Nd4 21.Nb3 Ne2+ 22.Kh1 Nxc1 23.Raxc1 Qf6 24.f3 Rf8 25.Nd2 Kh8 26.Rfe1 Rh4 27.Qg3 Rh6 28.Ne4 Qf5 29.Qg4 Qxg4 30.fxg4 Rf4 31.g5 Rg6 32.g3 Rf8 33.Rf1 Rxf1+ 34.Rxf1 Kg8 35.Kg2 h6 36.gxh6 gxh6 37.Rf5 Kg7 38.Kf3 Bd4 39.b3 b5 40.g4 bxc4 41.bxc4 a5 42.h4 Kh7 43.Rf7+ Rg7 44.Rxg7+ Kxg7 45.Ng3 Kf6 46.Ke4 Kg6 47.a4 Bf2 48.Nf5 h5 49.gxh5+ Kxh5 50.Ng7+ Kxh4 51.Ne6 Bb6 52.c5 dxc5 53.Kxe5 Kg4 54.Ke4 Kh5 55.Kd3 Kg6 56.Kc4 Kf6 57.Nxc5 Ke5 58.Nb7 Ke4 59.Nd8 Ke5 60.Nc6+ Kd6 61.Nd8 Ke5 62.Nb7 Ke4 63.Nc5+ Ke5 64.Nd3+ Kd6 65.Nc1 Ke5 66.Nb3 Kd6 67.Kb5 Ke5 68.Nxa5 Kd6 69.Nc4+ Kxd5 70.Nxb6+ cxb6 71.Kxb6 Kd6 72.Kb7 Kd7 73.a5 Kd6 74.a6 Kc5 75.a7 Kb5 76.a8Q 1-0 (76) chessentialsBLOG (2616)-spectraline (2611) Blitz 2023*)* 12.Ne1 f5 13.exf5 Bxf5 14.Bxf5 Nxf5 15.Nd3 Qh4 16.b3 Bd4 17.Bd2 e4 18.Nc1 e3 0-1 (18) Comanchero8 (2677)-spectraline (2569) Blitz 2022]

[11.Be3 f5 *(11...h6 12.Ne1 f5 13.Bxa7 Rxa7 14.f3 Kh7 15.Nd3 c5 16.dxc6 bxc6 17.b4 Be6 18.Bb3 Rb7 19.a3 a5 20.Re1 fxe4 21.Nxe4 Nf5 22.Qd2 Nd4 23.Ba2 axb4 24.axb4 Rxf3 25.c5 Bxa2 26.Rxa2 dxc5 27.Nexc5 Re7 28.Qd1 Rff7 29.Rd2 Qb8 30.Nxe5 Rxe5 31.Rxd4 Rxe1+ 32.Qxe1 Re7 33.Re4 Qa7 34.Rxe7 Nxe7 35.Qe4+ Kh8 36.h4 Nd5 37.h5 Nf6 38.Qe1 Qc7 39.Qe6 Qg3 40.Qc8+ Kh7 41.Qf5+ Kh8 42.Nd3 Ng4 43.Qf8+ Kh7 44.Qf3 Qh2+ 45.Kf1 Nf6 46.Qf5+ Kh8 47.Qc8+ Kh7 48.Qxc6 Qh1+ 49.Ke2 Qxh5+ 50.Qf3 Qb5 51.Qe3 Nd5 52.Qe4+ Kh8 53.Kf3 Nf6 54.Qf5 Qc4 55.Qc8+ Kh7 56.Qxc4 h5 57.Qe4+ Kh8* 0-1 (57) kivanchaznedaroglu (2649)-HelgiGretarsson (2657) Blitz 2021*; 11...Bxe3 12.fxe3 f5 13.exf5 Nxf5 14.Qd2 Qe7 15.b4 e4 16.Nd4 Nxd4 17.Qxd4 Rxf1+ 18.Rxf1 Bd7 19.Bc2 Re8 20.Bxe4 Ne5 21.c5 Qg5 22.c6 bxc6 23.dxc6 Be6 24.Bd5 Bxd5 25.Nxd5 Nxc6 26.Qc4 Ne5 27.Qxc7 h6 28.Qxd6 Nc4 29.Qc6 Re4 30.Qc8+ Kh7 31.Qf5+ Qxf5 32.Rxf5 Nxe3 33.Nxe3 Rxe3 34.Ra5 Re6 35.a3 Kg6 36.Kf2 Kf6 37.Kf3 g5 38.h4 gxh4 39.Kg4 Kg6 40.Kh3 Re3+ 41.Kxh4 Re4+ 42.Kg3 Re6 43.Kf4 Rf6+ 44.Ke4 Re6+ 45.Kd4 Rf6 46.a4 Rf4+ 47.Kc3 Rf6 48.Rc5 h5 49.a5 h4 50.Kb3 Rd6 51.Ka4 Rd2 52.Rc6+ Kg5 53.Rxa6 Rxg2 54.Ra8 h3 55.Rh8 h2 56.Kb5 Rb2 57.a6 Kf4 58.Ka5 Ra2+ 59.Kb6 h1Q 60.b5 Qxh8* 0-1 (60) drawingchest (2646)-samira_chess2010 (2674) Blitz 2024*)* 12.Bxa7 Rxa7 Kuzmin, Alexey: '↑' 13.Bc2 *(13.exf5 Nxf5 14.Ne4 Nfh4 15.Nfg5 h6 16.Ne6 Bxe6 17.dxe6 Qe7 18.Bd7 Nf4 19.g3 Nf3+ 20.Kh1 Nxe6 21.Bxe6+ Qxe6 22.Qd5 Kf7 23.Rac1 b6 24.Kg2 Ke7 25.Qxe6+ Kxe6 26.Nc3 Rf7 27.Nd5 Ra8 28.Rc3 Nd4 29.f4 Raf8 30.Re1 Nc6 31.Rce3 g5 32.R3e2 Kd7 33.fxe5 Nxe5 34.b3 h5 35.Rd1 Kc6 36.Nb4+ Kb7 37.Nd3 Nc6 38.Rf2 a5 39.Rxf7 Rxf7 40.Nf2 h4 41.Rd2 Ne5 42.Ne4 g4 43.gxh4 Rh7 44.Rf2 Rxh4 45.Ng5 Rh8 46.Kg3 a4 47.h4*

gxh3 48.Nxh3 axb3 49.axb3 Rg8+ 50.Kh2 Ra8 51.Kg3 Ra3 52.Kh4 Rxb3 53.Nf4 Rb4 54.Nd5 Rxc4+ 55.Kg5 Rc5 56.Nf6 Nd3+ 57.Rf5 Nf2 58.Rxc5 bxc5 59.Kf4 Nd3+ 60.Ke3 Nb4 61.Kd2 Nc6 62.Kc3 Ne5 63.Nd5 Kc6 64.Ne7+ Kd7 65.Nf5 c6 66.Ne3 d5 67.Kc2 Kd6 68.Ng4 c4 69.Nf6 Nd7 70.Ne8+ Kc5 71.Nc7 Ne5 72.Ne6+ Kd6 73.Nf4 c5 74.Ne2 d4 75.Nc3 dxc3 76.Kxc3 Kd5 0-1 (76) Maldnus_Blundersen (2658)-Calzonesdesuperman (2584) Blitz 2023 *)* 13...Ra8 14.exf5 Bxf5 15.Ng5 Qd7 16.Bxf5 Rxf5 17.Ne6 Nf8 18.Nxf8 Raxf8 19.Ne4 Ng6 20.f3 Nf4 21.g3 Ng6 22.c5 h5 23.Rc1 h4 24.c6 bxc6 25.Rxc6 Ne7 26.Rc3 hxg3 27.hxg3 Ng6 28.Qc2 R8f7 29.Rb3 Qd8 30.Rb7 Nf8 31.Qb3 Rh5 32.Rb8 Qd7 33.Qc2 Qh3 34.Qg2 Qd7 35.Rc1 Rhf5 36.Rc3 Qa4 37.b3 Qa5 38.Qd2 Qa3 39.Ng5 R7f6 40.Ne6 Qa5 41.b4 Qa4 42.Rxc7 Qa3 43.Rxg7+ Kh8 44.Rxf8+ Rxf8 45.Qh6# 1-0 (45) Spacyspice (2662)-Calzonesdesuperman (2585) Blitz 2023]

[11.b4 f5 12.Ng5 h6 13.Ne6 Bxe6 14.dxe6 fxe4 15.Nxe4 Nf5 16.Rb1 Qh4 17.Qd3 Nd4 18.Bd7 Kh7 19.Be3 Rf5 20.Ng3 Rff8 21.c5 Qe7 22.Bxd4 exd4 23.c6 bxc6 24.Bxc6 Rab8 25.Bd7 Qg5 26.Qxa6 Bb6 27.a4 d3 28.Qxd3 Kh8 29.a5 Ba7 30.Qe4 Rf4 31.Qe2 Rbf8 32.Kh1 Ne5 33.b5 Rh4 34.b6 cxb6 35.axb6 Bb8 36.h3 Ng6 37.b7 d5 38.Rb3 Nf4 39.Qf3 Bd6 40.b8Q Rxb8 41.Rxb8+ Bxb8 42.Rc1 Nxh3 43.Rc8+ Kh7 44.gxh3 Rxh3+ 45.Kg2 1-0 (45) vantierry (2636)-spectraline (2531) Blitz 2024]

[11.Rb1 h6 12.b4 f5 13.Nd2 Nf4 14.Bc2 Neg6 15.Kh1 Nh4 16.g3 Nh3 17.Qe2 f4 18.gxh4 f3 19.Qd3 Bg4 20.c5 Qxh4 21.Nc4 Nxf2+ 22.Rxf2 Qxf2 23.Ne3 Bh3 0-1 (23) German308 (2631)-Thecourseoisildur (2623) Blitz 2023]

[11.Ne1 f5 12.Kh1 f4 13.Nd3 Kh8 14.f3 Nh4 15.b4 g5 16.c5 Neg6 17.Bb2 h5 18.Rc1 g4 19.Ne2 Nxg2 20.Kxg2 gxf3+ 21.Kh1 fxe2 22.Qxe2 Bg4 23.Qd2 Kh7 24.Bd1 Qh4 25.Rg1 Rf7 26.Nf2 Bxd1 27.Nxd1 Rg8 28.Nf2 Rfg7 29.Rg2 Nf8 30.Rxg7+ Rxg7 31.cxd6 cxd6 32.Nd3 Qh3 33.Qe2 f3 0-1 (33) Carlsen_brat (2624)-TalkingShit (2629) Blitz 2025]

11...h6

[11...f5 12.Ng5 h6 13.Ne6 Bxe6 14.dxe6 c6 15.exf5 Rxf5 16.Bc2 Rf6 17.Qg4 Qc8 18.Ne4 Rxe6 19.Be3 d5 20.Bxa7 Rxa7 21.Nc5 Rd6 22.Qxc8+ Nxc8 23.cxd5 cxd5 24.Rad1 Nge7 25.Rfe1 b6 26.Ne4 Rc6 27.Nc3 d4 28.Bb3+ Kf8 29.Nd5 Re6 30.Nf4 Rf6 31.Ne6+ Kf7 32.Rxe5 Rd7 33.Nc5+ 1-0 (33) LoveNewUniverse (2759)-mocaspoke (2599) Blitz 2021]

12.b4 f5 13.Be3 fxe4 14.Nxe4 Nf4 15.Bxa7 Rxa7 16.c5 Neg6 17.cxd6 cxd6 18.Rc1 b5 19.Bb3 Bf5 20.Ng3 Bd3 21.Re1 Raf7 22.Re3 e4 23.Ne1 Ne5 24.Nxe4 Bxe4 25.Rxe4 Qg5 26.Rxf4 Rxf4 27.Rc2 Re4 28.Re2 Rxe2 29.Qxe2 Qc1 30.Kh2 Qf4+ 31.Kg1 Qxb4 32.Bc2 Rc8 33.Bf5 Rc1 34.Be6+ Kh8 35.Kf1 Nd3 36.Qxd3 Qxe1# 0-1 (36) LoveNewUniverse (2809)-guirepa (2775) Blitz 2021

9.h4 b5
[9...h5 10.c4 *(10.d6 cxd6 11.Qxd6 0-0 12.Nxe5 Bb8 13.Qd1 Bxe5 14.Qxh5 Bf4 15.Na3 d5 16.g3 Bxc1 17.Raxc1 dxe4 18.Rfe1 b5 19.Bb3 Bb7 20.Nc2 Qd6 21.Ne3 Ne5 22.Rcd1 Qf6 23.Ng4 Nxg4 24.Qxg4 Rad8 25.h5 Nf5 26.Qf4 Nd6 27.Qxf6 gxf6 28.g4 Nc4 29.Bxc4 bxc4 30.Rd4 Rxd4 31.cxd4 Rd8 32.Rd1 Bc8 33.Kh2 Bxg4 34.Rd2 Bxh5 35.Kg3 Bg6 36.Kf4 Kf8 37.d5 Ke7 38.Ke3 Kd6 39.Kd4 Rc8 40.Kc3 Rc5 41.Re2 Rxd5 42.Kxc4 Rd3 43.b4 f5 44.a4 f4 45.b5 axb5+ 46.axb5 Ke5 47.b6 Rd4+ 48.Kc5 Rd1 49.Rb2 e3 50.fxe3 fxe3 51.b7 Rd8 52.Kc6 Be4+ 53.Kc7 Bxb7 54.Kxd8 Ba6 55.Ke7 f5 56.Ra2 e2 57.Rxa6 e1Q 58.Re6+ Kd4 59.Rxe1 f4 60.Kf6 f3 61.Kf5 f2 62.Ra1 Ke3 63.Kg4 Ke2 64.Kg3 f1Q 65.Ra2+ Ke3 66.Ra3+ Qd3 67.Ra2* 1-0 (67) Maldnus_Blundersen (2671)-mocaspoke (2636) Blitz 2021*; 10.g3 0-0 11.Ng5 f6 12.Qxh5 fxg5 13.Bxg5 d6 14.Nd2 Bh3 15.Rae1 Qc8 16.Bd1 Bxf1 17.Rxf1 Qh3 18.Bg4 Qxg3+ 19.Kh1 Rxf2 20.Be6+ Kf8 21.Rxf2+ Bxf2 22.Qf3+ Qxf3+ 23.Nxf3 Nf4 24.Bg4 g6 25.c4 Kf7 26.b4 a5 27.b5 Rh8 28.Kh2 Ng8 29.Bxf4 exf4 30.Kh3 Bxh4 31.Be6+ Kg7* 0-1 (31) chargemax23 (2650)-BossHubDotCom (2655) Blitz 2023*; 10.Bg5 f6 11.Be3 Bxe3 12.fxe3 0-0 13.d6 cxd6 14.Qxd6 b5 15.Bb3+ Kh7 16.a4 Bb7 17.Nbd2 Nc8 18.Qd3 bxa4 19.Rxa4 d6 20.Rfa1 Nb6 21.Ra5 Qc7 22.Nc4 Rfd8 23.Nxb6 Qxb6 24.Be6 Ne7 25.b4 Qc6 26.Bd5 Qc7 27.Bxb7 Qxb7 28.Rxa6 Rxa6 29.Rxa6 d5 30.exd5+ f5 31.e4 Ng6 32.Rxg6 Kxg6 33.Nxe5+ Kh7 34.Qf3 Qa7+ 35.Kh1 Qa1+ 36.Kh2 Qc1 37.Qxf5+* 1-0 (37) maxnov_kon (2636)-Simba_Abessimba (2548) Blitz 2024*)
10...Kf8 11.d6 cxd6 12.Qxd6 Bb8 13.Qd3 d6 14.Be3 Be6 15.Rd1 Bc7 16.g3 Bg4 17.Nbd2 Qc8 18.c5 dxc5 19.Bxc5 Kg8 20.Rac1 Qd8 21.Qe3 Nc6 22.Nf1 Qf6 23.N1h2 Be6 24.Ng5 Re8 25.Nxe6 Rxe6 26.Nf3 Re8 27.Rd7 Ba5 28.Bb3 Nd8 29.Ng5 Ne7 30.Rcd1 b6 31.Bxe7 Rxe7 32.Rxd8+ 1-0 (32) chargemax23 (2727)-Calzonesdesuperman (2626) Blitz 2023]
[9...0-0 10.h5 Nh8 11.Nxe5 d6 12.Nd3 f5 13.Nd2 Nf7 14.Bb3 Kh8 15.a4 Ne5 16.Nxe5 dxe5 17.h6 f4 18.hxg7+ Kxg7 19.Qh5 Ng6 20.Nf3 Qf6 21.Bd2 h6 22.c4 Bc5 23.Bc3 Re8 24.Rad1 Bd7 25.Ne1 Nh4 26.Nd3 Bd4 27.Bxd4 exd4 28.e5 Qg5 29.Qxg5+ hxg5 30.e6 Bc8 31.f3 Nf5 32.Ne5 Kf6 33.Ng4+ Kg6 34.Rfe1 b6 35.Bc2 Rf8 36.Re5 Bb7 37.Rxd4 1-0 (37) satlan (2706)-spectraline (2583) Blitz 2023]
10.Bb3
[10.Bc2 d6 11.h5 *(11.a4 0-0 12.h5 Nf4 13.h6 gxh6 14.g3 Bg4 15.gxf4 Ng6 16.Kh2 Kh8 17.Qd3 Rg8 18.f5 Nh4 19.Ng1 Qf6 20.Be3 Nf3+ 21.Nxf3 Bxf3 22.Bg5 Qxg5 23.Qxf3 Qh4+ 24.Qh3 Qf4+ 25.Kh1 Rg4 26.Qd3 Rh4+ 27.Kg2 Rg8+ 28.Qg3 Bxf2 29.Qxg8+ Kxg8 30.Rxf2 Rh2+ 31.Kg1 Qg3+ 32.Kf1 Rxf2+ 33.Ke1 Qg1#* 0-1 (33) ExplosiveBombBlind (2639)-thedaythatnevercome (2657) Blitz 2024*) 11...Nf4 12.Bxf4 exf4 13.Nd4 0-0 14.a4 Bd7 15.axb5

axb5 16.Na3 Rb8 17.b4 c6 18.dxc6 Bxc6 19.Nxc6 Nxc6 20.Bd3 Qg5 21.Nxb5 Rxb5 22.Bxb5 Qxb5 23.Qd5 Qb6 24.Qxd6 Bb8 25.Qd5 f3 26.gxf3 Ne5 27.Kg2 Rd8 28.Ra8 Rxd5 29.exd5 h6 30.Rd1 Qf6 31.Rxb8+ Kh7 32.Re1 Qxf3+ 33.Kf1 Nd3 34.Re2 Qh1# 0-1 (34) chargemax23 (2692)-Benbasat (2731) Blitz 2024]

10...d6 11.h5 Nf4

[11...Nf8 12.h6 *(12.Nh2 h6 13.Be3 Bxe3 14.fxe3 Nh7 15.Nd2 0-0 16.a4 Rb8 17.a5 Ng5 18.Qe1 f5 19.exf5 Bxf5 20.e4 Bd7 21.Qh4 Kh7 22.Kh1 Rxf1+ 23.Rxf1 Qg8 24.Ng4 Rf8 25.Ne3 Rxf1+ 26.Nexf1 Qf8 27.Kg1 Qf6 28.Qg3 Qf7 29.Qh2 Bg4 30.Ne3 Bxh5 31.c4 b4 32.c5 Bg6 33.Qh4 Qf4 34.Qxf4 exf4 35.Nec4 Nxe4 36.cxd6 cxd6 37.Nxe4 Bxe4 38.Nxd6 Bxd5 39.Bc2+ g6 40.Bd3 Nc6 41.Nb7 Ne5 42.Bxa6 Kg7 43.Nc5 Nc6 44.Bb7 Kf6 45.a6 Ke5 46.Nd3+ Ke4 47.Bxc6 Bxc6 48.Nxb4 Ba8 49.Kf2 g5 50.Nc2 g4 51.b4 Kd3 52.Ne1+ Kd2 53.b5 h5 54.b6 g3+ 55.Kf1 Be4 56.b7 h4 57.b8Q* Time forfeit 1-0 (57) chargemax23 (2666)-BossHubDotCom (2611) Blitz 2024 *)*

A) 12...gxh6 13.Bxh6 Bg4 *(13...Rg8 14.Nh2 Nfg6 15.g3 Bh3 16.Re1 Nf4 17.Bxf4 exf4 18.Qh5 Rxg3+ 19.Kh1 Bg2+ 20.Kg1 Bf3+ 21.Kf1 Bxh5 22.fxg3 fxg3* 0-1 (22) chargemax23 (2675)-BossHubDotCom (2601) Blitz 2024 *)* 14.Nbd2 Qd7 15.a4 b4 16.a5 Kd8 17.Ba4 Qc8 18.Be3 Rg8 19.Kh2 Nfg6 20.cxb4 Nh4 21.Bxa7 Rxa7 22.Nxh4 Bxd1 23.Bxd1 Qb7 24.Ra4 Qb5 25.Re1 c6 26.b3 cxd5 27.Be2 Qb7 28.exd5 Qxd5 29.Nc4 Qd4 30.Nf3 Qf4+ 31.g3 Qh6+ 32.Kg2 Kc7 33.Raa1 Kb7 34.Red1 Nf5 35.Bd3 Nh4+ 36.Nxh4 Qxh4 37.Nxd6+ Kc7 38.Be4 Qf6 39.Rac1+ Kb8 40.Rc6 Rb7 41.Rxa6 Rxb4 42.Ra8+ Kc7 43.Rxg8 Rxb3 44.a6 Rb2 45.Bf3 e4 46.Nxe4 Qxa6 47.Rg7 Qa2 48.Rc1+ Kb6 49.Rd1 Rd2 50.Rxd2 Qe6 51.Rg5 Ka6 52.Rd6+ Qxd6 53.Nxd6 f6 54.Rf5 Kb6 55.Rxf6 Kc5 56.Rh6 Kd4 57.Ne4 Ke5 58.Rxh7 Kf5 59.Rh5+ Kg6 60.g4 Kg7 61.Rf5 Kg6 62.Kg3 Kg7 63.Kf4 Kg6 64.g5 Kg7 65.Rf6 Kg8 66.Kf5 Kg7 67.Ke6 Kg8 68.Rf7 Kh8 69.g6 Kg8 70.Nf6+ Kh8 71.Rh7# Normal 1-0 (71) chargemax23 (2694)-Calzonesdesuperman (2613) Blitz 2024;

B) 12...g6 13.a4 Nd7 14.Nbd2 0-0 15.Re1 Nc5 16.Bc2 bxa4 17.Nf1 f5 18.exf5 Bxf5 19.Bxf5 Nxf5 20.Ne3 Nxh6 21.Nc4 Ng4 22.Bg5 Qd7 23.Ne3 Rf7 24.Nxg4 Qxg4 25.Be3 Raf8 26.Nd2 Qh4 27.g3 Qh3 28.Qe2 Bb6 29.Qf1 Qf5 30.Re2 Qd3 0-1 (30) littleplotkin (2724)-Dekelija (2752) Blitz 2024]

12.Bxf4 exf4 13.Nd4

[13.Qd2 Bg4 14.Qxf4 Bxh5 15.a4 *(15.Nbd2 0-0 16.a4 Ng6 17.Qh2 Bxf3 18.Nxf3 Re8 19.Rfe1 Qf6 20.axb5 axb5 21.Bc2 Ne5 22.Nd4 b4 23.Qg3 Nc4 24.Nc6 Bb6 25.Rxa8 Rxa8 26.cxb4 Qxb2 27.Bd3 Ne5 28.Bf1 Nxc6 29.dxc6 Qxb4 30.Rd1 Ra2 31.Kh1 Rxf2 32.Qh3 g6 33.e5 dxe5 34.Qg3 Rf4*

0-1 (34) chargemax23 (2682)-slouuurps (2675) Blitz 2025) 15...Ng6 16.Qg3 0-0 17.Nbd2 Qf6 18.Bd1 Nf4 19.Qg5 Qxg5 20.Nxg5 Bxd1 21.Raxd1 Nd3 22.b4 h6 23.Ngf3 f5 24.Ra1 g5 25.exf5 g4 26.Nd4 Bxd4 27.cxd4 Nxb4 28.Ne4 Rae8 29.Ng3 Nxd5 30.axb5 axb5 31.Rfb1 b4 32.Ra5 c6 33.Ra6 Rc8 34.Ne4 Rfd8 35.Rc1 b3 36.Raxc6 Rxc6 37.Rxc6 b2 38.Nd2 Ra8 39.Rxd6 Ra1+ 40.Kh2 Nc3 41.f6 Rd1 42.Rd8+ Kf7 43.Nc4 b1Q 44.Ne5+ Ke6 45.Nxg4 Rh1+ 46.Kg3 Ne2+ 47.Kf3 Qd3+ 48.Ne3 Nxd4+ 49.Kg3 1-0 (49) chargemax23 (2695)-MI-DTB (2561) Blitz 2022]

13...0-0 14.Qf3 f5 15.Qxf4 Bxd4 16.cxd4 fxe4 17.Qxe4 Nf5 18.Nc3 Qf6 19.Rad1 Bd7 20.Qf4 Rae8 21.Ne4 Qf7 22.Ng5 Qxh5 23.Ne6 Rf6 24.Qh2 Nh4 25.Rd3 Rh6 26.Rh3 Nf3+ 27.gxf3 Qxh3 28.Qxh3 Rxh3 29.Kg2 Rh5 30.Nxc7 Bh3+ 31.Kg3 Rc8 32.Rc1 Bd7 33.Rc3 b4 34.Rc2 a5 35.f4 a4

0-1 (35) chargemax23 (2727)-The_Great_Evil (2784) Blitz 2024

9.g3 0-0 10.h4 d6 11.h5 Nh8 12.h6 f5 13.hxg7 Kxg7 14.Ng5 fxe4 15.Qh5 Bf5 16.Ne6+ Bxe6 17.Bh6+ Kg8 18.Bxf8 Bf7 19.Bxe7 Bxh5 20.Bxd8 Rxd8 21.Bd1 Bf7 22.c4 e3 23.fxe3 Bxe3+ 24.Kg2 Bd4 25.Nc3 b5 26.Bf3 bxc4 27.Rad1 Rb8 28.Rd2 Ng6 29.Be4 Ne7 30.Rh1 Bg6 31.Bxg6 hxg6 32.Rhd1 Nf5 33.Re1 Rxb2 34.Rxb2 Bxc3 35.Ree2 Bxb2 36.Rxb2 c3 37.Rb3 c2 38.Rc3 Ne3+ 39.Kf3 Nxd5 40.Rxc2 Kf7 41.a3 a5 42.Rc6 Ke6 43.Ra6 Nb6 44.Rxa5 Nc4 45.Ra7 c5 46.a4 d5 47.a5 e4+ 48.Kf4 g5+ 49.Kg4 Ne5+ 50.Kh3 e3 51.Kg2 d4 52.a6 d3 53.Ra8 d2 54.a7 d1Q 55.Re8+ Kf5 56.a8Q Qe2+ 57.Kh1 Qf1+ 58.Kh2 Ng4# 0-1 (58) matrix12345 (2642)-Player_2211 (2560) Blitz 2023

9.Nbd2 0-0 10.h3

[10.d6 cxd6 11.Nc4 b5 12.Nxd6 bxa4 13.Qxa4 Qc7 14.Rd1 Rd8 15.Ng5 Bc5 16.Ngxf7 Bxd6 17.Nxd6 Rb8 18.Be3 h6 19.Rd2 Kh7 20.Rad1 Ng8 21.Nxc8 Qxc8 22.Rxd7 Rxd7 23.Rxd7 Nf6 24.Rd2 Ng4 25.h3 Nxe3 26.fxe3 Qc5 27.Re2 Rb6 28.Qd1 Rd6 29.Qf1 Qc4 30.Qf3 Qxa2 31.Kh2 Rf6 32.Qg4 Qe6 33.Qg3 a5 34.Qe1 Qc4 35.Rd2 Qxe4 36.Rd7 Nh4 37.Qe2 Rg6 38.g4 Rf6 39.Qd3 Rf2+ 40.Kg3 Rf3+ 41.Kh2 Rxe3 42.Qxe4+ Rxe4 43.Kg3 Ng6 44.Ra7 a4 45.Ra5 Re2 46.Rxa4 Rxb2 47.Re4 Rb3 48.Re3 Nf4 49.Rxe5 Nd3 50.Re3 Rxc3 51.h4 Rb3 52.h5 Nc5 53.Rxb3 Nxb3 54.Kf4 Nc5 55.Kf5 Nd7 56.g5 hxg5 57.Kxg5 Nf6 58.h6 Ne4+ 59.Kf4 Kxh6 60.Kxe4 Kh5 61.Kf5 g5 62.Ke4 Kh4 63.Ke3 Kh3 64.Kf2 Kh4 65.Kf3 Kh3 66.Kf2 g4 67.Kg1 Kg3 68.Kf1 Kh2 69.Kf2 g3+ 70.Kf3 g2 71.Ke4 ½-½ (71) LordVeldergrath (2616)-mocaspoke (2618) Blitz 2021]

10...d6 11.Bc2 Nf4 12.Nc4 Neg6 13.Be3 f5 14.Bxa7 Rxa7 15.exf5 Bxf5 16.Bxf5 Rxf5 17.Ne3 Rf8 18.Kh2 Ra8 19.g3 Nh5 20.Rc1 Nf6 21.Ng5 Qd7 22.Ne6 Rfe8 23.Nf5 Rxe6 24.dxe6 Qxe6 25.Ne3 d5 26.a4 c6 27.Ng2 e4 28.f4 Ne7 29.b4 h5 30.Ne3 Nf5 31.Nxf5 Qxf5 32.Qd4 Re8 33.b5 axb5 34.axb5 e3 35.bxc6 bxc6 36.Rfe1 Re4 37.Qd3 h4 38.Rxe3 hxg3+ 39.Rxg3 Qxf4 40.Rf1 Qe5 41.Kh1 Nh5 42.Rgf3 Nf4 43.Qa6 Qg5 44.Qc8+ Kh7 45.Qg4

Qxg4 46.hxg4 g5 47.c4 Rxc4 48.Ra1 Kg6 49.Ra7 Kf6 50.Ra1 Re4 51.Raf1 Re6 52.Kh2 1-0 (52) Mehemmed10 (2625)-Bugzilla (2708) Blitz 2022

9.Na3 0-0 10.b4 d6 11.Bc2 b5 12.c4 Rb8 13.cxb5 axb5 14.Qe2 Bd7 15.Bd3 Qe8 16.Be3 Bxe3 17.fxe3 c6 18.dxc6 Bxc6 19.Nb1 Qd7 20.Nc3 Rfc8 21.Rfc1 h6 22.Nd2 f5 23.exf5 Nxf5 24.Qg4 Nfe7 25.Qxd7 Bxd7 26.Nce4 Nf5 27.Nxd6 Nxd6 28.Bxg6 Nc4 29.Nxc4 bxc4 30.a3 c3 31.Ra2 Ba4 32.Bc2 Be8 33.Bb3+ Kf8 34.Rac2 Ra8 35.a4 Bxa4 36.Rxc3 Rxc3 37.Rxc3 Bd7 38.Bd5 Rb8 39.Rc7 Ke7 40.Rb7 Rc8 41.Be4 Kd6 42.Rxd7+ Kxd7 43.Bf5+ Kc7 44.Bxc8 Kxc8 45.Kf2 Kc7 46.Kf3 1-0 (46) ak-kara (2621)-Malek_Koniahli (2607) Blitz 2024

9.h3 0-0 10.Re1 d6 11.Nbd2 h6 12.Bc2 Nf4 13.Nf1 Neg6 14.Ng3 Bxh3 15.gxh3 Nxh3+ 16.Kg2 Nxf2 17.Qe2 Nh4+ 18.Nxh4 Qxh4 19.Be3 Bxe3 20.Qxe3 Ng4 21.Qe2 g6 22.Rh1 Qg5 23.Rae1 h5 24.Bd1 Kg7 25.Reg1 Rh8 26.Kh3 Raf8 27.Qf1 f5 28.exf5 gxf5 29.Rg2 Rh6 30.Rhg1 Rg6 31.Qe2 f4 32.Ne4 Qf5 33.Qf3 Kh6 34.Kh4 Rfg8 35.Bc2 Qf7 36.Nf2 Rg5 37.Kh3 Qd7 38.Kh4 R5g7 39.Nxg4+ hxg4 40.Rxg4 Qe7+ 41.Kh3 Qd7 42.Bd1 Rg5 43.Kh2 Rh5+ 44.Kg2 Rxg4+ 45.Qxg4 Rg5 46.Rh1+ Kg6 47.Bc2+ Kf6 48.Rh6+ Time forfeit 1-0 (48) mick_chess (2619)-mikolka1985 (2680) Blitz 2024

[77] **9...Bb8** 10.Nbd2 0-0 11.Re1 d6 12.Nf1 h6 13.Ng3 f5 14.exf5 Nxf5 15.Bc2 Qf6 16.Bd2 Ba7 17.Ne4 Qf7 18.Kh1 Bd7 19.Ng1 Rae8 20.f3 Kh8 21.Qe2 Qxd5 22.Nh3 Qf7 23.Rad1 Be6 24.b3 Bb8 25.Bc1 Rd8 26.Nhf2 Ba7 27.Ng4 Nfh4 28.Ngf2 Nf5 29.Nd3 Rfe8 30.Ng3 Rf8 31.Nxf5 Bxf5 32.Nb2 Rde8 33.Bxf5 Qxf5 34.Nc4 Qf7 35.Be3 Bb8 36.Qd2 Nf4 37.Bxf4 Qxf4 38.Qxf4 Rxf4 39.Kg1 Rff8 40.Nd2 Ba7+ 41.Kf1 Kg8 42.Ne4 Rf4 43.Ke2 Ref8 44.Rf1 g5 45.g3 R4f7 46.g4 Kg7 47.Ng3 Kg6 48.Nf5 Rxf5 49.gxf5+ Rxf5 50.b4 Rf4 51.a4 Bb6 52.a5 Ba7 53.Rd3 Kf6 54.Kd2 h5 55.Kc2 e4 56.Rd5 exf3 57.Kd3 f2 58.Ke2 Kg6 59.Rd3 g4 60.h3 Kg5 61.hxg4 hxg4 62.Rh1 Re4+ 63.Kd2 Kf4 64.Rd5 g3 65.Rh4+ Kf3 66.Rf5+ Kg2 67.Rxe4 f1Q 68.Rxf1 Kxf1 69.Re1+ Kf2 70.Re7 g2 71.Rxc7 g1Q 72.Rf7+ Kg3 73.Rg7+ Kf4 74.Rxg1 Bxg1 75.Kd3 Ke5 76.c4 Bf2 77.b5 Be1 78.c5 dxc5 79.Kc4 Kd6 80.bxa6 bxa6 81.Kb3 Bxa5 82.Kc4 Bb6 83.Kb3 Kc6 84.Ka4 Kd5 85.Kb3 Kd4 86.Kc2 Kc4 87.Kb2 Kb4 88.Kc2 Bc7 89.Kb2 Be5+ 90.Kc2 Ka3 91.Kd2 c4 92.Ke3 Kb2 93.Ke4 c3 94.Kxe5 c2 95.Kd4 c1Q 96.Kd5 a5 97.Kd6 a4 98.Kd5 a3 99.Kd6 a2 100.Kd5 a1Q 101.Kd6 Qa4 102.Kd5 Qcd1+ 103.Kc5 Qac2+ 104.Kb6 Kc1 105.Kb7 Kd2 106.Kb8 Qdb1+ 107.Ka8 Qca2# Normal 0-1 (107) vojtaplat (2797)-Calzonesdesuperman (2578) Blitz 2024

9...Bxe3 10.fxe3 0-0 [10...b5 11.Bb3 *(11.Bc2 d6 12.Nbd2 h6 13.a4 Bd7 14.axb5 a5 15.c4 0-0 16.Qe1 Qb8 17.Nb3 Qb6 18.Kh1 f5 19.Rxa5 Rxa5 20.Nxa5 fxe4 21.Bxe4 Bf5 22.Bxf5 Nxf5 23.e4 Ne3 24.Rf2 Ng4 25.Re2 Nf4 26.Nc6 Nxe2 27.Qxe2 Nf2+ 28.Kg1 Nh3+ 29.Kf1 Qg1#* 0-1 (29) Rumpel888 (2609)-solxe (2556) Blitz 2023) 11...d6 12.Nbd2 0-0 13.a4

Rb8 14.axb5 axb5 15.Bc2 h6 16.Qe1 Bg4 17.Nh4 c5 18.Nf5 f6 19.h3 Bxf5 20.exf5 Nh8 21.e4 Nf7 22.Qe3 Ra8 23.b4 Qc7 24.Bd3 cxb4 25.cxb4 Rxa1 26.Rxa1 Qc3 27.Ra7 Nc8 28.Ra8 Qxb4 29.Nf1 Qd4 30.Bxb5 Nb6 31.Qxd4 exd4 32.Ra6 Rb8 33.Nd2 Ne5 34.Bc6 Nbc4 35.Nxc4 Nxc4 36.Ra4 d3 37.Rxc4 d2 38.Ba4 Ra8 39.Bc2 Ra2 40.Bb3 Rb2 41.Ba4 Ra2 42.Bb3 Rb2 43.Rd4 Rxb3 44.Rxd2 Re3 45.Rd4 Re2 46.Kf1 Rb2 47.Ra4 Kf7 48.Ra7+ Kf8 49.Rd7 Rb4 50.Rxd6 Rxe4 51.g4 Rd4 52.Rd7 Rd2 53.Kg1 Kg8 54.d6 Kf8 55.Rd8+ Kf7 56.d7 Rd3 57.Kg2 Rd1 58.Kg3 Rd3+ 59.Kf4 Rd4+ 60.Ke3 Rd1 61.h4 Rd5 62.Ke4 Rd1 63.Kf4 Rf1+ 64.Ke3 Rd1 65.Ke4 Rd6 66.g5 Rd1 67.g6+ Ke7 68.Rg8 Kxd7 69.Rxg7+ Kd6 70.Rf7 Re1+ 71.Kf4 Rf1+ 72.Kg4 Rg1+ 73.Kh5 Rf1 74.Kxh6 Ke5 75.h5 Rxf5 76.Ra7 Rg5 77.Ra5+ Kf4 78.Rxg5 fxg5 79.g7 g4 80.g8Q g3 81.Qxg3+ Kxg3 82.Kg6 1-0 (82) Maldnus_Blundersen (2619)-solxe (2613) Blitz 2023]

11.d6

[11.Bc2 d6 12.Nbd2 f5 13.exf5 Bxf5 14.Bxf5 Nxf5 15.Qe2 Qe7 16.Ne4 h6 17.c4 Rf7 18.Rac1 Raf8 19.b4 Nfh4 20.Nfd2 c6 21.Rxf7 Rxf7 22.g3 Nf5 23.Qd3 Qd7 24.Rf1 Nge7 25.Nb1 b5 26.dxc6 Qxc6 27.cxb5 Qxb5 28.Qxb5 axb5 29.Nbc3 d5 30.Nc5 Nxe3 31.Rxf7 Kxf7 32.Nxb5 Nc6 33.a3 Nc4 34.Kf2 e4 35.Nc3 e3+ 36.Ke2 d4 37.Nd5 Nxa3 38.Kd3 Nb5 39.Nf4 Nxb4+ 40.Kc4 d3 41.Ncxd3 Nxd3 42.Kxd3 g5 43.Ng2 Kf6 44.Nxe3 Nd6 45.Ng4+ Kg6 46.Kd4 h5 47.Ne3 Nf5+ 48.Nxf5 Kxf5 49.Ke3 Kg4 50.Kf2 Kh3 51.Kg1 h4 52.gxh4 gxh4 53.Kh1 Kg4 54.h3+ Kg3 55.Kg1 Kxh3 56.Kh1 Kg3 57.Kg1 h3 58.Kh1 h2 ½-½ (58) WalleceWilliams (2637)-ViktorMMs (2685) Blitz 2022]

11...cxd6 12.Qxd6 f6 13.Nbd2 Kh8 14.c4 Qa5 15.Bc2 b5 16.b4 Qd8 17.c5 Bb7 18.Bb3 Nc8 19.Qd3 d6 20.Bd5 dxc5 21.bxc5 Nce7 22.Nb3 Bxd5 23.exd5 Qxd5 24.Qc3 Rac8 25.Rac1 Rfd8 26.Rfd1 Qe6 27.Qa5 Rxd1+ 28.Rxd1 Nf5 29.e4 Nd4 30.Nfxd4 exd4 31.Rxd4 h5 32.Rd8+ Kh7 33.Rxc8 Qxc8 34.Qd2 Ne5 35.Qd5 Qg4 36.h3 Qg3 37.Qd1 Qe3+ 38.Kh1 Qxe4 39.Qxh5+ Kg8 40.Qd1 Nd3 41.Qg1 Nf4 42.Kh2 Qe5 43.Qd4 Qc7 44.Qd7 Qxd7 0-1 (44) chargemax23 (2731)-Dekelija (2714) Blitz 2024

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[11.c4 d6 12.Nc3 Nf4 13.Bc2 Bg4 14.h3 Bh5 15.Kh2 Bxf3 16.Qxf3 Qd7 17.Ne2 Neg6 18.Nxf4 Nxf4 19.b4 Raa8 20.c5 c6 21.dxc6 Qxc6 22.Bb3 dxc5 23.Rac1 Ne6 24.Bd5 Qd7 25.bxc5 Rac8 26.Rfd1 Nd4 27.Qe3 Qe7 28.f4 Rfe8 29.fxe5 Qxe5+ 30.Kh1 Qxd5 31.Rxd4 Qxa2 32.Rd7 Rb8 33.Rf1 Qe6 34.Rfxf7 Qxf7 35.Rxf7 Kxf7 36.Qb3+ Kf8 37.Qd5 Re7 38.e5 Rbe8 39.e6 h6 40.Qd6 Kg8 41.Qb6 Rc8 42.Qd6 Rce8 43.Qd5 Rc8 44.Kh2 Kh7 45.Kg3 Rc6 46.Qf5+ g6 47.Qd5 Rcxe6 48.Kh2 Rc6 49.h4 Rec7 50.h5 Rxc5 51.hxg6+ Kxg6 52.Qe6+ Kg7 53.Qe3 Kg6 54.Qg3+ Kf6 55.Qf4+ Kg6 56.Qe4+ Kg7 57.Qd4+

Kg6 58.Qd6+ Kg7 59.Qb6 R5c6 60.Qb3 Rc5 61.Qb2+ Kg6 62.Qd4 Kh5 63.Qd8 Kg6 64.Qg8+ Kf6 65.Qh8+ Kg6 66.Qg8+ Kf6 67.Qf8+ Kg6 68.Kh3 Rh5+ 69.Kg3 Rg5+ 70.Kh2 Rf5 71.Qg8+ Kf6 72.Qh8+ Ke6 0-1 (72) KhatanbaatarGM (2688)-slouuurps (2683) Blitz 2025]

11...Nc6

[11...cxd6 12.Qxd6 *(12.Na3 d5 13.exd5 d6 14.c4 b6 15.b4 Nf4 16.c5 bxc5 17.bxc5 Bg4 18.cxd6 Qxd6 19.Nc4 Qf6 20.Ncxe5 Bh5 21.Nd7 Rxd7 22.Bxd7 Neg6 23.g4 Nh3+ 24.Kh1 Ngf4 25.gxh5 Rd8 26.Bxh3 Nxh3 27.Qd3 Nf4 28.Qe4* 1-0 (28) ruslan1541 (2632)-spectraline (2529) Blitz 2024 *)*

A) 12...f6 13.Bb3+ Kh8 14.a4 b6 15.Na3 Rb7 *(15...Bb7 16.Rfe1 Bc6 17.g3 Qa8 18.Bc2 Nc8 19.Qd2 d5 20.Qe3 Rd7 21.h4 Nge7 22.Rad1 Rfd8 23.h5 dxe4 24.Rxd7 Rxd7 25.Bxe4 Nd6 26.Bxc6 Qxc6 27.Nh4 Kg8 28.Kh2 Ndf5 29.Nxf5 Nxf5 30.Qe2 g6 31.Nc4 Kg7 32.Ne3 Nxe3 33.Qxe3 gxh5 34.Qe2 Qxa4 35.Qxh5 Rd2 36.Kg2 Qc6+ 37.Kg1 Qd5 38.Qg4+ Kf7 39.Qh5+ Kg7 40.Qg4+ Kh8 41.Qf5 Qd6 42.Qc8+ Kg7 43.Qxa6 Qc6 44.Qa7+ Kg6 45.Qb8 Qe6 46.Qb7 Rxb2 47.Qe4+ Qf5 48.Qxf5+ Kxf5 49.Rd1 Ke6 50.Rd8 Rb3 51.Rc8 b5 52.Kg2 h5 53.Rc5 Kd6 54.Rc8 Kd5 55.Kh3 Ke4* 0-1 (55) Kamsky,G (2609)-Le,T (2598) chess.com INT 2024*)* 16.Rfd1 b5 17.axb5 axb5 18.Qc5 Nf4 19.Nxb5 Qe8 20.Nd6 Qg6 21.Nh4 Qg4 22.Nxb7 Bxb7 23.Qxe7 Rb8 24.Rxd7 h5 25.Bd1 Qg5 26.Rxb7 Rg8 27.g3 Nd3 28.Rd7 Qd2 29.Rxd3 Qxd3 30.Bxh5 Qd2 31.Bf7 Rb8 32.Qe6 Rxb2 33.Ng6+ Kh7 34.Qh3+ Qh6 35.Qf5 Qd2 36.Ne7+ Kh8 37.Ra8+ 1-0 (37) qwl8 (2693)-Calzonesdesuperman (2648) Blitz 2024;

B) 12...b5

B1) 13.Bc2 Qc7 *(13...Rb7 14.Nxe5 Rb6 15.Qd4 Nxe5 16.Qxe5 Ng6 17.Qd4 Bb7 18.f4 f6 19.Nd2 Qe7 20.Rae1 Rd6 21.Qe3 Re8 22.Nf3 Kh8 23.Nd4 Qd8 24.Qg3 b4 25.e5 fxe5 26.fxe5 Rb6 27.e6 dxe6 28.Bxg6 hxg6 29.Qxg6 e5 30.Qh5+ Rh6 31.Qe2 Qb6 32.Qe3 Rg6 33.Nf3 Qf6 34.Rf2 Qe6 35.Nxe5 Rf6 36.Nf7+ Kg8 37.Ne5 Rxf2 38.Qxf2 Rf8 39.Qe3 Rf5 40.cxb4 Qd5 41.Qb3 Kh7 42.Qxd5 Bxd5 43.a3 Rg5 44.g3 Rf5 45.Ng4 Bf3 46.Nf2 Rd5 47.h4 Rd2 48.Rb1 Bd5 49.g4 Kg6 50.Rd1 Rxd1+ 51.Nxd1 Kf6 52.Kf2 Be6 53.Kf3 Ke5 54.Nc3 Kd4 55.Kf4 Kc4 56.Ne4 Bg8 57.Nc5 a5 58.Ke5 axb4 59.axb4 Kxb4 60.Ne6 Kb3 61.Nxg7 Kxb2 62.Kf6 Kc3 63.g5 Kd4 64.g6 Ke4 65.h5 Bb3 66.h6 Kf4 67.h7* 1-0 (67) ajedrezsinlimites (2618)-alfredogto (2652) Blitz 2024 *)* 14.Rd1 Qxd6 15.Rxd6 Rc7 16.Nbd2 Bb7 17.a4 Bc6 18.axb5 axb5 19.Nb3 Nc8 20.Rdd1 d6 21.Nc1 Nf4 22.g3 Ne6 23.Nb3 f5 24.exf5 Bxf3 25.fxe6 Bxd1 26.Rxd1 Re8 27.Na5 Kf8 28.Bb3 Ke7 29.Kg2

Nb6 30.f4 exf4 31.gxf4 Ra8 32.Ra1 d5 33.f5 Kf6 34.Bc2 Nc4 35.b4 Nxa5 36.bxa5 Rxc3 37.Bd1 Kxf5 38.Be2 Rc2 39.Kf3 Kxe6 40.a6 Rb2 41.Ra5 Kd6 42.Bxb5 Rxh2 43.Bd3 h5 44.Ke3 Rb2 45.Kd4 Rb4+ 46.Kc3 Rf4 47.Ra1 h4 48.Rg1 h3 49.Rxg7 Rh4 50.Rg6+ Kc5 51.Rg1 h2 52.Rh1 Rh3 53.Kd2 Kd4 54.Be2 Ke4 55.Bf1 Ra3 56.Bg2+ Kd4 57.Rxh2 Ra2+ 0-1 (57) Train_account (2629)-slouuuurps (2651) Blitz 2025;

B2) 13.Bb3

B2a) 13...Qc7 14.Rd1 Qxd6 15.Rxd6 Rc7 16.a4 *(16.Na3 Bb7 17.Nd2 Nf4 18.Nc2 Nc8 19.Rd5 Nxd5 20.exd5 Nb6 21.Ne3 d6 22.g4 g6 23.g5 Rd8 24.Ne4 Kg7 25.h4 h5 26.Kg2 Nc8 27.Kg3 Ne7 28.Rd1 Nf5+ 29.Kh3 a5 30.Nxf5+ gxf5 31.Ng3 Kg6 32.Bc2 Bc8 33.Bd3 b4 34.c4 e4 0-1 (34) SouthAfricanWolf (2645)-KRUMMEL2008 (2524) Blitz 2025)* 16...Rc6 17.Rd3 Nf4 18.Rd1 d6 19.axb5 axb5 20.Ra7 Neg6 21.Na3 Rb6 22.Nc2 Be6 23.Bxe6 fxe6 24.Nb4 h6 25.h4 Rf7 26.Rxf7 Kxf7 27.g3 Nh5 28.Ra1 Nf6 29.Nd2 Nf8 30.f3 N8d7 31.Kf2 g5 32.hxg5 hxg5 33.Ke3 g4 34.Ra8 gxf3 35.Nxf3 Nc5 36.Nd2 Rb7 37.Kf3 Kg7 38.g4 Rf7 39.Kg3 Nfxe4+ 40.Nxe4 Nxe4+ 41.Kh3 Rf3+ 42.Kh4 Rf2 43.g5 Rf4+ 44.Kh5 Ng3# 0-1 (44) TrappedPiece (2755)-chess_lover2020 (2809) Blitz 2022;

B2b) 13...Bb7 14.Nxe5 Bxe4 15.Nd2 Ba8 16.Rfe1 Nf5 17.Nxf7 Rxf7 18.Bxf7+ Kxf7 19.Qc5 Qg5 20.Ne4 Bxe4 21.Rxe4 Ngh4 22.Rxh4 Qxh4 23.Qxf5+ Qf6 24.Qc5 1-0 (24) Nakigraw (2746)-BarbDefcon1 (2588) Blitz 2022;

B2c) 13...Rb7 14.Nbd2 *(14.Nxe5 Rb6 15.Qd4 Nxe5 16.Qxe5 Rg6 17.Nd2 d5 18.Rfd1 Bh3 19.g3 Nc6 20.Qxd5 Rd6 21.Qc5 Rxd2 22.Qxc6 Bg4 23.Rxd2 Qxd2 24.e5 h5 25.Qe4 Qxb2 26.Re1 Qxc3 27.e6 Bxe6 28.Bxe6 fxe6 29.Qxe6+ Kh8 30.Qe2 Qf3 31.Qd2 b4 32.Qe2 Qxe2 33.Rxe2 Rf3 34.Re4 a5 35.Re5 Ra3 36.Rxh5+ Kg8 37.Rb5 Rxa2 38.g4 Ra3 39.g5 Kh7 40.Rb6 b3 41.h4 a4 42.h5 Ra2 43.Rb8 b2 44.f4 Ra1+ 45.Kg2 b1Q 46.g6+ Kh6 47.Rh8#* 1-0 (47) Hilary46 (2617)-Shramov,I (2529) Blitz 2024 *)* 14...Rb6 15.Qc5 d6 16.Qe3 h6 17.Rad1 Qc7 18.Rfe1 Kh8 19.Nf1 f5 20.exf5 Bxf5 21.h3 Nf4 22.Ng3 Bh7 23.Nh2 a5 24.Rd2 Qc6 25.f3 Rbb8 26.Bc2 Ned5 27.Qf2 Bxc2 28.Rxc2 Nd3 29.Qd2 Nxe1 30.Qxe1 Nf4 31.Ng4 Qb6+ 32.Kh2 Rbe8 33.Rd2 d5 34.Nxe5 Qf6 0-1 (34) BGZHC (2674)-Calzonesdesuperman (2612) Blitz 2023;

B2d) 13...Nc6 14.Na3 *(14.a4 Rb7 15.axb5 Rxb5 16.Nbd2 Rb6 17.Qa3 Qf6 18.Nc4 Rb8 19.Rad1 d5 20.Rxd5 Be6 21.Rd6 Nce7 22.Ncd2 Nf4 23.Bxe6 fxe6 24.Rxa6 Neg6 25.Re1 Rbd8 26.Rd6 Rxd6 27.Qxd6 Rd8 28.Qc7 h6 29.Nc4 Kh7 30.Ncxe5 Nxe5 31.Qxe5 Nh3+ 32.Kf1 Qf7 33.Qg3 Nf4 34.Ne5 Qf6 35.Ng4 Qf8 36.Ne3 Nd3 37.Rb1 Rd7 38.b4 Nxf2 39.Qxf2 Rf7 40.Nf5 exf5 41.e5 Re7 42.Qd4 f4 43.Kf2 Qf5 44.Re1 Rd7 45.Qe4 Rd2+ 46.Kf1 Kg6 47.Qxf5+ Kxf5 48.Rb1 Kxe5 49.b5 Rd7 50.b6 Rb7 51.Ke2 Ke4 52.Rb5 g5 53.h3 h5 54.c4 g4 55.c5 Kd5 56.hxg4 hxg4 57.Kf2 Kc6 58.Ra5 Rf7 59.Ra7 Rxa7 60.bxa7 Kb7 61.Ke2 Kxa7 62.Kd3 Kb7 63.Ke4 f3 64.gxf3 gxf3 65.Kxf3 Kc6 66.Ke3 Kxc5* Normal ½-½ (66) Fratz71 (2635)-ramsou (2517) Blitz 2024 *)* 14...Rc7 15.Nc2 Bb7 16.Ne3 Re8 17.Rad1 Na5 18.Bd5 Bc6 19.Bxc6 Nxc6 20.g3 h6 21.h4 Re6 22.Qd3 Nce7 23.h5 Nf8 24.Nh4 Qa8 25.Nd5 Nxd5 26.exd5 e4 27.Qd4 Re8 28.Nf5 f6 29.Rfe1 Rc4 30.Qe3 Qb8 31.b3 Rcc8 32.d6 Re6 33.Ne7+ Kf7 34.Nxc8 Qxc8 35.Rd4 Qc6 36.Rxe4 Qxd6 37.Rxe6 Nxe6 38.Qf3 Ng5 39.Qf5 Kf8 40.Qg6 Nf3+ 41.Kf1 Nxe1 42.Kxe1 Qe5+ 43.Kd2 Qg5+ 44.Qxg5 hxg5 45.Kd3 Ke7 46.Ke4 Kd6 47.Kf5 Ke7 48.Kg6 Kf8 49.h6 gxh6 50.Kxf6 Kg8 51.Kg6 d5 52.b4 a5 53.a3 1-0 (53) Igor232323 (2758)-FraDoNicks (2756) Blitz 2021]

12.dxc7 Qxc7 13.Nbd2

[13.c4 d6 14.Nc3 Bg4 15.h3 Bxf3 16.Qxf3 Nd4 17.Qe3 Qxc4 18.Bb3 Qc5 19.Nd5 Nf4 20.Nxf4 exf4 21.Qd3 Nxb3 22.Qxb3 Re8 23.Rfd1 h6 24.Rac1 Qb5 25.Rxd6 Qxb3 26.axb3 Rxe4 27.Rc8+ Kh7 28.Rd7 Kg6 29.Rcc7 Ra8 30.Rxf7 Rg8 31.Rxb7 a5 32.f3 Re1+ 33.Kh2 Re2 34.Rxf4 Rxb2 35.Ra4 Re8 36.Rg4+ Kf6 37.Rgxg7 Rxb3 38.Rgf7+ Kg6 39.Rxb3 Kxf7 40.Rb7+ Re7 41.Ra7 Rxa7 0-1 (41) AfricanJo (2610)-Jugandito (2642) Blitz 2022]

13...b5 14.Bb3 d6 15.a4 Be6 16.axb5 axb5 17.Rxa7 Nxa7 18.Bxe6 fxe6 19.Qb3 Qf7 20.Ng5 Qe7 21.Nxe6 Rf7 22.Ra1 Nf8 23.Nd8 Qxd8 24.Rxa7 Qf6 25.Rxf7 Qxf7 26.Qxb5 Qf4 27.Qd5+ Kh8 28.g3 Qf6 29.Nc4 1-0 (29) JohnBrondtHojlund (2850)-Coolestbean (2674) Blitz 2024

10.d6 Nc6

[10...cxd6 11.Qxd6 Bb8 12.Qb4 *(12.Qd1 d5 13.exd5 Nxd5 14.Bg5 f6 15.Bb3 Be6 16.Be3 Qd7 17.Na3 Rd8 18.Qe2 Nxe3 19.Qxe3 Ba7 20.Qe4 b5 21.Rad1 Qf7 22.Qc6 Bxb3 23.axb3 Qxb3 24.Rd7 Qxb2 25.Qd5+* 1-0 (25) Colmen (2612)-mocaspoke (2600) Blitz 2021*)* 12...b5 13.Bb3 a5 14.Qa3 d5 15.exd5 e4 16.Ng5 Nf5 17.Nxe4 Qh4 18.Ng3 Ne5 19.Nd2 Nxe3 20.fxe3 Ng4 21.Nf3 Qh6 22.Bc2 Bd6 23.Qb3 Qxe3+ 24.Kh1 Bxg3 25.hxg3 Qh6+ 26.Kg1 Qe3+ 27.Kh1 Ra6 28.Rae1

Rh6+ 29.Nh4 Qxg3 0-1 (29) retardedplatypus123 (2615)-pozvonochek (2776) Blitz 2021]
11.c4 Bxe3 12.fxe3 cxd6 13.Nc3 b5 14.cxb5 axb5 15.Bxb5 Ba6 16.Bxa6 Rxa6 17.Qxd6 Qb8 18.Qxb8 Rxb8 19.Rf2 Nf8 20.Rd1 f6 21.b3 Ra7 22.Nd2 Ne6 23.Nc4 Na5 24.Nd6 Rc7 25.Nd5 Ra7 26.b4 Nb7 27.Nb5 Ra6 28.Ndc3 d6 29.a4 Rc8 30.a5 Rc4 31.Rb2 Ng5 32.h4 Nxe4 33.Nxe4 Rxe4 34.Rc1 h5 35.Nc7 Ra7 36.a6 Nc5 37.bxc5 Rxc7 38.Ra1 1-0 (38) Carlsen,M (2839)-Abdusattorov,N (2771) Zagreb CRO 2025

79 **11.h3** h6 12.Bc2 f5 13.exf5 Bxf5 14.Ne4 Qd7 15.Kh2 Rf7 16.c4 Bxe4
[16...Kh7 17.Bxa7 Rxa7 18.Ng3 Bxc2 19.Qxc2 Kh8 20.Rae1 Ra8 21.Nd2 Raf8 22.Nde4 Nf4 23.f3 b6 24.b4 Neg6 25.a3 Nh4 26.Nf2 Nhxg2 0-1 (26) Maldnus_Blundersen (2640)-spectraline (2562) Blitz 2023]
17.Bxe4 Nf4 18.Nh4 g5 19.Nf3 Nf5 20.Bxf4 gxf4 21.Qd3 Nd4 22.Nxd4 Bxd4 23.Bg6 Rg7 24.Bf5 Qe7 25.Be6+ Kh8 26.g4 Qh4 27.Qf3 Rf8 28.Rad1 b6 29.Rd2 a5 30.Rg1 e4 31.Qxe4 Bxf2 32.Rxf2 Qxf2+ 33.Rg2 Qe3 34.Bf5 Qxe4 35.Bxe4 Re7 36.Bf5 Re3 37.Rf2 f3 38.Kg3 Re2 39.Kxf3 Rxf2+ 40.Kxf2 Kg7 41.Kf3 Kf6 42.Kf4 Re8 43.Be6 a4 44.h4 a3 45.b3 Rh8 46.Bf5 Rg8 47.Be6 Rb8 48.Bf5 b5 49.g5+ hxg5+ 50.hxg5+ Kg7 51.Bd3 bxc4 52.Bxc4 Rh8 53.b4 Rh2 54.Kf5 Rc2 55.Bb3 Rb2 56.Bc4 Rxb4 57.Bd3 Rb2 58.Bc4 Rd2 59.Ke6 Kg6 60.Kd7 Rc2 61.Bb3 Rc3 62.Ba4 Kxg5 63.Bc6 Kf4 64.Kxc7 Ke5 65.Kb6 Rc2 66.Ba4 Rxa2 67.Bb3 Rb2 68.Ka5 a2 69.Ka4 a1Q+ 70.Kb4 1-0 (70) maffpoderallerechte (2690)-spectraline (2594) Blitz 2023

80 **12.Bc2** f5 13.exf5
[13.c4 Ra8 14.b4 fxe4 15.Nxe4 Nf5 16.c5 Qe7 17.Bb3 h6 18.Rc1 Nfh4 19.Nxh4 Nxh4 20.f3 Nf5 21.cxd6 cxd6 22.Qd3 Nd4 23.Rc4 Bd7 24.Rc7 Rab8 25.Rfc1 Rfd8 26.Nc5 Qg5 27.h4 Qxc1+ 28.Kh2 Bf5 0-1 (29) Papolabestia123 (2605)-alfredogto (2634) Blitz 2024]
13...Nxf5 14.g3 Ra8 15.Ne4 Qe7 16.Nfd2 Qf7 17.Ng5 Qe7 18.Qh5 Nh6 19.h3 Bf5 20.Nde4 Nh8 21.Rae1 Bg6 22.Qe2 Bf5 23.Kg2 N8f7 24.f4 exf4 25.Nxf7 Rxf7 26.Rxf4 Raf8 27.Ref1 Qe5 28.g4 Bxe4+ 29.Rxe4 Qg5 30.Rxf7 Nxf7 31.Re8 g6 32.Rxf8+ Kxf8 33.Be4 Ne5 34.Qf2+ Ke7 35.b3 b6 36.c4 a5 37.Kh2 h5 38.gxh5 gxh5 39.Bg2 h4 40.Kh1 Qf6 41.Qe2 Qg5 42.Qf2 Ng6 43.Qe2+ Qe5 44.Qg4 Qa1+ 45.Kh2 Qe5+ 46.Kh1 Qf6 47.Qc8 Qa1+ 48.Kh2 Qe5+ 49.Kh1 Qa1+ 50.Kh2 Qe5+ 51.Kh1 Qa1+ ½-½ (51) silence404 (2896)-ma_long_ma (2642) Blitz 2024

81 **9...Qe7** 10.Nbd2 0-0 11.Re1 Kh8 12.h3
[12.Nf1 exd4 13.cxd4 Qxe4 14.d5 Nce5 15.Nxe5 1-0 (15) Vishyking64 (2651)-CaptainSploosh (2625) Blitz 2022]
12...d6 13.Bc2
[13.d5 Nd8 14.Bxa7 Rxa7 15.Nf1 Nf7 16.Ng3 Ra8 17.Bc2 Nh6 18.a4 f5 19.exf5 Nxf5 20.Nxf5 Bxf5 21.Bxf5 Rxf5 22.Re3 Qf7 23.c4 Rf8 24.Qe1 Nf4 25.Nh4 Rh5 26.Nf3 Qg6 27.g3 Nxh3+ 28.Kg2 Nf4+ 29.Kg1 Qg4 0-1 (29) ffl0 (2610)-

ScheveningenSea (2655) Blitz 2021]
13...Nd8 14.Nf1 Ne6 15.Ng3 Nef4 16.Nf5
[16.Qd2 Be6 17.Nf5 Qe8 18.g3 Nxh3+ 19.Kg2 Ng5 20.Bxg5 fxg5 21.Nxg5 Bg8 22.Rh1 Rf6 23.Rh3 Nf8 24.Rah1 Rd8 25.Nf3 d5 26.Nxe5 dxe4 27.Qg5 Ne6 28.Qg4 g6 29.Nh6 Nxd4 30.Nxg8 Kxg8 31.Rxh7 Rxf2+ 32.Kxf2 Nf5+ 33.Ke1 Qxe5 34.Qxg6+ 1-0 (34) Pichot,A (2630)-Martinez Alcantara,J (2598) chess.com INT 2022]
16...Qe8 17.Qd2 Bd7 18.Kh2 Nh5 19.g3 Ne7 20.Nxe7 Qxe7 21.Nh4 g6 22.a4 Qe6 23.g4 Nf4 24.Ng2 Nxg2 25.Kxg2 Qf7 26.a5 Rae8 27.f3 f5 28.Rf1 f4 29.Bg1 Qg7 30.Rad1 Qh6 31.b4 Bb5 32.Rfe1 Qh4 33.Bf2 Qh6 34.Bd3 Ba4 35.Rc1 Qg5 36.Rh1 h5 37.Qe1 Kg7 38.Bh4 Qh6 39.g5 Qh8 40.Bf2 Kh7 41.h4 exd4 42.cxd4 Re7 43.Qc3 Rfe8 44.d5 Bxf2 45.Kxf2 Qxc3 46.Rxc3 1-0 (46) sapphire_phoenix (2835)-Ballsy_Binge (2638) Blitz 2023

9...d6 10.Bb3 Qe7
[10...Na5 11.Bc2 Nc4 12.Bc1 b5 13.a4 Bd7 14.b3 Nb6 15.axb5 axb5 16.Be3 0-0 17.d5 Nc8 18.Ra6 Nf4 19.Bxf4 exf4 20.Nd4 Ne7 21.b4 Ng6 22.Nd2 Bxd4 23.Rxa8 Bxf2+ 24.Rxf2 Qxa8 25.Nb3 Qa3 26.Qd2 Qb2 27.Rf1 Ne5 28.Rb1 Nc4 29.Rxb2 Nxd2 30.Nxd2 Ra8 31.Nb3 g5 32.Kf2 g4 33.Bd3 Ra3 34.Ke2 h5 35.Kd2 h4 36.Nd4 Ra1 37.Bxb5 Bxb5 38.Nxb5 Rg1 39.Kd3 Rh1 40.h3 f3 41.gxf3 Rxh3 42.Nd4 g3 43.Nf5 Rh2 44.Rb1 g2 45.Rg1 h3 46.Ng3 Kf7 47.Ke3 f5 48.exf5 Kf6 49.f4 Kf7 50.c4 Kf6 51.c5 Ke7 52.c6 Kf6 53.b5 Ke7 54.b6 cxb6 55.c7 Kd7 56.f6 1-0 (56) Nadigraj (2717)-Sobino106 (2669) Blitz 2025]
11.Nbd2 Na5 12.Bc2 0-0 13.b4 Nc6 14.d5 Nd8 15.Bxa7 Rxa7 16.Nc4 Bg4 17.Ne3 Bxf3 18.Qxf3 Qf7 19.g3 Ne7 20.c4 b6 21.c5 bxc5 22.bxc5 Nb7 23.cxd6 Nxd6 24.Rac1 g6 25.Ng4 Qg7 26.Qe3 Rb7 27.f4 h5 28.fxe5 hxg4 29.exf6 Rxf6 30.Rxf6 Qxf6 31.e5 Nxd5 32.Bb3 Qe6 33.Qd4 Rxb3 34.axb3 Nf5 35.Qe4 Qb6+ 36.Kh1 Qxb3 37.Qxg4 Qf3+ 38.Qxf3 Nde3 39.Qe4 Kf7 40.Rxc7+ Ke6 41.Qc6+ Kxe5 42.Rd7 Nd5 43.Qxd5+ Kf6 44.Rf7+ Kg5 45.Qe6 Nxg3+ 46.hxg3 Kh6 47.Qf6 Kh5 48.Rf8 Kg4 49.Rh8 Kxg3 50.Qf1 Kg4 51.Kg1 Kg5 52.Rh3 Kg4 53.Qf3+ Kg5 54.Rg3+ 1-0 (54) Birani (2739)-doreality (2769) Blitz 2022

[82] **10.d5** Edouard,Romain: 'N!?' Edouard,Romain: '* 'N' * 'N" Kuzmin, Alexey: 'Perunovic,Milos: '?!'' Kuzmin, Alexey: 'The breakthrough on the d-file is not dangerous.'
10...Nce7 Kuzmin, Alexey: 'Perunovic, Milos: 'N"
[10...Bxe3
A) 11.dxc6 b5 *(11...Bxf2+ 12.Rxf2 bxc6 13.Nbd2 Kh8 14.Nf1 Bb7 15.Ne3 Rb8 16.c4 c5 17.Bxd7 Bxe4 18.Bf5 Bxf5 19.Nxf5 Qc8 20.Ne3 Nf4 21.Nd5 Ne6 22.Nh4 Qe8 23.Qg4 c6 24.Nc3 g6 25.Re1 f5 26.Qg3 e4 27.Qe5+ Ng7 28.Qxc5 Rb7 29.Rxe4 Qd8 30.Rd4 Qe8 31.Re2 Qf7 32.Nf3 Re8 33.Ne5* 1-0 (33) Movsesian,S (2615)-Mastrovasilis,A (2520) Tornelo INT 2023) 12.Bb3+ 1-0 (12) DimaPanzershrekovic (2636)-

Kyojuro-rengoku1 (2519) Blitz 2025;
B) 11.fxe3 Nb8 12.d6 cxd6 13.Nbd2 b5 14.Bb3+ Kh8 15.Bd5 Nc6 16.a4 Bb7 17.Qe2 b4 18.Nc4 Qc7 19.Rac1 bxc3 20.Rxc3 Nge7 21.Nh4 Qb8 22.Nb6 Nxd5 23.exd5 Ne7 24.e4 Qa7 25.Qf2 Rad8 26.Rc7 Qb8 27.Rfc1 Bc8 28.a5 Bb7 29.Nxd7 1-0 (29) Fritzi_2003 (2691)-Kyojuro-rengoku1 (2549) Blitz 2025]
[10...Nb8 Kuzmin, Alexey: '(Perunovic, Milos) - 147/(112)' 11.Bxa7 Rxa7 12.d6 Edouard,Romain: '!' b5! As practice showed, the alternatives are worse: *(12...cxd6 13.Qxd6 Nc6 14.Nbd2 Qe7 15.Qxe7 Ngxe7 16.Bb3+ Kh8 17.Nc4 Ng6 1-0 (17) Gutemaus2019 (2619)-ArtemDyachuk (2564) Blitz 2023)* 13.Bb3+ Kh8 14.c4 Edouard,Romain: ' ±' Bb7?! *(14...cxd6* Edouard,Romain: 'was probably better, but after' *15.Qxd6 bxc4 16.Bxc4 Qc7 17.Qxc7 Rxc7 18.b3 Bb7 19.Nc3* Edouard,Romain: 'Black's position remains very unpleasant.'*)* 15.Re1 c5 16.Nc3! b4 17.Nd5 Nc6 18.h4 Edouard,Romain: '!' Rf7 19.h5 Nf8 20.Nh4 Nd4 21.Ne7 Edouard,Romain: 'The knights danse!' Ra8 22.Nef5 Nfe6 *(22...a5* Edouard,Romain: 'was surely a better move, though after' *23.Ba4* Edouard,Romain: 'Black remains paralyzed.'*)* 23.Ng6+± Edouard,Romain: '!'Edouard,Romain: 'And it continues!' Kg8 24.Nfe7+ At first sight black's position looks fine, but his king is permanently weak. Rxe7 25.Nxe7+ Kh8 26.Ba4 a5 27.Qg4 *(27.Bb5* Edouard,Romain: '!?' Edouard,Romain: 'to stop ...Ra6 was perhaps a killer.'*)* 27...Ra6 28.h6 Rxd6 Edouard,Romain: '?' *(28...g6* Edouard,Romain: '!'Edouard,Romain: 'and Black was still in the game.'*)* 29.Nf5 Edouard,Romain: '!?' Nxf5 30.exf5 Rd4 31.Qg3 Ng5 32.hxg7+ Kxg7 33.Rad1 Kh8 34.Rxd4 cxd4 35.f4 Edouard,Romain: '!' Ne4 *(35...exf4 36.Qxf4 Qg8 37.Qg4* Edouard,Romain: '+-'*)* 36.Qh4 Edouard,Romain: '!' Nc5 *(36...exf4 37.Bc2 Nc5 38.Qh5* Edouard,Romain: '+-'*)* 37.fxe5 Nxa4 38.exf6 Qg8 39.Re2 d3 40.Qd4 1-0 (40) Jakovenko,D (2675)-Bareev,E (2701) Sochi 2006 EXT 2020 [Postny,Evgeny] Edouard,Romain: '1-0 (40) Paravyan,D (2629)-Krysa,L (2522) Caleta 2020 CBM 195 Extra [Edouard,Romain]']
11.Bxa7
[11.c4 d6 12.Nc3 h6 13.b4 f5 14.exf5 *(14.Rc1 fxe4 15.Nd2 Bxe3 16.fxe3 Rxf1+ 17.Qxf1 Nf5 18.Re1 Qe7 19.Bc2 Bd7 20.Bxe4 Rf8 21.Qd3 Qg5 22.Nf3 Qg4 23.h3 Qg3 24.Ne2* 1-0 (24) HEYITSMEAGAINuwu (2624)-Nebonik (2446) Blitz 2024*)* 14...Nxf5 15.Bxa7 Rxa7 16.Bc2 Ngh4 17.Be4 Nxf3+ 18.Qxf3 Qg5 19.Kh1 Ra8 20.Rae1 Bd7 21.Bc2 Nd4 22.Qd3 Bf5 23.Ne4 Bxe4 24.Qxe4 Nxc2 25.Qxc2 Rf4 26.f3 Raf8 27.Re4 Rxe4 28.Qxe4 Rf4 29.Qe2 Qf6 30.Rc1 Qf5 31.a3 e4 32.fxe4 Rxe4 33.Qa2 Rf4 34.h3 Rf2 35.Rf1 Rxf1+ 0-1 (35) Halawir (2638)-Dictator02 (2659) Blitz 2024]
11...Rxa7 12.d6
[12.c4 d6 13.Ne1 *(13.h3 h6 14.Nc3 f5 15.exf5 Bxf5 16.Bc2 Ra8*

17.Ne4 Qd7 18.Kh2 Rf7 19.Ng1 Raf8 20.f3 Nf4 21.Qd2 Neg6 22.Rad1 Nh4 23.g3 Bxh3 24.gxh4 Bxf1 25.Rxf1 Qe7 26.Qe1 Ng6 27.Ng5 Rf4 28.N5h3 Nxh4 29.Nxf4 Rxf4 30.Qg3 g5 31.Be4 Qf6 32.Rf2 Qf8 33.Nh3 Rf7 34.Nxg5 hxg5 35.Qxg5+ Rg7 36.Qxh4 Qe8 37.Rg2 Qf7 38.Qh7+ Kf8 1-0 (38) hardtraining (2606)-spectraline (2571) Blitz 2023*)* 13...f5 14.Nc3 Nf4 *(14...f4 15.f3 a5 16.Nd3 b6 17.Qd2 Nh4 18.Bd1 g5 19.a3 Neg6 20.Be2 h5 21.b4 g4 22.c5 g3 23.hxg3 fxg3 24.Qh6 Rf7 25.f4 exf4 26.Nxf4 Rh7 27.Qxg6+ Nxg6 28.Nxg6 Qg5 29.Rf8+ Kg7 30.Rxc8 Kxg6 31.Nd1 axb4 32.cxb6 cxb6 33.Rc6 Qe5 34.Rb1 bxa3 35.Rbxb6 Rhd7* 0-1 (34) WalleceWilliams (2632)-spectraline (2609) Blitz 2023*)* 15.Nd3 Neg6 16.g3 *(16.Qd2 Qg5 17.Nxf4 Nxf4* 0-1 (16) kivanchaznedaroglu (2667)-IMFAR (2711) Blitz 2021*)* 16...Nh3+ 17.Kg2 f4 18.f3 h5 19.c5 Qg5 20.Qd2 Qf6 21.cxd6 cxd6 22.Rac1 b5 23.Bd1 Raf7 24.a4 Ng5 25.axb5 Bh3+ 26.Kg1 Bxf1 0-1 (26) WalleceWilliams (2720)-ma_long_ma (2600) Blitz 2023] 12...cxd6 13.Qxd6 b5 14.Bb3+ Kh8 15.Rd1

[15.a4

A) 15...Rc7 16.axb5 axb5 17.Rd1 *(17.Nbd2 Bb7 18.g3 f5 19.Nxe5 Nxe5 20.Qxe5 fxe4 21.Nxe4 Ng6 22.Qd4 Qe7 23.Rae1 Ne5 24.f4 Ng4 25.Qd6 Qxd6 26.Nxd6 Bc6 27.Nf7+* Normal 1-0 (27) Bakayoyo (2703)-Hard-Training (2605) Blitz 2024 *)* 17...Bb7 18.Nbd2 *(18.Bc2 Nf4 19.Na3 Bc6 20.Rd2 Nc8 21.Qb4 Qe7 22.Qxe7 Nxe7 23.Ne1 Rb8 24.g3 Ne6 25.b4 Ra7 26.Bd3 d5 27.exd5 Bxd5 28.Rdd1 Nc7 29.Nac2 Rxa1 30.Rxa1 Ra8 31.Rxa8+ Bxa8 32.Na3 Bc6 33.Nec2 Nc8 34.Ne3 Kg8 35.h4 g6 36.c4 bxc4 37.Naxc4 Bb5 38.f3 Ne7 39.Kf2 Nc6 40.Nc2 Kf8 41.Nb2 Ke7 42.Ke2 Kd6 43.Nc4+ Ke6 44.N4a3 Bxd3+ 45.Kxd3 Kd6 46.Nc4+ Ke6 47.Na5 Ne7 48.Ne3 Ned5 49.Nxd5 Kxd5 50.Nc4 h5 51.Ne3+ Kc6 52.Kc4 Nb5 53.f4 Nd6+ 54.Kd3 exf4 55.gxf4 g5 56.fxg5 fxg5 57.hxg5 Nf7 58.g6 Ne5+ 59.Ke4 Nxg6 60.Kf5 Kb5 61.Kxg6 Kxb4 62.Kxh5* ½-½ (62) Karthikeyan,M (2606)-Praggnanandhaa,R (2608) chess24.com INT 2021*)* 18...Bc6 19.Bc2 Nf4 20.Nb3 Nc8 21.Qb4 Qe7 22.Qxe7 Nxe7 23.Rd6 Nc8 24.Rd2 Nb6 25.Na5 Nc4 26.Nxc4 bxc4 27.g3 Ne6 28.Rd6 Nc5 29.Nd2 Nb7 30.Nxc4 Nxd6 31.Nxd6 Rb8 32.b4 g6 33.Bd3 Kg7 34.b5 Ba8 35.c4 Kf8 36.Ra6 Ke7 37.f4 Bc6 38.c5 Ba8 39.b6 Rxc5 40.b7 Bxb7 41.Rb6 Rc7 42.Kf2 Rc3 43.Be2 Rc6 44.Rxb7 Rxb7 45.Nxb7 d6 46.fxe5 fxe5 47.Ke3 Rc3+ 48.Bd3 Ra3 49.Ke2 Ra7 50.Bc4 Rxb7 51.Bd5 Rc7 52.Kf3 Rc5 53.h4 Kf6 54.g4 h6 55.g5+ hxg5 56.hxg5+ Kxg5 57.Ke3 Rxd5 58.exd5 Kf5 0-1 (58) Charles-Ingalls (2844)-MothAndTheFlame (2882) Blitz 2022;

B) 15...Qc7 16.Rd1 Qxd6 17.Rxd6 Rc7 18.axb5 axb5 19.Na3 Rc5 20.Ne1 Rc6 21.Nxb5 Nf4 22.Rxc6 dxc6 23.Nd6 Be6

24.Bxe6 Nxe6 25.Ra7 Nc8 26.Nxc8 Rxc8 27.Kf1 Kg8 28.g3 Kf8 29.Ke2 Nc7 30.Nd3 Ke7 31.b4 Kd6 32.Nc5 g6 33.Ra1 Ke7 34.Rd1 Rd8 35.Rxd8 Kxd8 36.Kd3 Ke7 37.Kc4 Nb5 38.Nd3 Nd6+ 39.Kc5 Kd7 40.f3 Kc7 41.Nf2 f5 42.exf5 gxf5 43.Nd3 e4 44.fxe4 fxe4 45.Nf4 Nf5 46.g4 Ne3 47.h3 Nc2 48.Ne6+ Kd7 49.Nd4 Ne1 50.Nxc6 Nd3+ 51.Kb5 e3 52.Nd4 Nf4 53.Nc2 e2 54.Ne1 Nxh3 55.Kc4 Nf2 56.g5 Ne4 57.Kd3 Nxg5 58.Kxe2 h5 59.Nf3 Ne4 60.Kd3 Nf2+ 61.Kd4 Ke6 62.c4 Kf5 63.b5 Ne4 64.b6 Nd6 65.c5 Nb7 66.c6 Na5 67.c7 Nc6+ 68.Kc5 Ne7 69.b7 1-0 (69) Konstantin_Tarlev (2783)-Up_to_something (2837) Blitz 2022;

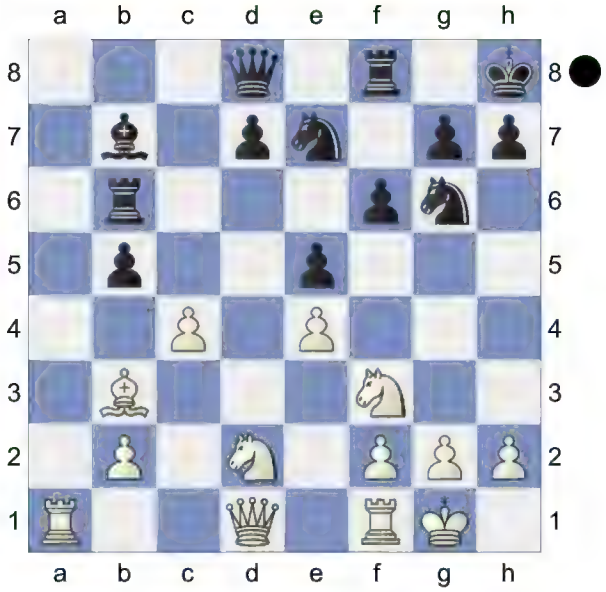
C) 15...Rb7 Kuzmin, Alexey: '!' Kuzmin, Alexey: 'A fine manoeuvre of the rook allows Black to seize the initiative.'

C1) 16.axb5

C1a) 16...Rb6 Kuzmin, Alexey: 'Perunovic, Milos: '!"

C1a1) 17.Qd1 Kuzmin, Alexey: '?!' axb5 *(* Kuzmin, Alexey: 'The unexpected' *17...f5* Kuzmin, Alexey: '!!' *18.exf5 Nxf5* Kuzmin, Alexey: '∓' Kuzmin, Alexey: 'gave Black a very dangerous initiative.' *)* 18.Nbd2 Kuzmin, Alexey: '?!' *(18.Ra8* Kuzmin, Alexey: ' ∓!' Kuzmin, Alexey: 'Perunovic,Milos: 'Perunovic,Milos'' *Nf4* Kuzmin, Alexey: 'Perunovic, Milos' *19.Nbd2 d5 20.exd5 Nexd5 21.Ne4 Qd7* Kuzmin, Alexey: '∓' *)*

C1a11) 18...Bb7 Kuzmin, Alexey: '↑' Kuzmin, Alexey: 'Black's chances are obviously preferable.' 19.c4 Kuzmin, Alexey: 'Perunovic,Milos: 'Diagram



" f5 Kuzmin, Alexey: 'Perunovic,Milos: '!"

C1a111) 20.c5 Kuzmin, Alexey: '!' Kuzmin, Alexey: 'Perunovic,Milos' Rbf6 21.Bc2 d5 *(21...Nf4* Kuzmin, Alexey: '→' *)* 22.cxd6 Rxd6 23.Qe1 Nf4 24.exf5 Nxg2 Kuzmin, Alexey: '!' 25.Kxg2 Rxd2 26.Be4 Rd5 Kuzmin, Alexey: '↑!';

C1a112) 20.Bc2 Kuzmin, Alexey: 'Perunovic,Milos: '?''

20...fxe4 21.Ng5 *(21.Bxe4* Kuzmin, Alexey: 'Perunovic,Milos' *Bxe4 22.Nxe4 bxc4* Kuzmin, Alexey: ' ∓'; *21.Nxe4* Kuzmin, Alexey: 'Perunovic,Milos' *bxc4* Kuzmin, Alexey: ' ∓'*)* 21...Nf5 22.Ngxe4 *(22.Ndxe4* Kuzmin, Alexey: 'Perunovic,Milos' *bxc4* Kuzmin, Alexey: '-+'*)* 22...Nf4 23.Nf3 bxc4 24.Nxe5 Nd4 25.Re1 Nxc2 26.Qxc2 Re6 27.Qc3 *(27.Nxc4* Kuzmin, Alexey: 'Perunovic,Milos' *Rg6* Kuzmin, Alexey: '-+'*)* 27...Qe7 28.Ra5 d6 29.Ng5 Rxe5 30.Raxe5 dxe5 31.Rxe5 Qf6 32.Qc2 Nd3 0-1 (32) Zamlutti Junior,R (2625)-5.dc5 ♗c5 6. ♗f4 (2671) Ashkhabad 2021 MON C00 RK [Chess Player vol.2 1852 p58];

C1a12) 18...d6 19.Re1 Rb8 20.Nf1 f5 21.exf5 Bxf5 22.Ne3 Bd7 23.Ng5 Qe8 24.Nxh7 Rf4 25.Ng5 Nf8 26.Qxd6 Neg6 27.Ra7 Rf6 28.Qd1 Nf4 29.g3 N4e6 30.Nxe6 Bxe6 31.Bxe6 Rxe6 32.Qg4 Rg6 33.Qh5+ Rh6 34.Qxe8 Rxe8 35.Nf5 Rg6 36.Rd1 Rg5 37.Nd6 Rb8 38.Nf7+ Kg8 39.Nxg5 b4 40.c4 b3 41.c5 Rc8 42.c6 Rxc6 43.Rd8 Rf6 44.Raa8 e4 45.Rxf8+ Rxf8 46.Rxf8+ Kxf8 47.Nxe4 Ke7 48.Nc5 Kd6 49.Nxb3 Kd5 50.Nd2 g6 51.b4 Kd4 52.b5 Kc5 53.h4 Kxb5 54.g4 Kc5 55.h5 gxh5 56.gxh5 Kd6 57.h6 Ke7 58.h7 Kf7 59.h8Q Kg6 60.Qh4 Kf5 61.Qe4+ Kg5 62.Qe5+ Kh6 63.Ne4 Kg6 64.Qg5+ Kf7 65.Qf6+ Kg8 66.Qe7 Kh8 67.Ng5 Kg8 68.Qf7+ Kh8 69.Qh7# 1-0 (69) beatles_21 (2641) - Calzonesdesuperman (2660) Blitz 2024;

C1a2) 17.Qd2 Kuzmin, Alexey: 'was better but in this case too White has to take care about equality.' 17...axb5 *(17...f5 18.Ng5 Rbf6 19.bxa6 Bxa6 20.Rxa6 Rxa6 21.Nf7+ Rxf7 22.Bxf7 fxe4 23.Rd1 Ra1 24.Na3 Rxd1+ 25.Qxd1 d5 26.Nc4 Qb8 27.Bxd5 Qb5 28.Bf7 h6 29.Qd8+ Kh7 30.h4 h5 31.Ne3 Qxb2 32.Bxg6+ Nxg6 33.Qg5 Qxc3 34.Qxh5+ Kg8 35.Qxg6 Qe1+ 36.Kh2 Qxf2 37.Qxe4 Qf6 38.Qd5+ Kh8 39.Qa8+ Kh7 40.Qe4+ Kh8 41.Kg3 g6 42.Ng4*

Qb6 43.Nxe5 Qb3+ 44.Qd3 Qe6 45.Nxg6+ Kg7 46.Nf4 Qe5 47.Qg6+ Kf8 48.Qh6+ Ke7 49.Qg5+ 1-0 (49) DonManuelCoffeHouse (2629)-Lussuria (2448) Blitz 2025 *)* 18.Rd1 d6 19.Qe3 Bb7 20.Na3 Nf4 21.g3 Nfg6 22.c4 bxc4 23.Nxc4 Rb4 24.Nxd6 Qc7 25.Nf7+ Rxf7 26.Bxf7 Rxe4 27.Qd3 h6 28.Ra7 Kh7 29.Qd7 Qxd7 30.Rxd7 Bc6 31.Bxg6+ Kxg6 32.Rxe7 Re2 33.Nh4+ Kh5 34.f3 g5 35.Rg7 Re1+ 36.Kf2 Rf1+ 0-1 (36) ice2breaker (2741)-spectraline (2561) Blitz 2023;

C1b) 16...axb5

C1b1) 17.Ra8 Rb6 18.Qa3 *(18.Qc5 d6 19.Qe3 Qc7 20.Nbd2 f5 21.Ng5 h6 22.Qh3 Nf4 23.Qe3 hxg5 24.exf5 Nxf5 25.Qf3 Nh6 26.Ne4 g4 27.Qe3 Ng6 28.Ng5 Bf5 29.Rxf8+ Nxf8 30.Ne4 Ng6 31.Ra1 Rb8 32.Ng3 Qb6 33.Qd2 Nf4 34.Rf1 Bd3 35.Re1 Bh7 36.Bd1 b4 37.Rf1 bxc3 38.bxc3 Qc5 39.c4 Qxc4 40.Qxd6 Re8 41.Qxe5 Rxe5 42.Bxg4 Nxg4* 0-1 (42) nobodybelive (2625) - Calzonesdesuperman (2648) Blitz 2023*; 18.Qd2 Qc7 19.Na3 Bb7 20.Rxf8+ Nxf8 21.Qe3 Nfg6 22.h4 d5 23.exd5 Nxd5 24.Bxd5 Bxd5 25.h5 Nf4 26.h6 gxh6 27.Rd1 Rd6 28.Nxb5 Qg7 29.g3 Rd7 30.Kh2 Ne6 31.Nh4 Ng5 32.f4 exf4 33.gxf4 Ne6 34.Rg1 Qf7 35.Qg3 Rd8 36.Qg4 Bc6 37.Nd4 Nxd4 38.cxd4 Rxd4 39.Nf5 Rd2+ 40.Kh3 Bd7 41.Kh4 Rh2+ 42.Kg3 Rxb2 43.Rd1 Rb3+ 44.Kh4 Rb8 45.Nxh6 Bxg4 46.Nxf7+ Kg7 47.Kxg4 Kxf7 48.Kf5 Rb5+ 49.Kg4 f5+ 50.Kg5 h6+ 51.Kxh6 Rb4 52.Kg5 Ke6 53.Re1+ Kd6 54.Re5 Rb5 55.Rxf5 Rb4 56.Rf6+ Ke7 57.Rf5 Rb5 58.Re5+ Kd6 59.Rxb5 Kc6 60.Rf5 Kd6 61.Re5 Kd7 62.Kf5 Kd6 63.Ke4 Kd7 64.f5 Kc6 65.f6 Kc7 66.f7 Kd6 67.f8Q+ Kc6 68.Qf6+ Kd7 69.Re7+ Kc8 70.Qf8#* 1-0 (70) Shukh_Nikolay (2608)-spectraline (2550) Blitz 2023 *)* 18...d6 19.Nbd2 h6 20.Ra1 Qc7 21.Nf1 Bb7 22.Rxf8+ Nxf8 23.Qa7 Nc8 24.Qa5 Bxe4 25.Ng3 Bh7 26.Nh4 Ne7 27.Qa8 Rb8 28.Qf3 Qd7 29.h3 f5 30.Ra8 Rc8 31.Nhxf5 Nxf5 32.Qd5 Nxg3 33.fxg3 Rxa8 34.Qxa8 Qe7 35.Qd5 e4 36.Kf2 e3+ 37.Ke2 Nd7 38.Qa8+ Qf8 39.Qxf8+ Nxf8 40.Kxe3 Nd7 41.Kd4 Nb6 42.Be6 Bg8 43.Bg4 Bd5 44.Bf3 Bxf3 45.gxf3 Kg8 46.b3 Kf7 47.c4 bxc4 48.bxc4 Ke6 49.f4 Nd7 50.g4 Nc5 51.f5+ Ke7 52.Kd5 Nd7 53.h4 Nf6+

54.Kd4 Nxg4 55.c5 dxc5+ 56.Ke4 Kf6 57.Kf4 1-0 (57) Tulachessroom (2670)-AgressiveMode (2802) Blitz 2023;

C1b2) 17.Nbd2 Rb6 18.Qc5 Bb7 19.Ra7 Nc6 20.Rfa1 Nxa7 21.Rxa7 d6 22.Qe3 Qc7 23.h4 Ne7 24.h5 Qc5 25.Qd3 Nc6 26.Ra1 Ra6 27.Rxa6 Bxa6 28.Nh4 Ne7 29.Qh3 Bc8 30.Qg3 d5 31.exd5 Nxd5 32.Ng6+ hxg6 33.hxg6 Rd8 34.Qh4+ Kg8 35.Qh7+ Kf8 36.Qh8+ Ke7 37.Qxg7+ Kd6 38.Ne4+ Kc6 39.Nxc5 Kxc5 40.Bxd5 Rxd5 41.Qc7# 1-0 (41) aaatt (2621)-Calzonesdesuperman (2572) Blitz 2023;

C1b3) 17.Na3 Rb6 18.Qd2 d6 *(18...Bb7 19.Rfe1 d6 20.Nc2 f5 21.Ng5 d5 22.exd5 Nxd5 23.Nb4 Rd6 24.Rad1 Ngf4 25.Nf3 e4 26.Nxd5 Nxd5 27.Ne5 Qf6 28.f4 exf3 29.Nxf3 Rfd8 30.Qf2 h6 31.Ne5 Ne7 32.Rxd6 Rxd6 33.Nf7+ Kh7 34.Nxd6 Qxd6 35.Qe3 Ng6 36.Bc2 Qd5 37.Qf3 Qd7 38.Qxf5 Qxf5 39.Bxf5 Bd5 40.Re5 Bc4 41.b3 Bxb3 42.Rxb5 Bf7 43.Rb6 h5 44.Bxg6+ Bxg6 45.Rxg6 Kxg6 46.Kf2 Kf5 47.Kg3 Ke4 48.Kh4 g6 49.Kg5 Ke3 50.Kxg6 Kf2 51.Kxh5 Kxg2 52.c4 Kf2 53.c5 Ke3 54.c6 Kf3 55.c7 Ke3 56.c8Q Kf4 57.Qc4+ Ke3 58.Kg5 Kf2 59.Kg4 Ke3 60.Kg3 Kd2 61.Qc2+ Ke1 ½-½* (61) Orda_99 (2625)-spectraline (2560) Blitz 2023*)* 19.Nc2 *(19.Rad1 f5 20.Ng5 Qe8 21.exf5 Bxf5 22.Rfe1 h6 23.Ne4 d5 24.Ng3 Bg4 25.f3 Bc8 26.Qf2 Qd8 27.Bxd5 Qc7 28.Be4 Nf4 29.Bb1 b4 30.cxb4 Rxb4 31.Rc1 Qb8 32.Qc5 Nfd5 33.Nc4 Rb5 34.Qd6 Qa7+ 35.Kh1 Bb7 36.Nxe5 Rxb2 37.Ng6+ Nxg6 38.Qxg6 Nf6 39.Nh5 Rxb1 40.Qxg7#* Normal 1-0 (40) ChessAmazingWolf (2659)-Calzonesdesuperman (2573) Blitz 2024*)* 19...f5 20.exf5 Bxf5 21.Ne3 h6 22.Ra7 Nc6 23.Raa1 Nce7 24.Nxf5 Nxf5 25.Ra7 Qf6 26.Bd5 Nf4 27.Be4 Qg6 28.Nh4 Qg4 29.Nxf5 d5 30.Rxg7 Rg6 31.Rxg6 Qxg6 32.Ng3 Qg5 33.Kh1 dxe4 34.Qd6 Rf6 35.Qd8+ Kg7 36.Qe7+ Kg8 37.Ra1 Rf7 38.Qxg5+ hxg5 39.Nxe4 Nd3 40.Kg1 g4 41.Ra6 b4 42.cxb4 Rc7 43.Nc5 Nxc5 44.bxc5 Rxc5 45.Ra1 Rc2 46.Rb1 Kf7 47.b4 Ke7 48.b5 Kd7 49.b6 Kc8 50.b7+ Kb8 51.h4 gxh3 52.gxh3 Rc3 53.Kg2 Rc7 54.h4 Rg7+ 55.Kh3 Rf7 56.Rb2 e4 57.h5 Rf3+ 58.Kg4 Rf8 59.h6 Rg8+ 60.Kh5 Re8 61.h7 Re5+ 62.Kg6 Re6+ 63.Kf7 Rh6 64.Kg7 Rb6

65.h8Q+ Ka7 66.Rxb6 Kxb6 67.b8Q+ Kc5 68.Qhc8+ 1-0 (68) legend2014 (2718)-alfredogto (2645) Blitz 2024;

C1c) 16...Rxb5 17.Nbd2 f5 18.Ng5 Rb6 19.Qa3 d5 20.exd5 Nxd5 21.Nc4 Qxg5 22.Nxb6 Nxb6 23.Rad1 Bb7 24.f3 h5 25.Rd6 Nh4 26.Rh6+ Qxh6 27.Qxf8+ Kh7 28.Bg8+ Kg6 29.Bf7+ Kg5 30.Qe7+ Qf6 31.Qxb7 f4 32.Ra1 Qd6 33.Bb3 Nf5 34.Rd1 Qc5+ 35.Kh1 Qf2 36.Be6 Qe2 37.Rg1 Nc4 38.Bxf5 Kxf5 39.Qf7+ Kg5 40.Qxg7+ Kf5 41.g4+ Ke6 42.Qg6+ Ke7 43.Qe4 Ne3 44.Qxe5+ Kd7 45.Qxf4 hxg4 46.fxg4 Qd2 47.Qe4 Qf2 48.g5 Qe2 49.g6 Nd1 50.Qxe2 1-0 (50) LucaBrazzi (2746)-Svallap (2722) Blitz 2023;

C2) 16.a5 Nc6 17.Bd5 Nf4 18.b4 Rc7 19.Nbd2 Ne7 20.Ra3 Nexd5 21.exd5 Bb7 22.Ne4 Bxd5 23.Nc5 Rc6 24.Qxd7 Qa8 25.Qg4 f5 26.Qh4 Nxg2 0-1 (26) dark_flash (2668)-Calzonesdesuperman (2598) Blitz 2023;

C3) 16.Nbd2 Rb6

C3a) 17.Qa3 d5 *(17...d6* Kuzmin, Alexey: ' ∓*')* 18.exd5 Nxd5 19.Ne4 Ndf4 20.Rad1 Qc7 21.a5 Rc6 22.Nh4 Re8 23.Nd6 Rf8 24.Nf7+ Rxf7 25.Bxf7 Rc5 26.g3 Nh3+ 27.Kh1 Bb7+ 28.f3 Nxh4 29.Qxc5 Nxf3 30.Qf8# 1-0 (30) DrKingsPawnstein (2838)-solxe (2709) Blitz 2023;

C3b) 17.Qd3 d6 18.axb5 axb5 19.Ra7 Nc6 20.Rf7 Nf4 21.Qe3 Rxf7 22.Bxf7 Be6 23.Bxe6 Nxe6 24.Nb3 Qc7 25.Rd1 h6 26.g3 Ne7 27.h4 Rb8 28.Kg2 Rd8 29.Ra1 Rd7 30.Ra8+ Kh7 31.h5 d5 32.exd5 Nxd5 33.Qe4+ 1-0 (33) Chesssplayer21 (2849)-Calzonesdesuperman (2637) Blitz 2024]

[15.h4 Qc7 16.Rd1 Qxd6 17.Rxd6 Rc7 18.h5 Nf4 19.h6 Bb7 20.g3 Bxe4 21.Nbd2 Nh3+ 22.Kh2 Bf5 23.hxg7+ Kxg7 24.Rxa6 Nxf2 25.Nh4 Ng4+ 26.Kg2 d5 27.Rb6 Bd3 28.Ndf3 Rd8 29.Ne1 Be4+ 30.Kg1 d4 31.cxd4 Rxd4 32.Rxb5 Rd2 33.Bd1 Ne3 34.Bf3 Bxf3 35.Nhxf3 Re2 36.a4 N7f5 37.a5 Nd6 38.Rb4 Nd5 39.Rb3 Nf5 40.a6 e4 41.a7 exf3 42.Rxf3 Rxe1+ 43.Rxe1 Rxa7 44.Rxf5 Nb4 45.Re4 Nc6 46.Rg4+ Kf7 47.Rgf4 Ne5 48.Rxe5 Ra1+ 49.Kg2 Ra2 50.Re2 Kg6 51.Ref2 h6 52.Rxf6+ Kh7 53.R6f4 h5 54.Rf5 Kh6 55.Rb5 Ra6 56.Rff5 Rc6 57.Rxh5+ Kg7 58.Rhc5 Kh7 59.Rxc6 Kg7 60.Rb7+ 1-0 (60) Nadigraj (2790)-xiaochess (2921) Blitz 2024]

[15.Nbd2

A) 15...Rb7 16.Rfd1 *(16.Qxa6* Kuzmin, Alexey: '?' *Qc7 17.Qa3 d6 18.Bd1 f5* Kuzmin, Alexey: ' ∓*'; 16.g3* Kuzmin, Alexey: 'Perunovic, Milos' *Rb6 17.Qd3 f5* Kuzmin, Alexey: '→' *)* 16...Rb6 17.Qc5 Nf4 18.Nf1 d6 19.Qe3 Bg4 20.h3 Bh5 21.Ng3 Bg6

22.Ne2 Nxe2+ 23.Qxe2 f5 24.Nxe5 fxe4 25.Nxg6+ Nxg6 26.Qxe4 Qf6 27.Qd4 Qd8 28.g3 Ne5 29.Bd5 Rb8 30.Bg2 Rf6 31.b3 Rc8 32.Rd2 Qc7 33.Rad1 Qxc3 34.Qxc3 Rxc3 35.Rxd6 Rxd6 36.Rxd6 g6 37.Rxa6 Rc1+ 38.Kh2 Rc2 39.Re6 Nd3 40.f4 Rxa2 41.Re3 Nc5 42.b4 Na6 43.Re5 Nxb4 44.Rxb5 Nd3 45.Rb1 Kg7 46.Rd1 Nc5 47.Rd5 Rc2 48.h4 h5 49.Kh3 Kf6 50.Bf3 Rc3 51.Bg2 Ne6 52.Re5 Nxf4+ 53.Kh2 Ne6 54.Re1 Rc5 55.Rf1+ Rf5 56.Re1 Ng7 57.Bh3 Ne6 58.Bxf5 Kxf5 59.Rf1+ Ke5 60.Re1+ Kd6 61.Rf1 Ke7 62.Re1 Kf6 63.Rxe6+ Kxe6 64.Kh3 Kf6 65.g4 Kg7 66.gxh5 Kh7 67.Kg3 Kg7 68.hxg6 Kg8 69.Kg4 Kg7 70.Kg5 Kg8 71.h5 Kh8 72.h6 Kg8 73.Kf5 Kh8 74.h7 Kg7 75.Kg5 Kh8 76.Kh4 Kg7 77.Kg4 Kh8 78.Kf3 Kg7 ½-½ (78) hungzhao (2682)-spectraline (2580) Blitz 2024;

B) 15...a5 16.a4 Ba6 17.axb5 Bxb5 18.Bc4 Bc6 19.b4 Qb6 20.b5 Nc8 21.Qa3 Ba8 22.Rfb1 Rd8 23.Bf1 d5 24.exd5 Bxd5 25.c4 Bxf3 26.c5 Qe6 27.Nxf3 Nf4 28.b6 Rb7 29.Rd1 Rg8 30.g3 Ng6 31.Qb3 Qe7 32.Qd5 Nxb6 33.cxb6 Rxb6 34.Bc4 Rf8 35.h4 e4 36.Re1 f5 37.h5 Rd6 38.Qc5 Qf6 39.hxg6 exf3 40.gxh7 f4 41.Qe5 fxg3 42.Qxf6 gxf2+ 43.Kxf2 Rdxf6 44.Rxa5 Rh6 45.Rf1 Rh2+ 46.Ke3 Rxh7 47.Re5 Rh6 48.Rxf3 Rxf3+ 49.Kxf3 g5 50.Rxg5 Rf6+ 51.Ke4 Kh7 52.Re5 Kh6 53.Bd3 Rg6 54.Kd4 Rg5 55.Re6+ Rg6 56.Re3 1-0 (56) Elretornodelmore (2639)-Phenix4k (2432) Blitz 2025;

C) 15...Bb7 16.a4 Nc8 *(16...bxa4 17.Bxa4 Nc8 18.Qc5 d6 19.Qe3 Qb6 20.Qxb6 Nxb6 21.Bc2 a5 22.Ra2 a4 23.Rfa1 Rfa8 24.Bd3 Nf4 25.Bb5 d5 26.exd5 Bxd5 27.c4 Bxf3 28.Nxf3 Nd3 29.Kf1 Nc5 30.Ke2 g6 31.b4 axb3 32.Rxa7 Rxa7 33.Rxa7 b2 34.Nd2 Ne4 35.Nb1* 1-0 (35) sergolvz (2667)-doreality (2746) Blitz 2022*)* 17.Qb4 a5 18.Qc5 d6 19.Qe3 bxa4 20.Bxa4 Qb6 21.Qxb6 Nxb6 22.c4 f5 23.exf5 Rxf5 24.b3 Nf4 25.Rfd1 Ne2+ 26.Kf1 Nc3 27.Rdc1 Ncxa4 28.bxa4 Ba6 29.Kg1 Nd7 30.Ne4 Nc5 31.Nxd6 Rf6 32.Nb5 Re7 33.Rd1 h6 34.Rd5 e4 35.Re1 Nxa4 36.Nd2 Nb2 37.Rxe4 Rfe6 38.f3 Rxe4 39.fxe4 a4 40.Na3 Rb7 41.Ra5 Nd1 42.Rxa6 1-0 (42) Gutemaus2019 (2709)-KaizokuOuNi (2565) Blitz 2022]

[15.g3 Rc7 16.h4 Bb7 17.Nbd2 Nc8 *(17...h5 18.a4 Rc6 19.Qd3 bxa4 20.Bxa4 Rc7 21.Rfd1 d5 22.exd5 Qxd5 23.Qxd5 Bxd5 24.Bb3 Bb7 25.Ne1 e4 26.Nc4 f5 27.Ng2 f4 28.gxf4 Nxf4 29.Nxf4 Rxf4 30.Rd8+ Kh7 31.Ne3 Ng6 32.Ra5 Kh6 33.Nf5+ Kh7 34.Bg8+ Kh8 35.Bd5+ Kh7 36.Bxb7 Rxb7 37.Nd6 Rg4+ 38.Kf1 Rb5 39.Nxb5 axb5 40.Rxb5 Nf4 41.Rg5 Rxh4 42.Rd7 Ne6 43.Rg1 Kh6 44.Rd6* 1-0 (44) Revan_2002 (2629)-BarbDefcon1 (2582) Blitz 2022*)* 18.Qd3 Nge7 19.Rad1 d5 20.exd5 Rd7 21.Ne4 Qb6 22.d6 Nf5 23.Be6 Bxe4 24.Qxe4 Ncxd6 25.Qc2 Nxg3 26.Bxd7 Nxf1 27.Kxf1 e4 28.Nd4 e3

29.fxe3 Nc4 30.Qf2 Rd8 31.Bg4 g6 32.b3 Ne5 33.Be2 f5 34.Qf4 Qf6 35.Qg5 Qxg5 36.hxg5 Nf7 37.Ne6 Rc8 38.c4 b4 39.c5 a5 40.Bc4 Ne5 41.Rd8+ Rxd8 42.Nxd8 Nxc4 43.bxc4 a4 44.c6 b3 45.axb3 a3 46.c7 a2 47.c8Q a1Q+ 48.Kg2 Qb2+ 49.Kh3 Qe2 50.Ne6# 1-0 (50) wuzhaobing (2681)-tt99326 (2699) Blitz 2024]

15...Rc7

[15...Rb7 16.a4 Rb6 17.Qa3 Bb7 18.a5 Rc6 19.Nbd2 Rc7 20.Qd6 Nf4 21.Qb6 *(21.g3 Rc6 22.Qa3 Nd3 23.Nf1 Nc5 24.Bc2 Rc8 25.Re1 d5 26.Rad1 Qc7 27.exd5 Nxd5 28.Nh4 Ne6 29.Be4 Rfd8 30.Bg2 Ng5 31.Qa2 Ne7 32.Ne3 Bxg2 33.Kxg2 Qb7+ 34.f3 g6 35.Qb1 Kg7 36.Rxd8 Rxd8 37.Rd1 Rd7 38.Rxd7 Qxd7 39.Qd1 Qxd1 40.Nxd1 Ne6 41.Kf2 Nc7 42.Ng2 f5 43.Nge3 Kf6 44.Ke2 Nc6 45.b4 Ke6 46.Kd3 Ne8 47.Nf2 Nd6 48.Nc2 Ne7 49.Ne3 Nd5 50.Nfd1 e4+ 51.fxe4 Nxe4 52.Nxd5 Kxd5 53.Ne3+ Kc6 54.c4 bxc4+ 55.Kxc4 Nd2+ 56.Kc3 Nf3 57.h4 f4 58.gxf4 Nxh4 59.Kc4 Nf5 60.Ng4 Nd6+ 61.Kc3 Kb5 62.Ne5 Ne4+ 63.Kb3 Nf6 64.Nc4 h5 65.Nd2 h4 66.Nf3 h3 67.Kc3 Nd5+ 68.Kd4 Nxf4 69.Ke4 Ne6 70.Kd5 Ng5 71.Nh2 Kxb4 72.Ke5 Kxa5 73.Kf6 Ne4+ 74.Kxg6 Kb4 75.Kf5 Nc3 76.Kg4 a5 77.Nf3 Ne4 78.Kxh3 Kc3 79.Ng1 a4 80.Ne2+ Kb2 81.Nd4 a3* 0-1 (79) Kamsky,G (2623)-Le,T (2567) chess.com INT 2024*)* 21...d5 22.g3 Nd3 23.Qe3 Nxb2 24.Nh4 Qc8 25.Rdb1 Rxc3 26.Qe2 Nc4 27.Rc1 Rxc1+ 28.Rxc1 Qd8 29.Nf1 Qxa5 30.exd5 Nxd5 31.Bc2 Kg8 32.Qh5 f5 33.Nxf5 Nf6 34.Ne7+ Kh8 35.Ng6+ Kg8 36.Ne7+ Kh8 37.Qh3 Qc7 38.Ng6+ Kg8 39.Nxf8 Kxf8 40.Bf5 Qf7 41.f3 Qe7 42.Be4 Qc5+ 43.Kh1 Nxe4 44.fxe4 Bxe4+ 45.Qg2 Qd5 46.Rc2 Bxg2+ 47.Rxg2 Nd2 48.Kg1 e4 49.Rf2+ Ke7 50.Rxd2 Qc5+ 51.Kg2 e3 52.Re2 Qc6+ 53.Kh3 Qc5 54.Kg2 Qc7 55.Kg1 Qc6 56.Rxe3+ Kd8 57.Rd3+ Kc7 58.Re3 Qb6 59.Kg2 Qc6+ 60.Kh3 1-0 (60) enmQ (2814)-ScheveningenSea (2799) Blitz 2023]

[15...Qc7 16.Na3 Rd8 17.Nc2 Qxd6 18.Rxd6 Bb7 19.Re1 Nc8 20.Rd2 Nge7 21.a4 bxa4 22.Bxa4 Nb6 23.Bb3 Raa8 24.Rd6 Nbc8 25.Rdd1 Nb6 26.Nd2 d5 27.exd5 Bxd5 28.Ne3 Bg8 29.Bxg8 Kxg8 30.g3 Rab8 31.Ne4 Na4 32.Rxd8+ Rxd8 33.Ra1 Nxb2 34.Rxa6 Nd1 35.Nxd1 Rxd1+ 36.Kg2 Rc1 37.h4 Nd5 38.h5 Nxc3 39.Ra8+ Kf7 40.Ra7+ Kg8 41.Ra8+ Kf7 42.Ra7+ Kg8 43.Ra8+ ½-½ (43) Kamsky,G (2664)-Cordoba Roa,A (2214) chess.com INT 2023]

16.Nbd2

[16.a4 Rc6 17.Qd2 f5 *(17...Nf4 18.axb5 axb5 19.Na3 Rb6 20.Nc2 Bb7 21.Qe3 d5 22.Nb4 Rd6 23.Ra7 Ba8 24.g3 dxe4 25.Rxd6 Qxd6 26.gxf4 exf3 27.fxe5 fxe5 28.Qg5 Ng6 29.h4 h6 30.Qg3 Be4 31.h5 Rf5 32.Bc2 Bxc2 33.Ra8+ Nf8 34.Nxc2 Rg5* 0-1 (34) NoTailNoFail (2657)-spectraline (2600) Blitz 2023*)* 18.axb5 axb5 19.Ng5 Qe8 20.exf5 Nxf5 21.Ra8 h6 22.Ne4 Nf4 23.Na3 Qg6 24.Ng3 Nh4 25.Bc2 Qg5 26.Be4 d5 0-1 (26) PSG30 (2775)-Chessi9 (2705) Blitz 2022]

16...Bb7 17.a4 Nf4 18.axb5 Nc8

19.Qb4 axb5 20.Qxb5 d5 21.exd5 Nd6 22.Qa5 Qc8 23.Ra4 Rc5 24.Qb6 Rd8 25.Rxf4 exf4 26.c4 Ba6 27.Qb4 Qc7 28.Ba2 Rb8 29.Qc3 Qb6 30.b3 Ra5 31.Bb1 Ra3 32.Qc2 g6 33.Qb2 Nxc4 34.Nxc4 Bxc4 35.d6 Kg7 36.Qxa3 Bxb3 37.Re1 Bf7 38.d7 Qxb1 39.Qe7 Qd3 40.h4 h5 41.Kh2 Qd5 42.Re4 Rf8 43.Rd4 1-0 (43) Konstantin_Tarlev (2857)-MothAndTheFlame (2840) Blitz 2022

10.h4 d6

[10...exd4 11.cxd4 d5 12.exd5 Nce7 13.h5 Nh8 14.Nc3 Nf7 15.Bb3 b6 16.Bf4 b5 17.Re1 Bb7 18.Rc1 Rc8 19.Qe2 Nxd5 20.Nxd5 Bxd5 21.Bxc7 Bxf3 22.Bxd8 Bxe2 23.Rxc8 Bxh5 24.Re7 Bxd4 25.g4 Bg6 26.Rd7 Bxb2 27.Rcc7 Ba3 28.Ra7 Bc5 29.Rxa6 h5 30.Rc6 Bb4 31.gxh5 Bxh5 32.Rb6 Ba5 33.Rxb5 Bxd8 34.Rxh5 Bb6 35.Rb5 1-0 (35) IamAvran (2621)-Jugandito (2563) Blitz 2022]

[10...h6 11.h5 Nf4 12.Nh4 Re8 13.Bb3+ Kh7 14.Bxf4 exf4 15.Qg4 d6 16.Qxf4 Ne7 17.Nd2 d5 18.Rae1 Be6 19.exd5 Bxd5 20.Rxe7 Bxb3 21.Rxe8 Qxe8 22.Qf5+ Kh8 23.axb3 1-0 (23) Rumple_DarkOne (2604)-spectraline (2585) Blitz 2022]

11.h5 Nge7

[11...Nh8 12.Nh4 Nf7 13.Bb3 Kh8 14.Ng6+ hxg6 15.hxg6 Nh6 16.Qh5 Bg4 17.Qh4 f5 18.Bg5 Qe8 19.exf5 Bxf5 20.Bxh6 Qxg6 21.Be3+ Qh7 22.Qxh7+ Kxh7 23.dxe5 Bxe3 24.fxe3 Nxe5 25.Rxf5 Rxf5 26.Bc2 g6 27.Bxf5 gxf5 28.Nd2 Re8 29.e4 f4 30.Rf1 Rf8 31.g3 Rg8 32.Rxf4 Rxg3+ 33.Kf2 Rh3 34.Nf3 Nd3+ 35.Ke3 Nxf4 0-1 (35) MrSuccess (2648)-IAMLEGENDCHESS (2551) Blitz 2023]

12.h6

[12.Nh4 Qe8 13.d5 b5 14.Bc2 Nd8 15.Bxa7 Rxa7 16.g4 Nf7 17.Nd2 Ng5 18.Kg2 Bd7 19.c4 Rb7 20.Bd3 bxc4 21.Nxc4 Bb5 22.b3 Nc8 23.Na5 Rb8 24.Rc1 Rf7 25.Nf5 Bxd3 26.Qxd3 Rb5 27.Nc6 Nb6 28.a4 Rc5 29.Rxc5 dxc5 30.Rc1 Nd7 31.b4 cxb4 32.Nxb4 Qb8 33.Nxa6 Qb2 34.Rxc7 h6 35.d6 Qa2 36.Qc4 Qb1 37.Rxd7 1-0 (37) Kastorcito (2684)-Calzonesdesuperman (2635) Blitz 2024]

[12.Bb3+ Kh8 13.Nh4 f5 *(13...Qe8 14.Re1 Na5 15.Bc2 Nc4 16.Bc1 Be6 17.b3 Nb6 18.d5 Bf7 19.h6 g6 20.Qf3 Bg8 21.Qg3 Qf7 22.Kh1 c6 23.f4 cxd5 24.fxe5 dxe5 25.Nd2 Rae8 26.Ndf3 Bb8 27.Rf1 dxe4 28.Bxe4 Nbd5 29.Ng5 fxg5 30.Rxf7 Rxf7 31.Bxg5 Nf4 32.Re1 Nf5 33.Bxf5 gxf5 34.Nf3 Ng6 35.Nh4 Nxh4 36.Qxh4 Re6 37.Rd1 Bc7 38.Bd8 Bd6 39.Qg5 Rg6 40.Rxd6 Rxg5 41.Bxg5 f4 42.Bf6+ Rxf6 43.Rxf6 Bd5 44.Rf8+ Bg8 45.Kg1 b5 46.b4 a5 47.Kf2 a4 48.c4 bxc4 49.b5 c3 50.b6 c2 51.b7 c1Q 52.Rxg8+ Kxg8 53.b8Q+ Kf7 54.Qxe5 Qd2+ 55.Kf3 Qd1+ 56.Kxf4 Qf1+ 57.Kg3 Qb1 58.Qf4+ Ke8 59.Qxa4+ Kf8 60.Qf4+ Ke8 61.Qg4 Qd3+ 62.Qf3 Qg6+* 0-1 (62) JFriedel (2608)-Calzonesdesuperman (2585) Blitz 2024*)* 14.exf5 Nxf5 15.Nxf5 Bxf5 16.h6 gxh6 17.Bxh6 Re8 18.Bf7 Qf6 19.Bxe8 Qxh6 20.Bxc6 bxc6 21.Nd2 Rg8 22.Re1 exd4 23.Qf3 Bg4 24.Qf7 dxc3 25.Re8 Bxf2+ 26.Kxf2 Qxd2+ 27.Kg1 Qd4+ 28.Kh1 Rxe8 29.Qxe8+ Kg7

30.Qe7+ Kg6 31.Rf1 Bf5 32.Qe8+ Kg5 33.Qd8+ Kg4 34.Qg8+ Bg6 35.Qe6+ Kg5 36.Qe7+ Kh6 37.Qf8+ Kh5 38.Qf3+ Qg4 39.Qxg4+ Kxg4 40.bxc3 c5 41.Rc1 d5 42.Kg1 Kf4 43.Kf2 Ke4 44.Re1+ Kd3 45.Re5 Kc4 46.Rg5 Be4 47.g4 Kxc3 48.Rg7 d4 49.Rxc7 d3 50.Ke3 d2 51.Rd7 c4 52.Rxd2 Bd3 53.Rd1 Kb4 54.Rc1 Kc5 55.Kd2 Kd5 56.Kc3 Ke4 57.Rd1 Kf4 58.Rd2 Kxg4 59.Rg2+ Kf3 60.Rh2 Kg3 61.Rxh7 1-0 (61) boris1178 (2627)-Dictator02 (2628) Blitz 2024]

12...g5

[12...g6 13.Nbd2 Kh8 *(13...Bg4 14.Qb3+ Kh8 15.Qxb7 Rb8 16.Qxa6 Rb6 17.Qc4 Na5 18.Qd3 Rxb2 19.Rfb1 Qb8 20.dxe5 Bxe3 21.Qxe3 fxe5 22.Ng5 Nc4 23.Qg3 Nxd2 24.Qxg4 Rxb1+ 25.Rxb1 Qxb1+ 26.Kh2 Nf1+ 27.Kh3 Qd3+ 28.f3 Qe3 29.Qe6 Qxg5* 0-1 (29) kc6 (2619)-spectraline (2606) Blitz 2023*)* 14.Re1 Bg4 15.Qc2 *(15.Rc1 exd4 16.cxd4 Nxd4 17.Nxd4 Bxd4 18.Qxg4* 1-0 (18) VadaPav2609 (2616)-ma_long_ma (2675) Blitz 2023 *)* 15...b5 16.Bb3 Na5 17.a4 c5 18.Ba2 c4 19.Nh2 Bd7 20.axb5 axb5 21.b3 exd4 22.cxd4 d5 23.Bb1 Bb6 24.exd5 Bf5 25.Qc3 Nxd5 26.Qc1 c3 27.Ndf1 Nxb3 28.Rxa8 Qxa8 29.Qd1 Bxb1 30.Qxb3 Bd3 31.Qxd5 Qxd5 32.Bc1 b4 33.Ne3 Qxd4 34.Nf3 Qc5 35.Ng4 b3 36.Be3 Qxe3 37.Nd4 Qxd4 38.Nxf6 Qxf6 39.Kh1 Qh4+ 40.Kg1 Bxf2# 0-1 (40) VadaPav2609 (2626)-ma_long_ma (2665) Blitz 2023]

13.dxe5

[13.Nh2 Ng6 14.Nd2 Kh8 15.dxe5 Ncxe5 16.Ndf3 Nxf3+ 17.Qxf3 Ne5 18.Qe2 Rg8 19.Bb3 Rg6 20.Bxa7 Rxa7 21.f4 gxf4 22.Rxf4 Ra8 23.Raf1 Bh3 24.R1f2 Qe7 25.Nf3 Bg4 26.Nxe5 Bxe2 27.Nxg6+ hxg6 28.Rxf6 Bh5 29.Rf7 Qxe4 30.Rg7 Qe1+ 31.Rf1 Qe3+ 32.Kh2 Qxh6 33.Rff7 Qxg7 0-1 (33) Glidzhian_Gor (2653)-ikica77 (2663) Blitz 2021]

13...dxe5 14.Bxa7 Rxa7 15.Bb3+ Kh8 16.Qxd8 Nxd8 17.Na3 Ne6 18.Nc4 Ng8 19.g3 Nxh6 20.Kg2 Nf7 21.Ne3 Nd6 22.Nd2 Nc5 23.Bc2 Be6 24.b4 Nd7 25.f4 gxf4 26.gxf4 exf4 27.Rxf4 Ne5 28.Raf1 Ne8 29.Nd5 Ng4 30.R1f3 c6 31.c4 b5 32.Rg3 Rg7 33.Nb6 Nd6 34.Bd3 h5 35.c5 Nf7 36.Be2 Nfe5 37.Kf1 Rd8 38.Ke1 Rg5 39.Rxf6 Bxa2 40.Rf5 Rxf5 41.exf5 Nf6 42.Re3 Re8 43.Nf1 Bf7 44.Ng3 Kg7 45.Kf1 Nfg4 46.Re4 Kf6 47.Rf4 Kg5 48.Re4 Nf6 49.Re3 h4 50.Ne4+ Nxe4 51.Rxe4 Kxf5 52.Rxh4 Rf8 53.Rh2 1-0 (53) chargemax23 (2707)-Stoichess (2569) Blitz 2021

10.Bb3+ Kh8 11.h4

[11.Nbd2 Nce7 12.Re1 *(12.dxe5 fxe5 13.Ng5 Qe8 14.Qh5 h6 15.Ndf3 d6 16.Rad1 Bd7 17.g3 Rf6 18.Bxa7 Rxa7 19.Nh4 Nxh4 20.Nf7+ Rxf7 21.Bxf7 Qf8 22.gxh4 g6 23.Bxg6 Qg7 24.Kh1 Qxg6 25.Qf3 Bg4 26.Qf8+ Qg8 27.Qf6+ Qg7 28.Qxg7+ Kxg7 29.Rg1 Kf7 30.Rxg4 Ra8 31.Rdg1 Rg8 32.Rxg8 Nxg8 33.f3 Nf6 34.Kg2 Nh5 35.Kf2 Nf4 36.Ke3 Ne6 37.Rg4 Nc5 38.b4 Ne6 39.h5 Nf8 40.h4 Kf6 41.f4 Kf7 42.f5 Kf6 43.Rg6+ Nxg6 44.hxg6 b5 45.c4 c6 46.h5 Kg7 47.Kd3 Kf6 48.Kc3 Kg7 49.Kb3 Kf6 50.a4 Kg7 51.axb5 axb5 52.c5 dxc5 53.bxc5 Kf6 54.Kb4 Kg7 55.Ka5 Kf6 56.Kb4*

Kg7 57.Kb3 Kf6 58.Ka3 Kg7 59.Kb4 Kf6 60.Ka5 Kg7 61.Kb6 b4 62.Kxc6 b3 63.Kd6 b2 64.Ke7 b1Q 65.f6+ Kh8 66.g7+ Kh7 67.f7 Qb7+ 68.Ke8 Qc8+ 69.Ke7 Qxc5+ 70.Ke6 Qc6+ 71.Kxe5 Kxg7 72.f8Q+ Kxf8 73.Kf5 Ke7 74.e5 Qe6+ 75.Kf4 Qd5 76.Kf5 Kf7 77.Kf4 Ke6 78.Kg4 Qxe5 79.Kh4 Qg5+ 80.Kh3 Kf5 81.Kh2 Kf4 82.Kh3 Kf3 83.Kh2 Qg2# 0-1 (83) Tulachessroom (2628)-happywarcraft (2607) Blitz 2023*)* 12...h6 13.Nf1 exd4 14.Nxd4 d5 15.Qh5 c5 16.Bxh6 cxd4 17.exd5 Bg4 18.Bxg7+ Kxg7 19.Qxg4 f5 20.Qf3 Nh4 21.Qd3 Nxd5 22.Bxd5 Qxd5 23.Qg3+ Ng6 24.Re7+ Rf7 25.Rxf7+ Qxf7 26.Qf3 Re8 27.Ng3 f4 28.Nh5+ Kh6 29.Qh3 Kg5 30.cxd4 Bxd4 31.Rd1 Qe6 32.g4 Bxf2+ 33.Kg2 Qe4+ 34.Qf3 Nh4+ 0-1 (34) Hou,Y (2658)-Indjic,A (2607) lichess.org INT 2021]

[11.d5 Bxe3 12.fxe3 Na5 13.Bc2 *(13.c4 d6 14.Nc3 f5 15.exf5 Bxf5 16.Qe2 Nxb3 17.axb3 a5 18.Rf2 b6 19.Raf1 Bd7 20.Nd2 Rxf2 21.Qxf2 Qe7 22.Nde4 Rf8 23.Qe1 h6 24.Rxf8+ Qxf8 25.Qf2 Kg8 26.g3 Ne7 27.Qxf8+ Kxf8 28.Kf2 Ke8 29.Kf3 Ng8 30.h4 Ke7 31.g4 Nf6 32.Nxf6 gxf6 33.e4 Kf7 34.h5 Ke7 35.Kg3 Kd8 36.Nd1 b5 37.Ne3 b4 38.Kf3 Kc8 39.Ke2 Kb7 40.Kd3 Kb6 41.Nf5 Bxf5 42.exf5 Kc5 43.g5 fxg5 44.f6 g4 45.f7 g3 46.f8Q* 1-0 (46) RL12 (2630)-Bugzilla (2769) Blitz 2022*)* 13...d6 14.Nbd2 b6 15.b4 Nb7 16.c4 a5 17.a3 Bd7 18.Qe2 Qe7 19.h4 Bg4 20.Qf2 Qd7 21.Nh2 Ne7 22.Nxg4 Qxg4 23.Bd1 Qd7 24.Bf3 Nd8 25.Qe2 g6 26.Bg4 f5 27.exf5 gxf5 28.Bh3 Qe8 29.e4 f4 30.Rfc1 Qg6 31.c5 axb4 32.axb4 Rxa1 33.Rxa1 bxc5 34.bxc5 Nb7 35.c6 Nc5 36.Ra7 f3 37.Nxf3 Nxe4 38.Rxc7 Nxd5 39.Rc8 Rxc8 40.Bxc8 Nf4 41.Qc2 d5 42.c7 Qb6+ 43.Kh2 Nc5 44.Nxe5 Qxc7 45.Nd3 Nfxd3+ 46.Kg1 Qxc8 47.Qd2 Qf5 48.Qe3 Kg8 49.Qe8+ Qf8 50.Qb5 Qf7 51.Qb8+ Kg7 52.Qf4 Nxf4 53.g3 Nfd3 54.Kg2 Qg6 55.Kh3 Qg4+ 56.Kxg4 Ne4 57.Kh3 Nxg3 58.Kg2 Nf5 59.Kf3 Nxh4+ 60.Kg4 Ne5+ 61.Kg3 Nf7 62.Kxh4 d4 63.Kg3 d3 64.Kf3 d2 65.Ke3 d1Q 66.Ke4 Qd3+ 0-1 (66) Mr_Bashir2005 (2650)-NTDVAN (2836) Blitz 2022]

[11.a3 d6 12.Nbd2 *(12.h3 Qe8 13.Nbd2 Nd8 14.Re1 Ne6 15.Bc4 Bd7 16.Bf1 Nef4 17.Kh2 Rd8 18.g3 Nh5 19.b4 Bb8 20.Ng1 Ne7 21.Be2 g6 22.Bxh5 gxh5 23.g4 Rg8 24.f3 c6 25.Kg2 d5 26.Kf1 Qg6 27.Qe2 f5 28.gxf5 Nxf5 29.exf5 Bxf5 30.Qh2 exd4 31.Bxd4+ Rg7 32.Be5 Bd3+ 33.Kf2 Bxe5 34.Rxe5 Rdg8 35.Ne2 Qg2+ 36.Qxg2 Rxg2+ 37.Ke1 Rh2 38.Nf1 Rxh3 39.Re3 Bc4 40.Kd2 Rf8 41.Re1 h4 42.Nd4 Rh1 43.Ne2 h3 44.f4 h2 45.Rh3 Re8 46.Rxh2 Rg1 47.Rf2 Rgg8 48.Ne3 Ref8 49.Nxc4 dxc4 50.f5 Rf7 51.Rh1 Rgf8 52.Rfh2 a5 53.Nd4 axb4 54.Ke3 Re8+ 55.Ne6 bxc3 56.Ke4 c2 57.Ke5 c1Q 58.Rxc1 c3 59.Rch1 c2 60.Rxc2 c5 61.Rch2 Rg8 62.Kf4 Rgg7 63.Rh5 c4 64.R1h4 c3 65.Ng5 c2 66.Rxh7+ Kg8 67.Nxf7 Rxh7* 0-1 (67) plansugus (2608)-alfredogto (2612) Blitz 2024*)* 12...Bd7 *(12...Nce7 13.Re1 Bd7 14.h3 Qc8 15.Bc4 Bc6 16.Bf1 b5 17.Kh2 Qb7 18.d5 Bd7 19.c4 b4 20.a4 f5 21.Bxa7 Qxa7*

22.Re3 fxe4 23.Nxe4 Nf5 24.Re2 Nfh4 25.Nxh4 Nxh4 26.Rd2 Rf4 27.f3 Raf8 28.c5 dxc5 29.Rc1 c4 30.Rxc4 Rxf3 31.gxf3 Nxf3+ 32.Kg3 Qg1+ 33.Bg2 Qh2+ 34.Kf2 0-1 (34) borisov_maxim (2623)-drawingchest (2558) Blitz 2024*)* 13.Bd5 Rb8 14.Nc4 Qe7 15.dxe5 Bxe3 16.exd6 Bxf2+ 17.Rxf2 cxd6 18.Nd4 Nce5 19.Ne3 Bc6 20.Nef5 Qc7 21.Ne6 Qd7 22.Nexg7 Rg8 23.Nh5 Bxd5 24.Qxd5 Rbf8 25.Rd1 Ng4 26.Rfd2 N6e5 27.Kh1 Rg5 28.Nf4 Rfg8 29.Qxd6 Qf7 30.Qe6 Qxe6 31.Nxe6 R5g6 32.Nf4 Rg5 33.Ne6 R5g6 34.Ne7 Rh6 35.h3 Re8 36.Rd8 Nf2+ 37.Kg1 1-0 (37) Shazil (2635)-spectraline (2529) Blitz 2025]

11...d6 12.h5 Nf4 13.Bxf4 exf4 14.Qd2 [14.Nh4 Qe8 *(14...f5 15.Nxf5 Bxf5 16.exf5 Rxf5 17.h6 gxh6 18.Nd2 Ne7 19.Qg4 Qf8 20.Nf3 d5 21.Rfe1 Rf7 22.Bc2 Rg7 23.Qh5 Qf6 24.Re5 Rag8 25.Nh4 f3 26.g3 c5 27.Rae1 cxd4 28.Re6 Rxg3+ 29.Kh2 Qf4 30.Qe5+ Qxe5 31.R1xe5 d3 32.fxg3 dxc2 33.Re1 f2 34.Rf1 Nc6 35.Re2 d4 36.Rxc2 d3 37.Rd2 Rd8 38.Nf3 Be3 39.Rfxf2 Bxf2 40.Rxf2 Ne5 41.Nxe5 d2 42.Nf7+ Kg7 43.Nxd8 d1Q 44.Ne6+ Kg6 45.Nd4 Qh5+ 46.Kg2 Qd1 47.Re2 b5 48.Re6+ Kf7 49.Re2 Qc1 50.Rf2+ Ke8 51.Nf5 Kd8 52.Re2 Kc7 53.Nd4 Qd1 54.Re7+ Kd6 55.Re6+ Kd7 56.Re2 b4 57.Rf2 Kc7 58.Nf5 bxc3 59.Ne3 Kb6 60.Nxd1 c2* 0-1 (60) satoshi1126 (2606)-Iva_Gonde (2641) Blitz 2022*)* 15.Qf3 f5 16.exf5 Bxf5 17.h6 gxh6 18.Nxf5 Rxf5 19.Nd2 Qf8 20.Rfe1 Re8 21.Rxe8 Qxe8 22.Qd3 Rg5 23.Nf3 Rg7 24.Re1 Re7 25.Rxe7 Qxe7 26.Qf5 Nd8 27.Qxf4 c5 28.Qxh6 cxd4 29.cxd4 Nf7 30.Bxf7 Qxf7 31.Qxd6 Qxa2 32.Qf6+ Kg8 33.Qd8+ Kg7 34.Qg5+ Kf8 35.Qd8+ Kg7 36.Ne5 Qb1+ 37.Kh2 Qf5 38.Qe7+ Kg8 39.Qd8+ Kg7 40.Qc7+ Kg8 41.f3 Qf4+ 42.Kh3 Bxd4 43.Qb8+ Kg7 44.Qxb7+ Kg8 45.Qd5+ Kg7 46.Qd7+ Kg8 47.Qe6+ Kg7 48.Qe7+ Kg8 49.Qe6+ Kg7 50.Ng4 Bf6 51.Nxf6 Qxf6 52.Qxf6+ Kxf6 53.f4 h6 54.g4 Kg6 55.Kh4 Kf6 56.Kh5 Kg7 57.f5 Kh7 58.g5 a5 59.g6+ Kg7 60.f6+ Kxf6 61.Kxh6 Ke5 62.g7 Kd5 63.g8Q+ Kc5 64.Qa2 Kb4 65.b3 a4 66.Qxa4+ Kc3 67.b4 Kb2 68.b5 Kc3 69.b6 Kb2 70.b7 Kc3 71.b8Q Kd3 72.Qc6 Ke2 73.Qe5+ Kf2 74.Qd4+ Kg3 75.Qcc3+ Kh2 76.Qdd2+ Kg1 77.Qcc1# 1-0 (77) Martini99 (2622)-spectraline (2562) Blitz 2023]

14...f5 15.Qxf4 fxe4 16.Qxe4 Bf5 17.Qe3 Qf6 18.Nbd2 Rae8 19.Qf4 Na5 20.Rfe1 Nxb3 21.axb3 c5 22.Nc4 cxd4 23.cxd4 Bb8 24.Ne3 Be4 25.Qxf6 gxf6 26.Nd2 Bd3 27.Nd5 Kg7 28.Nf3 Ba7 29.Nc7 Rxe1+ 30.Rxe1 Rf7 31.Ne8+ Kh6 32.Nxd6 Rd7 33.Re6 Kxh5 34.Rxf6 Bb8 35.Nf7 Rc7 36.g4+ Kxg4 37.N3e5+ Kh3 38.Rh6# 1-0 (38) MassterofMayhem (2685)-solxe (2677) Blitz 2023

10.g3 d6 11.h4 h6 12.h5 Nge7 13.Nh4 exd4 14.cxd4 f5 15.Nc3 fxe4 16.Nxe4 Nf5 17.Ng6 Re8 18.Qd3 d5 19.Nc3 Nxe3 20.fxe3 Qg5 21.Kg2 Qxh5 22.Nf4 Qg5 23.Bc2 g6 24.Nfxd5 Kg7 25.Nxc7 Rxe3 0-1 (25) Capadjo (2657)-Dekelija (2610) Blitz 2023

83 **10...Kh8** 11.Qe2
[11.h3 exd4 12.cxd4 d5 13.exd5 Nb4 14.d6 b5 15.dxc7 Qxc7 16.Bb3 Bb7 17.Re1 Nd3 18.Re2 Ngf4 19.Bxf4 Nxf4 20.Re3 Rad8 21.Rc1 Qd7 22.Nf1 Nd5 23.Re1 Nf4 24.Ng3 Bb8 25.Bc2 Nxh3+ 26.gxh3 Qxh3 27.Bf5 Qh6 28.Re7 Bxf3 29.Qxf3 Qxc1+ 30.Kg2 Rxd4 31.Bxh7 Rh4 32.Bd3 Bxg3 33.fxg3 Qh1+ 34.Kf2 Rh2+ 35.Ke3 Qc1+ 36.Kd4 Qxb2+ 37.Kd5 Rd8+ 38.Kc6 Qc3+ 39.Kb6 Qd4+ 40.Kb7 Qxd3 41.Qg4 Qd5+ 42.Ka7 Qc5+ 43.Kxa6 Qxe7 44.Kxb5 Rb2+ 45.Kc6 Qd6# 0-1 (45) artem64 (2743)-Dekelija (2758) Blitz 2024]
[11.d5 Bxe3 12.fxe3 Nce7 13.c4 d6 14.Bc2 c6 15.Qe2 b5 16.dxc6 Qb6 17.a4 b4 18.a5 Qxc6 19.Ba4 Qc7 20.Nb3 Be6 21.Rac1 Rfc8 22.Nfd2 f5 23.c5 d5 24.exf5 Nxf5 25.c6 Nd6 26.Rc5 Qe7 27.Rfc1 Nc4 28.Nxc4 dxc4 29.R5xc4 Bxc4 30.Qxc4 Qg5 31.Qe4 Nh4 32.c7 Nxg2 33.Qxg2 Qxe3+ 34.Kh1 Ra7 35.Qd5 Raxc7 36.Rxc7 Qe1+ 37.Kg2 Qe2+ 38.Kg3 Qe3+ 39.Qf3 Qxf3+ 40.Kxf3 Rxc7 41.Nd2 Rc5 42.b3 Rxa5 43.Ke4 Rc5 44.Nc4 g6 45.Nxe5 Kg7 46.Bd7 Rc2 47.h3 Kf6 48.Nd3 Rc3 49.Ba4 Kg5 50.Nxb4 Rxh3 51.Nxa6 h5 52.Nc5 h4 53.b4 Rc3 54.Kd4 Rc1 55.Bd7 Rd1+ 56.Ke3 Rb1 57.Nd3 Kh5 58.b5 g5 59.Nf2 Rb3+ 60.Ke4 Rb4+ 61.Ke5 g4 62.Be8+ Kg5 63.Ne4+ Rxe4+ 64.Kxe4 h3 65.Ke3 g3 66.Kf3 g2 67.Kf2 Kf4 68.b6 1-0 (68) Sergoy45 (2719)-AndrewHoma (2750) Blitz 2023]
[11.dxe5 fxe5 12.Bxa7 Rxa7 13.Bxc6 bxc6 14.Nc4 d6 15.Na5 Bd7 16.Nd2 Ra8 17.b4 Nf4 18.Ndc4 Qg5 19.Ne3 Nxg2 20.Kh1 Nxe3 21.fxe3 Qxe3 22.Qc2 Bh3 23.Nc4 Qg5 24.Rg1 Qf4 25.Rg3 Bg4 26.Ne3 Bf3+ 27.Kg1 Bxe4 28.Qe2 d5 29.a4 Rf6 30.Rf1 Qh6 31.Ng4 Rxf1+ 32.Qxf1 Qe6 33.Ne3 c5 34.bxc5 a5 35.Ng4 c6 36.Nf2 Bg6 37.Qe2 Qe7 38.Qe3 Rf8 39.Ng4 Be4 40.Rh3 Qf7 41.Nf2 Qf4 42.Nxe4 Qf1# 0-1 (42) Messsi2023 (2624)-slouuurps (2769) Blitz 2024]
[11.h4 exd4 12.cxd4 d5 13.h5 Nge7 14.h6 g6 15.e5 Nf5 16.Bxc6 bxc6 17.exf6 c5 18.Bg5 cxd4 19.Nb3 c5 20.Qd2 Qd6 21.Rac1 c4 22.Nbxd4 Nxd4 23.Nxd4 Bb8 24.Nf3 Bg4 25.Qd4 Rf7 26.Qxg4 Ba7 27.Rfe1 Rb8 28.Re7 1-0 (28) Gettingold72 (2618)-gmmitkov (2552) Blitz 2023]
11...exd4
[11...d6 12.d5 Nce7 13.Bxa7 Rxa7 14.g3 h6 15.Bc2 Bg4 16.Qe3 Ra8 17.Kg2 Qd7 18.Ng1 f5 19.f3 f4 20.Qe2 Bh5 21.Kh1 fxg3 22.hxg3 Rf6 23.Qh2 Nf4 24.gxf4 Rxf4 25.Qxh5 Kh7 26.Rf2 Ng6 27.Rh2 Raf8 28.Ne2 R4f5 29.exf5 1-0 (29) Saparmyrat (2684)-srihari241105 (2701) Blitz 2024]
12.cxd4 d5 13.Rac1 Nb4 14.a3 dxe4 15.axb4 exf3 16.Qxf3 c6 17.Ne4 f5 18.Nc5 f4 19.Bd2 Nh4 20.Qe4 Bf5 21.Qxf4 Bb8 22.Qg5 Qd6 23.Qxh4 1-0 (23) Kostik_Mostik (2871)-KKlie4 (2847) Blitz 2023
10...exd4 11.cxd4 d5 12.exd5 Nce7 13.d6 Qxd6 14.Ne4 Qd8 15.Nc5 Nd5 16.Re1 c6 17.Nd2 f5 18.Nf3 f4 19.Bd2 Bg4 20.Ne6 Qf6 21.Nxf8 Rxf8 22.h3 Bh5 23.Qe2 Nh4 24.Bc2 Bxf3 25.gxf3 Qg5+ 0-1 (25) Heart_of_Fire_Cat (2657)-

slouuurps (2674) Blitz 2025

84 **11.Bb3+** Kh8 12.Re1
[12.h4 Bg4 13.Qc2 f5 14.Nh2 Qxh4 15.Nxg4 fxg4 16.Qd3 g3 17.fxg3 Qxg3 18.Rxf8+ Rxf8 19.Rf1 exd4 20.Rxf8+ Nxf8 21.cxd4 Qxe3+ 22.Qxe3 Bxd4 23.Kf2 Ng6 24.Nf3 Bxe3+ 25.Kxe3 Nge5 26.Ng5 Nd8 27.Nh3 c6 28.Ng1 g6 29.Ne2 Kg7 30.Nd4 Kf6 31.Bg8 h6 32.Bb3 Ke7 33.g3 h5 34.Ne2 g5 35.Nd4 Kf6 36.Bd1 h4 37.gxh4 gxh4 38.Nf5 h3 39.Kf2 d5 40.Kg3 dxe4 41.Nd6 e3 42.Kxh3 Nd3 43.Kg3 Nxb2 44.Be2 Ke5 45.Nc8 Kd4 46.Ne7 Kc3 47.Kf3 Kd2 48.Nf5 Ne6 49.Bf1 Nd1 50.Nd6 b5 51.Ke4 e2 52.Bxe2 Kxe2 53.Ke5 Nc7 54.Kd4 Ne6+ 55.Ke5 Nc5 56.Kd4 Nd7 57.Nb7 Kd2 58.Na5 Nc3 59.Nxc6 Kc2 60.Nb4+ Kb2 61.Nxa6 Nxa2 62.Nc7 b4 63.Na6 b3 64.Nc7 Nb4 65.Nb5 Nc6+ 0-1 (65) k_zhitnik (2635)-QWERT0808 (2491) Blitz 2025]
12...Nce7
[12...Qe8 13.h3 Nd8 *(13...Nce7 14.Nf1 b5 15.Ng3 Bb7 16.a4 Bb6 17.Qd2 Rd8 18.a5 Ba7 19.h4 d5 20.exd5 Nxd5 21.Bc2 Qc6 22.Be4 Ngf4 23.dxe5 fxe5 24.Bxa7 Qf6 25.Qc2 h6 26.Bc5 Nxg2 27.Kxg2 Nf4+ 28.Kh2 Bxe4 29.Qxe4 Rd3 30.Bxf8 Rxf3 31.Qxf3 Qxh4+ 32.Kg1 Nh3+ 33.Kf1 Qg5 34.Qf5 Qh4 35.Qf7* 1-0 (35) Bortnyk,O (2604)-Bilych,O (2311) chess.com INT 2021*)* 14.Nf1 Ne6 15.Ng3 Nef4 16.Qd2 Bd7 17.Nf5 Rd8 18.Rad1 Bb8 19.d5 Nh5 20.Kh2 Ngf4 21.g4 g6 22.Ng3 Ng7 23.Bxf4 exf4 24.Qxf4 Ba7 25.Kg2 Qf7 26.Nd4 Rde8 27.Bc2 Qg8 28.Qf3 Re7 29.b4 Re5 30.Kh2 h5 31.gxh5 Nxh5 32.Rg1 Qh7 33.Nxh5 Rxh5 34.Rg3 Qh6 35.Ne6 Bxe6 36.dxe6 Re5 37.Rdg1 g5 38.h4 Kg7 39.Rh3 Rh8 40.Rgg3 Qg6 41.Kg2 Kf8 42.hxg5 Rxh3 43.Rxh3 Rxg5+ 44.Kf1 Rg1+ 45.Ke2 Rg2 46.Rh6 Qxh6 47.Qxg2 Qh5+ 48.Kd3 Qb5+ 49.c4 Qe5 50.Bb3 Qd4+ 51.Ke2 Qb2+ 52.Kf3 Qd2 53.e7+ Kxe7 54.Qg7+ Ke8 55.c5 Qd3+ 56.Kf4 Qd2+ 57.Kf5 Qg5+ 58.Qxg5 fxg5 59.Kxg5 dxc5 60.bxc5 Bxc5 61.f4 b5 62.e5 Be3 63.Kf5 c5 64.Ke4 Bc1 65.Bd5 c4 66.Bb7 c3 67.Bxa6 Bxf4 68.Bxb5+ Kd8 69.Bd3 Bh6 70.Kd5 Bg7 71.a4 Kc7 72.e6 Bf6 73.Bc2 Be7 74.Ke5 Kc6 75.Bb3 Kc5 76.Bd1 Kc4 77.Bc2 Kc5 78.Kf5 Kd5 79.a5 Kc5 80.Bd3 c2 81.Bxc2 Kb5 82.Kg6 Kxa5 83.Kf7 Bd6 84.Bf5 Kb6 85.Ke8 Kc5 86.Kd7 Kd5 87.Be4+ Ke5 88.Bc6 Bc5 89.Bb7 Kf6 90.Bg2 Be7 91.Bh1 Bf8 92.Bd5 Be7 93.Bb7 Ba3 94.Bc6 Be7 95.Bf3 Ba3 96.Bg2 Be7 97.Bh3 Ba3 98.Bf1 Be7 99.Be2 Ba3 100.e7 Bxe7 ½-½ (100) Vachier Lagrave,M (2736)-Nihal,S (2692) Riyadh KSA 2025]
[12...exd4 13.Nxd4 Nxd4 14.cxd4 f5 15.exf5 Bxf5 16.Qh5 Qf6 17.Nf3 Nf4 18.Bxf4 Bg6 19.Qg5 Qxf4 20.Qxf4 Rxf4 21.Re7 Bb6 22.Bd5 Rb8 23.Rae1 h6 24.g3 Rf6 25.Nh4 Bh5 26.g4 g5 27.gxh5 gxh4 28.R1e4 c6 29.Be6 Rbf8 30.Rxb7 Bxd4 31.Rxd4 Rxe6 32.Kf1 Ref6 33.Rd2 d5 34.Rb6 h3 35.Rxa6 Rg8 36.Ra3 Rg4 37.Rxh3 Ra4 38.b3 Raf4 39.Rc3 Re6 40.Rdc2 Rff6 41.a4 Kg7 42.a5 d4 43.Rd3 Rf5 44.b4 Rxh5 45.Rxd4 Rxh2 46.Ra2 h5 47.a6 h4 48.Kg1 Rh3 49.Kg2 Rb3 50.Rg4+ 1-0 (50) Vachier-

Lagrave,M (2732)-Le Tuan,M (2567) chess.com INT 2024]
[12...Bd7 13.a4 *(13.a3 Qe7 14.Nf1 Bb6 15.Ng3 Rae8 16.Nf5 Qd8 17.d5 Nce7 18.Bxb6 cxb6 19.Nxd6 f5 20.Nxe8 Qxe8 21.exf5 Nxf5 22.Bc2 Nf4 23.Nxe5 Bc8 24.d6 Bd7 25.Nxd7 Qxd7 26.Bxf5 Qxf5 27.Qf3 h6 28.Rad1 Qd7 29.Re7 Qf5 30.d7 Nh3+ 31.Qxh3 Qxf2+* 0-1 (31) AimlessTractor (2643)-spectraline (2557) Blitz 2024*)* 13...Qe7 14.Bd5 Bg4 15.h3 Bd7 16.b4 Nd8 17.Qc2 c6 18.Bb3 Ne6 19.a5 Nef4 20.Kh2 Qd8 21.Ng1 Qc8 22.Nc4 Qc7 23.dxe5 fxe5 24.Bb6 Bxb6 25.axb6 Qb8 26.g3 d5 27.Na5 dxe4 28.gxf4 Nxf4 29.Qxe4 Ng6 30.Ra2 Bf5 31.Qe3 e4+ 32.Qg3 Qe8 33.Nxb7 Qe7 34.Nd6 Rad8 35.Nxf5 Rxf5 36.Rae2 Qf6 37.b7 h5 38.b8Q Rxb8 39.Qxb8+ Kh7 40.Bg8+ Kh6 41.Qg3 Ne5 42.Rxe4 Rg5 43.Qe3 Ng6 44.Nf3 h4 45.Rg1 Qd6+ 46.Kh1 Qf6 47.Rxg5 1-0 (47) theprestige2021 (2650)-GOOOOOOAL (2590) Blitz 2021]
[12...f5 13.exf5 Bxf5 14.dxe5 Bxe3 15.Rxe3 Ncxe5 16.Nxe5 Nxe5 17.Nf3 Bg4 18.Bd5 c6 19.Be4 d5 20.h3 Bxf3 21.Bxf3 Nxf3+ 22.Rxf3 Rxf3 23.Qxf3 Qe7 24.Qe3 Qxe3 25.fxe3 Re8 26.Rf1 Kg8 27.Kf2 Rf8+ 28.Ke2 Rxf1 29.Kxf1 Kf7 30.Ke2 Ke6 31.Kd3 Ke5 32.a4 a5 33.b4 b6 34.bxa5 bxa5 35.c4 g5 36.cxd5 cxd5 37.Kc3 Ke4 38.Kd2 d4 39.exd4 Kxd4 40.Ke2 Kc4 41.Kf3 Kb4 42.Kg4 Kxa4 43.Kxg5 Kb5 44.Kh6 a4 45.g4 a3 46.g5 a2 47.Kxh7 a1Q 48.g6 Qb1 49.h4 Kc6 50.h5 Kd6 51.Kh8 Qf5 52.h6 Qxg6 53.h7 Qe8+ 54.Kg7 Qe7+ 55.Kg6 Qf8 56.Kh5 Qh8 57.Kg6 Ke6 58.Kh6 Kf6 59.Kh5 Qxh7+ 60.Kg4 Qe4+ 61.Kg3 Kf5 62.Kh2 Qd3 63.Kg1 ½-½ (63) Pescaderocalvo (2631)-voraylk (2603) Blitz 2024]
13.dxe5 fxe5 14.Ng5 Qe8 15.Nxh7 Nf4 16.Nxf8 Qxf8 17.Bxf4 1-0 (17) WackCakeHack (2746)-spectraline (2550) Blitz 2022
11.b4 Kh8
[11...Qe7 12.Bb3+ Kh8 13.a3 Nd8 14.Re1 Ne6 15.Nf1 Nef4 16.Ng3 Bd7 17.Nf5 Qd8 18.g3 Nh3+ 19.Kg2 Ne7 20.N3h4 g6 21.Nh6 Qe8 22.Ra2 Rd8 23.Rd2 Bc8 24.Nf3 Kg7 25.dxe5 fxe5 26.Bxa7 Kxh6 27.Be3+ Kg7 28.Ng1 Qd7 29.f3 Ng8 30.Nxh3 Qxh3+ 31.Kg1 Nf6 32.Rf2 Be6 33.Bxe6 Qxe6 34.Qd2 Rf7 35.Ref1 Kg8 36.Kg2 Re8 37.h4 c6 38.Bg5 d5 39.Qe2 Ree7 40.g4 Rd7 41.h5 dxe4 42.fxe4 Qxg4+ 43.Qxg4 Nxg4 44.Rxf7 Rxf7 45.hxg6 hxg6 46.Rd1 Nf6 47.Rd8+ Kg7 48.Bxf6+ Rxf6 49.Rd7+ Rf7 50.Rd6 Re7 51.Kg3 Kf7 52.Kg4 Re6 53.Rd7+ Re7 0-1 (53) Vostanin (2728)-vovaches (2692) Blitz 2023]
[11...Bd7 12.Bb3+ Kh8 13.a3 Nce7 14.Re1 exd4 15.cxd4 d5 16.exd5 Bb5 17.Ne4 Nxd5 18.Nc5 Bc6 19.Ne6 Qd6 20.Nxf8 Rxf8 21.Nd2 b5 22.Qh5 Ndf4 23.Bxf4 Nxf4 24.Qg4 Bxd4 25.Rad1 Bxg2 26.Ne4 Bxe4 27.Rxe4 Bxf2+ 28.Kxf2 Nd3+ 29.Kg1 Qb6+ 30.Kg2 Qf2+ 31.Kh1 f5 32.Rf4 fxg4 33.Rxf8+ Qxf8 34.Bd5 Qf4 35.Rg1 Nf2+ 36.Kg2 Nh3 37.Rf1 Qd2+ 38.Kg3 Qd3+ 39.Kg2 h5 40.Rf8+ Kh7 41.Bg8+ Kh6 42.Rf7 Qe2+ 43.Kg3 Qe1+ 44.Kg2 Qe2+ 45.Kg3 Qe3+ 46.Kg2

Qg1# 0-1 (46) Vostanin (2626)-spectraline (2583) Blitz 2023]

12.Bc2

[12.a3 Nce7 13.Bb3 *(13.c4 exd4 14.Nxd4 f5 15.Nxf5 Nxf5 16.Bxa7 Rxa7 17.exf5 Bxf5 18.Bc2 Qg5 19.Nf3 Qh5 20.Bxf5 Qxf5 21.Nd4 Qf6 22.g3 Ne5 23.Rc1 Raa8 24.f4 Ng4 25.Qxg4 Qxd4+ 26.Rf2 Rae8 27.Rd1 Qxc4 28.Qf3 Re4 29.f5 d5 30.Kg2 c6 31.h4 Re5 32.h5 h6 33.g4 Re4 34.Kg3 Rfe8 35.Rd3 Rxg4+ 36.Qxg4 Qxd3+ 37.Rf3 Re3 38.Rxe3 Qxe3+ 39.Kh2 Qd2+ 40.Kh1 Qc1+ 41.Kh2 Qb2+ 42.Kh1 Qb1+ 43.Kh2 Qe4 44.Qg6 Qe5+ 45.Kh1 Qf6 46.Qe8+ Kh7 47.Qd7 b5 48.Kg2 Qg5+ 49.Kf3 Qxh5+ 50.Ke3 Qg5+ 51.Kd4 Qf6+ 52.Kc5 d4 53.Kb6 h5 54.Kxa6 Kh6 55.Kb6 Kg5 56.Qc8 h4 57.Qd7 h3 58.Qe8 c5+ 59.Kxc5 Qxf5+ 60.Kb6 Qg6+ 61.Qxg6+ Kxg6 62.a4 h2 63.a5 h1Q 64.a6 Qa8 65.Kxb5 d3 66.Ka5 d2 67.b5 d1Q 68.b6 Qdd5+* 0-1 (68) MR_HW (2692)-the_great_evil (2791) Blitz 2024*)* 13...exd4 14.Nxd4 d5 15.Re1 c6 16.c4 f5 17.Nxf5 Nxf5 18.Bxa7 Rxa7 19.exf5 Bxf5 20.cxd5 cxd5 21.Nf3 Be4 22.Nd2 Bf5 23.Nf3 Be4 24.Qd4 Ra8 25.Nd2 Qg5 26.Nxe4 dxe4 27.Qxe4 Nh4 28.Bd5 Nf3+ 29.Kh1 Nxe1 30.Rxe1 Rxf2 31.Bxb7 Raf8 32.Bxa6 Qd2 33.Bd3 R2f5 34.h3 h6 35.Kh2 Qf2 36.Rf1 Qxf1 37.Bxf1 Rxf1 38.b5 Ra1 39.Qb4 Rf2 40.b6 1-0 (40) Capadjo (2694)-spectraline (2576) Blitz 2024]

12...Bd7 13.a4 Nce7 14.Qe2 Qe8 15.h3 exd4 16.cxd4 f5 17.d5 Bxe3 18.fxe3 fxe4 19.Bxe4 Ng8 20.Qd3 Rf6 21.Ng5 Ne5 22.Qc2 h6 23.Ngf3 Rc8 24.Nd4 Rxf1+ 25.Rxf1 Nf6 26.Bd3 Bxa4 27.Qb1 Nxd5 28.Bf5 Bd7 29.Bxd7 Qxd7 30.e4 Nf6 31.Nf5 Rf8 32.Qc2 Ng8 33.Rf2 g6 34.Nh4 Rxf2 35.Kxf2 Kh7 36.Kg1 Qf7 37.Kh2 Nf6 38.Nhf3 Nxf3+ 39.gxf3 Qe7 40.f4 Ne8 41.Qd3 Ng7 42.Nf3 c6 43.f5 gxf5 44.exf5 Qf6 45.Kg2 Nxf5 46.Nh2 Qg6+ 47.Ng4 Nh4+ 0-1 (47) Assassinations (2745)-elconceto (2841) Blitz 2023

85 **11...Bd7** 12.Qb3+

[12.Nf1 Qe8 *(12...Nce7 13.Ng3 Bxa4 14.Qxa4 Qe8 15.Qb3+ Qf7 16.Qxb7 Rfb8 17.Qxc7 Rxb2 18.Qxd6 Rb6 19.Qa3 Rc6 20.d5 Rcc8 21.Bxa7 Rxa7 22.Rac1 f5 23.Ng5 Qf6 24.Ne6 Nf4 25.Nxf4 exf4 26.e5 Qf7 27.e6 Qf6 28.Nh5 Qg5 29.d6 Qxh5 30.dxe7 Re8 31.Qa4 f3 32.Re3 fxg2 33.Qd7 Raa8 34.Qd6 Ra7 35.Qd7 Raa8 36.Rg3 Qh4 37.Re1 Rxe7 38.Qd4 Qxd4 39.cxd4 Rd8 40.Rd3 Rd5 41.Kxg2 g5 42.Kf3 Kg7 43.Re5 Rxe5 44.dxe5 Rxe6 45.Rd5 Kf7 46.Ke3 Rb6 47.Kd4 Ke6 48.Rc5 Rb4+ 49.Kc3 Re4 50.Kd3 Rxe5 51.Rc6+ Kd5 52.Rxa6 Re1 53.Rh6 Ra1 54.Ra6 h5 55.Ra5+ Ke6 56.Ke3 Rd1 57.Kf3 Rd3+ 58.Kg2 Rd6 59.a4 Kf6 60.Rb5 Rd4 61.a5 f4 62.h3 Ra4 63.Kf3 Ra3+ 64.Ke4 g4 65.hxg4 hxg4 66.Kxf4 Ra4+ 67.Kg3 Ke6 68.Rg5 Kd6 69.a6 Ra5 70.Rxa5 Kc6 71.a7 Kb7 72.a8Q+ Kb6 73.Qa7+ Kc6 74.Ra6+ Kd5 75.Qb6 Ke4 76.Ra5 Kd3 77.Qb4 Ke2 78.Ra3 Kf1 79.Qb2 Kg1 80.Ra1#* 1-0 (80) LatinGirl (2623)-spectraline (2562) Blitz 2023*)* 13.Ng3 Nxd4 14.Bb3+ Nxb3 15.axb3 Bxe3

16.Rxe3 Bc6 17.b4 Rd8 18.c4 Nf4 19.b3 g6 20.Ne2 Ne6 21.Nc3 f5 22.Nd5 fxe4 23.Rxe4 Rd7 24.Qd2 Rxf3 25.gxf3 Qf8 26.Qd3 Rf7 27.Re3 Nd4 28.f4 Bxd5 29.cxd5 Rxf4 30.Rf1 Nf3+ 31.Kg2 Nh4+ 32.Kg1 Qh6 33.Qc3 Qh5 34.Rh3 Nf3+ 35.Kg2 Nh4+ 36.Kh1 Qf5 37.Kg1 e4 38.Rg3 Nf3+ 39.Kg2 Rh4 40.h3 Qxd5 41.Qxc7 Rf4 42.Qd8+ Rf8 43.Qa5 Qe6 44.Qb6 Kg7 45.Qe3 Rf7 46.Rd1 d5 47.Qc3+ Kh6 48.Qe3+ g5 49.Kh1 Qf5 50.Rf1 d4 51.Qc1 Nh4 52.Qc5 Qxc5 53.bxc5 e3 54.Kg1 e2 55.Rd3 Nf3+ 56.Kg2 exf1Q+ 57.Kxf1 Ne5 58.Rxd4 Nc6 59.Rd6+ Kh5 60.Rd5 Rf4 61.h4 Rxh4 62.Rd6 Rf4 63.Rd7 Rf5 64.Rxb7 Kg4 65.Rb6 Kf4 66.Rxc6 Rxc5 67.Rd6 Rc6 68.Rd4+ 1-0 (68) Lunaticxxx (2726)-NTDVAN (2662) Blitz 2021]

[12.Rc1 Kh8 13.Nf1 Bg4 14.Bxc6 bxc6 15.h3 Bd7 16.Ng3 a5 17.b3 Qe8 18.Qd2 Ne7 19.c4 exd4 20.Bxd4 Bxd4 21.Nxd4 c5 22.Nc2 a4 23.Ne3 axb3 24.axb3 Rb8 25.Rc3 Be6 26.Nd5 Qd8 27.Kh2 Nc6 28.Nf4 Bf7 29.Nf5 Qd7 30.Rg3 g6 31.Nh6 Nd4 32.Nd5 Be6 33.b4 c6 34.bxc5 dxc5 35.Qf4 cxd5 36.cxd5 Bg8 37.e5 fxe5 38.Qxe5+ Qg7 39.Qg5 Rbd8 40.Re7 Qf6 41.Qe3 Bxd5 42.Ng4 Qf4 43.Qe5+ Qxe5 44.Nxe5 Nf5 0-1 (44) DmDonCh (2725)-elconceto (2871) Blitz 2023]

[12.h4 Kh8 13.h5 Nge7 14.h6 g5 15.d5 Nb8 16.Bc2 Ng8 17.Nh2 Nxh6 18.Qh5 Kg7 19.Bxa7 Rxa7 20.Re3 Qe8 21.Qe2 Qg6 22.Ndf1 Ra8 23.Ng3 Kh8 24.Re1 a5 25.f3 Na6 26.Ng4 Ng8 27.Kf2 h5 28.Rh1 h4 29.Nf5 Rf7 30.g3 Rh7 31.gxh4 gxh4 32.Nxh4 Qg5 33.Kg3 Nh6 34.Ng2 Rg8 35.Bd1 f5 36.exf5 Nxf5+ 37.Kf2 0-1 (37) OptimistischesSchach (2718)-toomanymanoevres (2923) Blitz 2023]

[12.d5 Nce7 13.Bxd7 *(13.Bxa7 Rxa7 14.c4 Qe8 15.Bxd7 Qxd7 16.Rc1 b6 17.b4 a5 18.a3 axb4 19.axb4 f5 20.c5 bxc5 21.bxc5 fxe4 22.Nxe4 Nf4 23.cxd6 cxd6 24.g3 Nfxd5 25.Kg2 Ra2 26.Qb3 Qa7 27.Rc7 Rxf2+ 28.Nxf2 Qxc7 29.Rd1 Qc6 30.Ne4 Kh8 31.Nfg5 h6 32.Ne6 Re8 33.Qf3 Nf5 34.Kh3 Nde3 35.Rd3 Rxe6 36.g4 d5 37.gxf5 dxe4 38.Rd8+ Re8 39.Rxe8+ Qxe8 40.Qxe3 Qh5+ 41.Kg3 Qxf5 42.Qc5 Qf4+ 43.Kg2 e3 44.Qc8+ Kh7 45.Qc4 Qxc4 46.Kf3 Qf4+* Normal 0-1 (46) ute-manfred (2613)-simplesimpson03 (2504) Blitz 2024*)* 13...Qxd7 14.c4 h6 15.Rc1 f5 16.Bxa7 Rxa7 17.c5 f4 18.cxd6 cxd6 19.Qc2 b5 20.Nb3 a5 21.Qd2 Rfa8 22.Rc2 Nh8 23.Rec1 g5 24.Ne1 g4 25.Qd3 Nhg6 26.Nd2 f3 27.g3 h5 28.Qe3 Kf7 29.Nd3 h4 30.Qb6 hxg3 31.fxg3 Rb7 32.Rc7 Rxb6 33.Rxd7 Nf8 34.Rdc7 Ke8 35.Nf2 Nd7 36.Nxg4 Nc5 37.Nb3 Nxe4 38.Re1 Nxd5 39.Rh7 Ndf6 40.Nxf6+ Nxf6 41.Rh8+ Kf7 42.Rxa8 e4 43.Nd2 d5 44.Ra7+ Kg6 45.Rxa5 Re6 46.Rxb5 d4 47.h4 Ng4 48.Rg5+ Kh6 49.Rxg4 Rf6 50.Nxe4 f2+ 51.Nxf2 Rf3 52.Re5 Re3 53.Rxe3 dxe3 54.Re4 e2 55.Rxe2 1-0 (55) MaLeKkoNihli (2643)-MI-DTB (2646) Blitz 2022]

[12.b4 Kh8 13.Bb3 Nce7 14.h4

Bg4 15.Qc2 Qd7 16.Nh2 Nxh4 17.Nxg4 Qxg4 18.g3 f5 19.Be6 Rf6 20.exf5 Nexf5 21.Bxf5 Rxf5 22.Qd1 Qg6 23.dxe5 Bxe3 24.Rxe3 dxe5 25.Kf1 Raf8 26.gxh4 Rxf2+ Normal 0-1 (26) Fermalu (2635)-spectraline (2562) Blitz 2024]

12...Kh8 13.Qxb7 Na5

[13...Nxd4 14.Bxd7 Nxf3+ 15.Nxf3 Bxe3 16.Bc6 Ra7 17.Qb3 Bb6 18.Rad1 Qe7 19.g3 f5 20.exf5 Rxf5 21.Qc2 Rf8 22.Qe4 a5 23.a4 Qf6 24.Re2 Ne7 25.Kg2 Nxc6 26.Qxc6 Raa8 27.Qe4 Rae8 28.h4 h6 29.h5 Rf7 30.Nh4 Qg5 31.Qg6 Qxg6 32.Nxg6+ Kg8 33.Rd5 Rf5 34.g4 Rf6 35.f3 Rf7 36.b4 axb4 37.cxb4 Ra8 38.a5 Bd4 39.f4 Rb8 40.b5 Ra8 41.a6 Rd7 42.fxe5 Rf7 43.e6 Normal 1-0 (43) ViejoTortuga (2769)-Calzonesdesuperman (2619) Blitz 2024]

[13...Bb6 14.Bxc6 Ra7 15.Qxa7 Bxa7 16.Bd5 Qb8 17.Rab1 Ne7 18.Bc4 Bb5 19.Bb3 Ng6 20.Bc2 Bd7 21.h3 Qc8 22.Nf1 Bb8 23.Ng3 c6 24.Rbd1 Be6 25.b3 a5 26.Rd2 h6 27.Red1 Bc7 28.Nh2 Nf4 29.Nf5 Ng6 30.Ng4 Kh7 31.dxe5 dxe5 32.Bc5 Re8 33.Nge3 Nf4 34.Kh2 g6 35.Ng3 h5 36.Bd6 Bb6 37.c4 Bxh3 38.c5 Bxg2 39.cxb6 Qh3+ 40.Kg1 h4 41.f3 Bxf3 42.Ngf1 Qh1+ 43.Kf2 Bxd1 44.Bxd1 Qxe4 45.Bf3 Qb1 46.b7 Nd3+ 47.Ke2 e4 48.Bxe4 Nc1+ 49.Kd1 Qxe4 50.Kxc1 c5 51.b8Q Rxb8 52.Bxb8 Qf3 53.Rd7+ Kh6 54.Rd2 g5 55.Bh2 Kg6 56.Bg1 Qc6 57.Bf2 c4 58.Be1 cxb3+ 59.Kb2 bxa2 60.Kxa2 a4 61.Kb2 Qe6 62.Kc1 Qb6 63.Nc2 Qe6 64.Nfe3 a3 65.Nd4 a2 66.Rc2 a1Q+ 67.Kd2 Qe4 68.Rc3 Qa4 69.Ke2 Qa2+ 70.Bd2 Qxd2+ 71.Kxd2 Qf4 72.Kd3 Qe4+ 73.Kxe4 f5+ 74.Kd3 g4 75.Rc6+ Kg5 76.Ndxf5 Kf4 77.Rc5 g3 78.Rc4+ Kf3 79.Nd5 1-0 (79) Chess_Ark (2755)-Calzonesdesuperman (2598) Blitz 2024]

14.Qb4 c5 15.dxc5

[15.Qa3 Nc6 16.dxc5 Bxc5 17.Bxc5 dxc5 18.Qxc5 Nf4 19.Qe3 Qe8 20.Rad1 Rd8 21.Nc4 Qg6 22.g3 Nd4 23.Bxd7 Nc2 24.Qd2 Nxe1 25.Qxe1 Qh5 26.Nh4 Ne6 27.Ne3 Ng5 28.Bg4 Qf7 29.Nd5 Qb7 30.Qe2 g6 31.b4 f5 32.Bf3 fxe4 33.Bxe4 Qa7 34.Nf3 Nxf3+ 35.Bxf3 Rde8 36.Bg2 e4 37.Qe3 Qg7 38.Qd4 Re5 39.Ne3 Rfe8 40.Ng4 R5e6 41.Qxg7+ Kxg7 42.Rd7+ R8e7 43.Rxe7+ Rxe7 44.Ne3 h5 45.Nd5 Rd7 46.c4 e3 47.Be4 e2 48.Kg2 e1Q 49.Bf3 Rf7 50.c5 Rxf3 51.Ne3 Qxf2+ 52.Kh3 Qxe3 53.Kh4 Qe6 54.g4 Qxg4# 0-1 (54) Zeveraar-Glen (2666)-guirepa (2721) Blitz 2021]

15...Rb8 16.Bxd7 Rxb4 17.cxb4 Qxd7 18.bxa5 Bxc5 19.Bxc5 dxc5 20.Nc4 Nf4 21.g3 Qh3 22.Ne3 Ne6 23.b3 Nd4 24.Nxd4 cxd4 25.Nc4 Qg4 26.Kg2 h5 27.h3 Qg6 28.Rad1 h4 29.g4 Qg5 30.Rd3 Rc8 31.Re2 Qc1 32.Rdd2 Qc3 33.Rc2 Qb4 34.Red2 Kh7 35.Kf1 Kg6 36.Ke2 Kh7 37.Rd3 g6 38.Rf3 Qe7 39.Kd1 Qb7 40.Nd6 Qd7 41.Nxc8 Qb5 42.Rc4 Qxa5 43.a4 1-0 (43) Pitouro (2801)-MI-DTB (2659) Blitz 2023

11...Qe7 12.Nf1 Kh8 13.Ng3 Nd8 14.Nf5 Qf7 15.dxe5 fxe5 16.Bxa7 Rxa7 17.Bb3 Qf6 18.Ne3 Nf4 19.Nd5 Nxd5 20.Qxd5 Ne6 21.Qd2 Nf4 22.Re3 Ra8 23.Bc4 Bd7 24.Bf1 Rae8

25.Ne1 Bc6 26.Nd3 Qg6 27.g3 Bxe4 28.Rxe4 Qxe4 29.gxf4 exf4 30.Re1 Qg6+ 31.Kh1 Rxe1 32.Nxe1 Qe4+ 33.f3 Qb1 34.Kg2 Qxa2 35.Nd3 Qf7 36.Nf2 h6 37.Bd3 b5 38.Bc2 g6 39.Qd4+ Qf6 40.Qd3 Kg7 41.Ne4 Qe5 42.b4 Re8 43.Nf2 Re6 44.h3 h5 45.h4 c5 46.bxc5 dxc5 47.Qd7+ Re7 48.Qd3 Qf5 49.Ne4 Qe5 50.Qd8 b4 51.cxb4 cxb4 52.Bb3 a5 53.Qg8+ Kh6 54.Qf8+ Rg7 55.Qh8+ Rh7 56.Qxe5 1-0 (56) Doccy1 (2707)-HorstBrack (2603) Blitz 2022

11...Bg4 12.Qb3+ Kh8 13.Qxb7 Na5 14.Qb4 c6 15.Qa3 exd4 16.Nxd4 Ne5 17.b3 c5 18.Nc2 f5 19.f3 Bh5 20.exf5 Qh4 21.c4 Rxf5 22.Bd7 Rxf3 23.Qxa5 Rf7 24.Bh3 Raf8 25.Qc3 Bg4 26.Bxg4 Nxg4 27.h3 d5 28.cxd5 Bb8 29.Nf1 Nh2 30.Nxh2 Qg3 31.Nf1 Rxf1+ 32.Rxf1 Qh2# 0-1 (32) MrSuccess (2688)-ba6yshka (2612) Blitz 2021

11...exd4 12.cxd4 Bd7 13.d5 Bxe3 14.Rxe3 Nce5 15.Bxd7 Nxf3+ 16.Nxf3 Qxd7 17.Nd4 Rfe8 18.Rc1 Rac8 19.Qb3 b5 20.Rc6 Ra8 21.Qc2 Ra7 22.g3 Ne5 23.Rcc3 Qh3 24.f3 Re7 25.Ne6 Nc4 26.Re1 c5 27.g4 Qh6 28.b3 Ne5 29.Qc1 Qxc1 30.Rexc1 Nd7 31.Kf2 Nf8 32.Nf4 g5 33.Ne2 Ng6 34.Ng3 Ne5 35.Nf5 Red7 36.h4 gxh4 37.Rh1 Ng6 38.Rcc1 a5 39.a4 bxa4 40.bxa4 Rab7 41.Rb1 Rb4 42.Rxb4 axb4 43.a5 Ra7 44.Ra1 Ra6 45.Ne3 Ne5 46.f4 Nd3+ 47.Kf3 b3 48.Nc4 h3 49.Ke3 Nb4 50.Rb1 Nc2+ 51.Kd2 Nd4 52.Kc3 Ne2+ 53.Kxb3 Nxf4 54.Ka4 Ra8 55.Rh1 Ra6 56.Kb5 Ra8 57.a6 Ne2 58.Kb6 Nc3 59.Kb7 Re8 60.Nxd6 1-0 (60) Fratz71 (2613)-Mr_fix_01 (2490) Blitz 2024

12.Bc2 Kuzmin, Alexey: 'is less precise.'

[12.h3

A) 12...h6

A1) 13.Nf1 Nce7 *(13...f5 14.exf5 Bxf5 15.Ng3 Bd7 16.dxe5 Bxe3 17.Rxe3 Ncxe5 18.Bc2 Bc6 19.Nd4 Qf6 20.Qe1 Bd5 21.Ne4 Qh4 22.Rg3 Nf4 23.b3 b6 24.c4 Bb7 25.Qe3 Rae8 26.Re1 Nh5 27.Nf3 Qf4 28.Nxe5 Rxe5 29.Rf3 Bxe4 30.Bxe4 Qxf3 31.gxf3 Nf4 32.Kh2 Rh5 33.Rh1 Re8 34.Kg1 Rg5+ 35.Kf1 Nh5 36.h4 Rge5 37.Qd4 Nf6 38.Rg1 R8e6 39.Kg2 Nxe4 40.fxe4 Rxe4 41.Qd5 Rxh4 42.Kf3 Re5 43.Qf7 Kh7 44.Qxg7# 1-0 (44) LabutinAa (2623)-mocaspoke (2578) Blitz 2021)* 14.Ng3 exd4 15.cxd4 d5 16.Bc2 dxe4 17.Nxe4 f5 18.Nc5 f4 19.Bd2 Qd6 20.Bb4 a5 21.Ba3 Qd5 22.Be4 Qh5 23.Nxb7 Rb8 24.Bxg6 Nxg6 25.Ne5 Qf5 26.Bxf8 Bxb7 27.Bc5 Bxc5 28.Qg4 Qxg4 29.hxg4 Nxe5 30.dxc5 Nxg4 31.Re7 c6 32.Rae1 Ba6 33.Re8+ Rxe8 34.Rxe8+ Kh7 35.Re6 Bb5 36.b3 a4 37.bxa4 Bxa4 38.Re4 Bb5 39.a4 Bd3 40.Rxf4 Nf6 41.a5 Nd7 42.Rd4 Nxc5 43.Rxd3 Nxd3 44.a6 1-0 (44) AvoNSWFins0034 (2730)-Nebonik (2460) Blitz 2024;

A2) 13.Rc1 Bd7 *(13...f5 14.Bxc6 bxc6 15.exf5 Bxf5 16.dxe5 Bxe3 17.Rxe3 dxe5 18.Nxe5 Nf4 19.Ndf3 Qf6 20.Qd4 Rae8 21.Qxf4*

1-0 (21) sonnythehedgehog (2744)-spectraline (2591) Blitz 2024) 14.Bc2 Qe8 15.Nf1 Nce7 16.Ng3 a5 17.c4 Nf4 18.Qd2 g5 19.c5 Be6 20.cxd6 cxd6 21.d5 Bd7 22.Bxa7 Rxa7 23.Qe3 Ra6 24.Bd3 Ra8 25.Bf1 Qd8 26.Rc3 f5 27.exf5 Nexd5 28.Qd2 Nxc3 29.bxc3 Bxf5 30.c4 Bg6 31.c5 dxc5 32.Qb2 Qf6 33.Nxe5 Bh7 34.Qxb7 Nxh3+ 35.Kh2 Nf4 36.Bc4 Bg8 37.Bxg8 Kxg8 38.f3 Qg7 39.Qb5 Rae8 40.Qc4+ Kh7 41.Qxc5 Re6 42.Qc2+ Kg8 43.Qc4 Rfe8 44.Ng4 Qf7 45.Rxe6 Rxe6 46.Qc8+ Kh7 47.Qc2+ Kg7 48.Qc3+ Kg8 49.Qc8+ Qe8 50.Qc2 h5 51.Nf5 hxg4 52.Qc3 Qf8 53.fxg4 Rh6+ 0-1 (53) vistagusta (2844)-EvilGenius94 (2892) Blitz 2024;

B) 12...b5 13.Bc2 Bb7 14.Nf1 Nce7 15.Ng3 c5 16.Qd2 Qc7 17.a4 Bb6 18.Rad1 cxd4 19.cxd4 Rfc8 20.Bb3 Ba5 21.Qe2 Bxe1 22.Rxe1 bxa4 23.Bxa4 Bc6 24.Bxc6 Qxc6 25.h4 Qb5 26.Qd1 Qxb2 27.h5 Nf4 28.Bxf4 exf4 29.Ne2 Qc2 30.Qa1 Qxe4 31.h6 Nd5 32.hxg7+ Kxg7 33.Ng3 Qg6 34.Nh4 Qf7 35.Ngf5+ Kh8 36.Nxd6 Qh5 37.Nxc8 Rxc8 38.Qa5 Rg8 39.Rc1 f3 40.g3 Qxh4 41.Rc8 Qxd4 42.Rxg8+ Kxg8 43.Qxa6 Qe4 44.Qc8+ Kg7 45.Qd7+ Ne7 46.Kh2 h5 47.Kg1 h4 48.gxh4 Qg6+ 49.Kf1 Qb1+ 0-1 (49) Gbeto (2773)-IWANNABEADOORED (2835) Blitz 2021;

C) 12...Nce7 13.Nf1 *(13.a3 exd4 14.cxd4 d5 15.Rc1 c6 16.b4 Be6 17.e5 Nf5 18.exf6 Qxf6 19.Bg5 Qf7 20.Be3 Rae8 21.Nf1 Nxe3 22.Rxe3 Bf5 23.Rxe8 Rxe8 24.Ne3 Be4 25.Ng5 Qf6 26.Qh5 h6 27.Nxe4 Rxe4 28.Bc2 Nf4 29.Qf3 Re8 30.Kh1 Rf8 31.Nf5 Ne6 32.Rd1 Nxd4 33.Nxd4 Bxd4 34.Qd3 Kg8 35.Qxd4 Qxd4 36.Rxd4 Rxf2 37.Bd1 Kf7 38.Bg4 Ke7 39.Bc8 b5 40.Rg4 g5 41.h4 gxh4 42.Rg7+ Kd6 43.Rd7+ Ke5 44.Rc7 Kd6 45.Rd7+ Ke5 46.Rc7 Kd6 47.Rd7+ ½-½* (47) oyoy23 (2722)-Dictator02 (2671) Blitz 2024 *)*

C1) 13...b5 14.Bb3 c5 15.Ng3 Qc7 16.Qd2 Bb7 17.Rad1 Rad8 18.h4 cxd4 19.cxd4 d5 20.exd5 Nxd5 21.h5 Ngf4 22.h6 Nxg2 23.hxg7+ Qxg7 24.Kxg2 Qg4 25.Qe2 Nf4+ 26.Bxf4 exf4 27.d5 fxg3 28.fxg3 Bb8 29.Qf2 Rg8 30.Rd4 Qxg3+ 31.Qxg3 Bxg3 32.Re7 Bd6+ 0-1 (32) abyssus (2671)-Stoichess (2656) Blitz 2021;

C2) 13...f5 14.dxe5 Bxe3 *(14...fxe4 15.exd6 cxd6 16.Bxa7 exf3 17.Bd4 fxg2 18.Ng3 Nf5 19.Bc2 Qg5 20.Qg4 Qxg4 21.hxg4 Nxg3 22.Bxg6 hxg6 23.fxg3 Bxg4 24.Re7 Rf1+ 25.Rxf1 gxf1Q+ 26.Kxf1 Kh7 27.Rxg7+ Kh6 28.Rxb7 g5 29.Rb6 Bf3 30.Rxd6+ Kh5 31.Be5 Kg4 32.Re6 Rd8 33.b4 Rd2 34.a4 Ra2 35.a5 Bd5 36.Rf6 Bc4+ 37.Kg1 Re2 38.Bd6 Kh3 39.Rh6+ Kg4 40.Rf6 Kh3 41.Rh6+ Kg4 42.Bc7 Rc2*

43.Be5 Re2 44.Bd6 Rd2 45.Rf6 Kh3 46.Rh6+ Kg4 47.Rf6 Kh3 48.Rh6+ Kg4 ½-½ (48) MrOlka (2638)-spectraline (2589) Blitz 2024*)* 15.Rxe3 f4 16.Rd3 b5 17.Bb3 Bb7 18.exd6 cxd6 19.Rxd6 Qe8 20.Ng5 h6 21.Ne6 Rf6 22.Nc7 1-0 (22) Punisher00 (2657)-spectraline (2612) Blitz 2023;

C3) 13...exd4 14.cxd4 *(14.Nxd4 d5 15.Ng3 c6 16.Bc2 dxe4 17.Bxe4 f5 18.Ndxf5 Qxd1 19.Nxe7 Qxe1+ 20.Rxe1 Nxe7 21.Bxa7 Rxa7 22.Bb1 Nd5 23.c4 Nf6 24.Re7 Re8 25.Rf7 Kg8 26.Rc7 Ra8 27.Bd3 Be6 28.Rxb7 Rab8 29.Rc7 Rxb2 30.Rxc6 Rxa2 31.c5 a5 32.Kh2 Bf7 33.Nf5 Rd8 34.Nd6 Rxf2 35.Ra6 Bd5 36.Kg3 Rxg2+ 37.Kf4 Rf2+ 38.Ke5 Rf3 39.Bb5 Re3+ 40.Kd4 Ra3 41.Ra7 Be6 42.Re7 Bd7 43.Bc4+ Kh8 44.Nf7+ Kg8 45.Nxd8+ Kf8 46.Re1 Rxh3 47.c6 Bc8 48.c7 a4 49.Ne6+ Ke8 50.Nf4+ Kd7 51.Nxh3 Kxc7 52.Nf4 h5 53.Re7+ Kd6 54.Rxg7 Bg4 55.Rg6 Ke7 56.Nd5+ Nxd5 57.Bxd5 a3 58.Rg7+ Kf6 59.Ra7 Kg5 60.Rxa3 Kf4 61.Ra1 h4 62.Rf1+ Kg3 63.Ke3 h3 64.Rg1+ Kh4 65.Kf2 Bd7 66.Rh1 Bf5 67.Bg2 Bg4 68.Rh2 Bf5 69.Bxh3 Bxh3 70.Kf3 Kg5 71.Rxh3 Kf6 72.Rg3 Ke5 73.Rg5+ Kd4 74.Rg4+ Kc3 75.Re4 Kb3 76.Ke3 Kc3 77.Re8 Kc2 78.Rc8+ Kb2 79.Kd3 Ka2 80.Kc3 Kb1 81.Ra8* 1-0 (81) LSGeneraal (2736)-spectraline (2569) Blitz 2023*)* 14...f5 *(14...c6 15.Ng3 d5 16.e5 fxe5 17.dxe5 Bxe3 18.Rxe3 Nf4 19.Bc2 h6 20.Qd2 Be6 21.Rae1 c5 22.Bb1 d4 23.Re4 Neg6 24.Rc1 b6 25.Ree1 Nh4 26.Nxh4 Qxh4 27.Be4 Rad8 28.Rf1 c4 29.Qb4 b5 30.Rcd1 d3 31.Rd2 Bxh3 32.gxh3 Nxh3+ 33.Kg2 Nf4+ 34.Kg1 Nh3+ 35.Kg2 Nf4+ 36.Kg1 Nh3+* ½-½ (36) PFBC (2752)-KKlie4 (2839) Blitz 2023*)* 15.d5 *(15.exf5 Nxf5 16.Bg5* 1-0 (16) DoubleHelix2 (2635)-euler_lagrange (2341) Blitz 2024 *)* 15...fxe4 16.Ng5 Bxe3 17.Nxe3 h6 18.Qh5 Kg8 19.Nxe4 Nf4 20.Qd1 Neg6 21.Rc1 Nh4 22.f3 b5 23.Bb3 Qd7 24.Ng4 Nfxg2 25.Re2 Nf4 26.Rec2 Nxh3+ 27.Kh2 Nxf3+ 0-1 (27) Birani (2770)-NIndja64 (2891) Blitz 2021;

D) 12...f5 13.exf5 Bxf5 14.Bxc6 *(14.dxe5 Bxe3 15.Rxe3 Ngxe5 16.Bxc6 Nxc6 17.Nd4 Nxd4 18.cxd4 c5 19.dxc5 dxc5 20.Nc4 b5 21.Ne5 c4 22.a4 h6 23.axb5 axb5 24.Qe1 Rxa1 25.Qxa1 Qd2 26.Rf3 Rf6 27.Qa8+ Kh7 28.Qe8 Re6 29.Qxb5 Qe1+ 30.Kh2 Qxe5+* 0-1 (30) miki_train (2642)-Dictator02 (2693) Blitz 2024*; 14.Bc2 Qd7 15.d5 Nce7 16.Bxa7 Rxa7 17.Bxf5 Qxf5 18.Ne4 h6 19.Re3 Raa8 20.c4 b6 21.Qd2 Nf4 22.h4 Qg4 23.g3 Nf5 24.Nh2 Qg6 25.Ree1 Nxh4 26.Kh1 Rf5 27.f3 Nfg2 28.gxh4 Nxe1 29.Rxe1 Raf8 30.Rg1 Qh5 31.Qg2 R8f7 32.Qg3*

Rf4 33.Qg6 Qxg6 34.Rxg6 Rxh4 35.Kg2 Kh7 36.Re6 g5 37.Ng4 Kg7 38.b4 Rf4 39.Re7+ 1-0 (39) ma_long_ma (2605)-Ballsy_Binge (2607) Blitz 2023*)* 14...bxc6 15.dxe5 Bxe3 16.Rxe3 dxe5 *(16...Nf4 17.Qa4 Bd7 18.exd6 cxd6 19.Ne4 c5 20.Qd1 d5 21.Nxc5 Bxh3 22.gxh3 Nxh3+ 23.Kf1 Qb6 24.b4 Nf4 25.Qd4 Qh6 26.Ng1 Qh2 27.Rg3 Rf6 28.Nd7 Nh5 29.Rh3* 1-0 (29) LSGeneraal (2741)-ikica77 (2680) Blitz 2023*)* 17.Nxe5 *(17.Nc4 Qd5 18.Qxd5 cxd5 19.Ncxe5 Nf4 20.Nc6 Be4 21.Rd1 Nxh3+ 22.gxh3 Bxf3 23.Rd4 Be4 24.c4 Rf6 25.cxd5 Bxd5 26.Rxd5 Rxc6 27.Rd7 Rc2 28.Ree7 Rxb2 29.Rxg7 Rg8 30.Rxg8+ Kxg8 31.Rxc7 Rxa2 32.Kg2 a5 33.Kg3 a4 34.f4 a3 35.Kg4 Rg2+ 36.Kf5 a2 37.Ra7 Kh8 38.h4 Kg8 39.h5 Rb2 40.Kg5 Rg2+ 41.Kf6 h6 42.f5 Rb2 43.Kg6 Rg2+ 44.Kxh6 a1Q 45.Rxa1 Kf7 46.Ra6 Rg3 47.Rb6 Rf3 48.Kg5 Rg3+ 49.Kf4 Rg1 50.h6 Rf1+ 51.Kg5 Rg1+ 52.Kh4 Rh1+ 53.Kg4 Rg1+ 54.Kf3 Rh1 55.Ra6 Rh5 56.Kg4 Rh1 57.Ra7+ Kf6 58.h7* 1-0 (58) bohuprophecy (2639)-crazy_but_lazyy (2590) Blitz 2021*)* 17...Nxe5 18.Rxe5 Qf6 19.Nf3 *(19.Qe2 Rad8 20.Nb3 Qg6 21.Kh2 Qd6 22.Re1 Bd3 23.Qe3 Rf5 24.Kg1 Rdf8 25.Rxf5 Bxf5 26.Nd4 Bg6 27.Qe5 Qd7 28.Qe7 Qc8 29.Ne6 Rf7 30.Qd8+ Qxd8 31.Nxd8 Rf6 32.Nb7 Rf5 33.b4 Rd5 34.Nc5 a5 35.a4 axb4 36.cxb4 Rd4 37.Ra1 Rxb4 38.a5 Rb8 39.a6 Ra8 40.Re1 Kg8 41.Re7 Ra7 42.Re6 Kf7 43.Rxc6 Ke7 44.f3 Be8 45.Re6+ Kd8 46.Re2 Bf7 47.Rb2 c6 48.Rb7 Rxb7 49.Nxb7+ Kc7 50.Nd6 Bd5 51.a7 c5 52.Nf5 Kb6 53.Nxg7 Kxa7 54.Kf2 Kb6 55.Ke3 c4 56.Kd4 Bf7 57.Nf5 Kb5 58.Ne3 Kb4 59.Nd1 Kb3 60.Nc3 Bg6 61.g4 Bf7 62.f4 Bg6 63.f5 Bf7 64.g5 h5 65.g6 Bg8 66.f6 Kb2 67.f7 Bh7* 0-1 (67) ertras (2619)-Calzonesdesuperman (2557) Blitz 2023 *)* 19...Bxh3 20.gxh3 Qxf3 21.Qxf3 Rxf3 22.Kg2 Raf8 23.Rf1 R3f5 24.Rxf5 Rxf5 25.Rd1 h6 26.Rd7 Ra5 27.a3 Rb5 28.b4 c5 29.a4 Rb6 30.bxc5 Rc6 31.Rd5 Rf6 32.Kg3 Kg8 33.Rd8+ Kh7 34.f4 Rf5 35.Ra8 Rxc5 36.Rxa6 Rxc3+ 37.Kg4 Rc5 38.Re6 h5+ 39.Kh4 Rc4 40.Kg5 Rxa4 41.h4 Ra1 42.Rc6 Rg1+ 43.Kf5 Rg4 44.Rxc7 Rxh4 45.Kg5 Rg4+ 46.Kf5 Rg1 47.Rc3 Kh6 48.Rc8 Kh7 49.Rc2 Kh6 50.Rh2 Rg6 51.Re2 Rf6+ 52.Ke5 Rf8 53.Rg2 g6 54.Rh2 h4 55.Rxh4+ Kg7 56.Rg4 Re8+ 57.Kd4 Rf8 58.Ke4 Re8+ 59.Kf3 Rf8 60.Rg5 Kf6 61.Rg1 Rf7 62.Kg4 Re7 63.Rc1 Rh7 64.Rc6+ Kg7 65.Kg5 Rh5+ 66.Kg4 Rf5 67.Rc8 Rf7 68.Rb8 Rf5 69.Rb6 Rf7 70.Kf3 Rf5 71.Ke4 Rf7 72.Ke5 Rf5+ 73.Ke4 Rf7 74.Re6 Rf5 75.Re7+ Rf7 76.Re5 Rf5 77.Rxf5 gxf5+ 78.Ke5 Kf7 79.Kxf5 1-0 (79) LiamPutnam2008 (2767)-KRUMMEL2008 (2626) Blitz 2024;

E) 12...Re8 13.Nf1 exd4 14.Nxd4 Nxd4 15.Bxe8 Qxe8 16.Bxd4 c5 17.Be3 Qe5 18.Ng3 Be6 19.Qd2 Rd8 20.f4 1-0 (20) SaxKaiGoal

(2732)-CaptainSploosh (2670) Blitz 2022;
F) 12...exd4
F1) 13.cxd4
F1a) 13...d5
F1a1) 14.Bxc6 bxc6
Predecessor: 15.Rc1 *(15.Qc2N dxe4 16.Nxe4 Qd5 17.Nc3 Qh5 18.Qd1 Be6 19.Ne5 Qxd1 20.Nxg6+ hxg6 21.Rexd1 Rfd8 22.Rac1 g5 23.b3 Bb6 24.f3 Kg8 25.Bf2 a5 26.Na4 Bd5 27.Re1 Kf8 28.Re2 Re8 29.Kf1 Rxe2 30.Kxe2 Ke7 31.Kd3 Kd7 32.Be3 Rh8 33.Bd2 Rh4 34.Nc5+ Kc8 35.Be1 Rh8 36.Na4 f5 37.Nc3 Be6 38.Ne2 Kd7 39.Bg3 a4 40.bxa4 Ra8 41.Nc3 Ba5 42.Be5 Bxc3 43.Rxc3 Rxa4 44.a3 g6 45.g4 Bd5 46.Ke2 Ke6 47.Re3 Kf7 48.Kd2 Ra7 49.Kc1 Ra4 50.Kd2 Ra7 51.f4 gxf4 52.Bxf4 fxg4 53.hxg4 Kf6 54.Ke2 g5 55.Bg3 Be6 56.Be5+ Kg6 57.Kf3 Bd5+ 58.Kg3 Ra4 59.Rc3 Ra7 60.Kh3 Ra4 61.Kg3 Ra7 62.Kf2 Kf7 63.Ke2 Be6 64.Kf3 Bd5+ 65.Ke3 Be6 66.Rxc6 Rxa3+ 67.Ke4 Bxg4 68.Rxc7+ Kg6 69.Rg7+ Kh6 70.Rg8 Be6 71.Rf8 Bh3 72.Rg8 Ra8 73.Bb8 Bg2+ 74.Kf5 Bh3+ 75.Ke5 Ra5+ 76.d5 Bg2 77.Kf6 Kh7 78.Rg7+ Kh6 79.Rg6+ Kh7 80.d6 Bh3 81.Rg7+ Kh6 82.Rg8 Rf5+ 83.Ke7 Re5+ 84.Kf7 Rf5+ 85.Ke7 Re5+ 86.Kd8 Kh7 87.Rf8 Kg6 88.Rf3 Bf5 89.Kc7 Rd5 90.Ba7 Rd1 91.Rc3 Kh5 92.Be3 Kg6 93.Rc6 Kh5 94.Rc5 Kg6 95.Rc4 g4 96.Bf4 Rd3 97.Rc1 Rd4 98.Bg3 Rd3 99.Bf4 Rd4 100.Bg3 Rd3* ½-½ (100) Moussard,J (2655)-Gharamian,T (2601) Chartres FRA 2023*)*
15...dxe4 16.Nxe4 Be6 17.Nc3 Qd6 18.Qa4 Bb6 19.Nd2 f5 20.Nf3 f4 21.Bd2 a5
Edouard,Romain: '⇄'
Edouard,Romain: '½-½ (64) Henderson de La Fuente,L (2494)-Nabaty,T (2658) Douglas 2019';
F1a2) 14.exd5 Nce7 *(14...Nb4 15.d6 Qxd6 16.Ne4 Qd8 17.a3 Nd5 18.Bc2 c6 19.Nc5 Ngf4 20.Qd2 Qc7 21.b4 b6 22.Nd3 Ng6 23.Rac1 Bf5 24.Nf4 Ngxf4 25.Bxf5 Rad8 26.g3 Nxe3 27.Rxe3 Nd5 28.Re6 g6 29.Rexc6 Qf7 30.Be6 Qe8 31.Qh6 Ne7 32.Rc7 Bb8 33.Rb7 Rd6 34.d5 1-0 (34) Rachmaninoff_08 (2680)-Simba_Abessimba (2551) Blitz 2024)* 15.Ne4 Nxd5 16.Nc5 c6 17.Bb3 Nxe3 18.Rxe3 Nf4 19.Qc2 Nd5 20.Re2 Qd6 21.Rae1 Bxc5 22.dxc5 Qf4 23.Bxd5 cxd5 24.Qd2 Qf5 25.Nd4 Qg6 26.Kh2 Bd7 27.b4 h6 28.Re7 Rad8 29.Qf4 Rfe8 30.R1e3 Rxe7 31.Rxe7

Bc6 32.Qc7 Re8 33.Nxc6 bxc6 34.Qd7 Rxe7 35.Qxe7 Kh7 36.Qe6 f5 37.Qe5 Qf6 38.Qxf6 gxf6 39.Kg3 Kg7 40.Kf4 Kg6 41.a4 h5 42.h4 Kg7 43.Kxf5 Kf7 44.f3 Kg7 45.g4 hxg4 46.fxg4 Kh6 47.Kxf6 d4 48.g5+ Kh5 49.g6 d3 50.g7 d2 51.g8Q d1Q 52.Qg5# Normal 1-0 (52) sonnythehedgehog (2766)-BossHubDotCom (2621) Blitz 2024;

F1b) 13...Nce7

F1b1) 14.Bb3 d5 15.Rc1 *(15.Nh2 dxe4 16.Nxe4 Nf5 17.Qh5 Bxd4 18.Rad1 c5 19.Nxc5 Qa5 20.Nd7 Bxe3 21.Rxe3 Bxd7 22.Rxd7 Nf4 23.Qg4 Ng6 24.Re4 Rae8 25.Nf3 Nh6 26.Rxe8 Nxg4 27.Rxf8+ Nxf8 28.Rf7 Qd8 29.hxg4 Nd7 30.Nd4 Nc5 31.Ne6 Nxe6 32.Bxe6 g6 33.Bb3 Qd4 34.Rxb7 Qxg4 35.Rb6 Qd4 36.Rxa6 Qxb2 37.Re6 Qc1+ 38.Kh2 Qf4+ 39.Kg1 Qc1+ 40.Kh2 Kg7 41.Re7+ Kh6 42.Re3 Kg5 43.a4 Qc7+ 44.Rg3+ Kh6 45.Kg1 Qc1+ 46.Kh2 Qf4 47.Kg1 Kg7 48.Re3 Qb4 49.Kf1 Kf8 50.Ke2 f5 51.Rd3 Ke7 52.g3 g5 53.Kd1 h5 54.Re3+ Kd6 55.Kc2 h4 56.Rd3+ Ke5 57.gxh4 gxh4 58.Re3+ Kf4 59.Rc3 Kg5 60.Rd3 Qb6 61.Bd5 Qxf2+ 62.Kb3 Qb6+ 63.Ka3 h3 64.Rg3+ Kh4 65.Rd3 h2 66.Ka2 Qf2+ 67.Kb3 Qg1 68.a5 h1Q 69.Bxh1 Qxh1 70.Kb4 Qb1+ 71.Kc4 Qa2+ 72.Kb5 Qe2 73.Kc4 Qe6+ 74.Kb5 Qe8+ 75.Kb6 Qb8+ 76.Ka6 Qc8+ 77.Kb6 Qe6+ 78.Kb5 Qe2 79.Kc4 f4 80.a6 Qa2+ 81.Kb5 Qe2 82.Kc4 Qe4+ 83.Rd4 Qc6+ 84.Kd3 Qxa6+ 85.Ke4 Kg4 86.Ke5 Qb5+ 87.Kf6 Qe8 88.Rd5 Qf8+ 89.Ke5 Qf5+ 90.Kd4 Qxd5+ 91.Kxd5 f3* 0-1 (91) Salem,A (2638)-Mamedov,E (2410) chess.com INT 2024*)* 15...Be6 *(15...c6 16.exd5 Nxd5 17.Ne4 Be6 18.Nc5 Bxc5 19.dxc5 Nxe3 20.Rxe3 Bxb3 21.Qxb3 Qc8 22.Rce1 Nf4 23.Re7 Rb8 24.Nd4 Nd5 25.R7e6 Qd7 26.Rd6 Qf7 27.Re4 h6 28.Ne6 Rfe8 29.Qg3 Re7 30.Rxd5 Rbe8 31.Rd6 Rxe6 32.Qb3 Rxd6 33.cxd6 Qxb3 34.Rxe8+ Qg8 35.d7* 1-0 (35) Manya2708 (2660)-ramsou (2610) Blitz 2024*)* 16.e5 fxe5 17.Nxe5 Nxe5 18.dxe5 Bxe3 19.Rxe3 Nf5 20.Rd3 c6 21.Ne4 Qh4 22.Nc5 Rae8 23.Qd2 Bc8 24.Re1 b6 25.Na4 b5 26.Nc5 a5 27.a3 a4 28.Bc2 Qc4 29.Rc3 Qd4 30.Qe2 Nh4 31.e6 Bxe6 32.Rd1 Qf6 33.Re3 Bf7 34.Nd7 Qg5 35.Qg4 Qxg4 36.hxg4 Rxe3 37.fxe3 Re8

38.e4 Bg6 39.Kf2 Bxe4 40.Bxe4 Rxe4 41.Kg3 Ng6 42.Nc5 Rc4 43.Nd3 h6 44.Re1 0-1 (44) quick_Mate (2720)-solxe (2698) Blitz 2023;

F1b2) 14.Rc1 d5 15.e5 Nf5 16.exf6 Qxf6 17.Bg5 Qf7 18.Nf1 c6 19.Bc2 h6 20.Be3 Nxe3 21.Rxe3 Nf4 22.Ng3 Bd7 23.Ne5 *(23.Qd2 Rae8 24.Rce1 Rxe3 25.Rxe3 Bc8 26.Ne5 Qf6 27.Rf3 Qg5 28.Rxf4 Rxf4 29.Qxf4 Qxf4 30.Ng6+ Kg8 31.Nxf4 Bxd4 32.b3 a5 33.Bf5* 1-0 (33) starbox2010 (2646)-solxe (2661) Blitz 2024*)* 23...Nxh3+ 24.Kh2 Qxf2 25.Ng6+ Kg8 26.Ne7+ Kh8 27.Qd3 Qxg2+ 28.Kxg2 Nf4+ 29.Kh2 Nxd3 30.Bxd3 Rf2+ 31.Kg1 Rxb2 32.Ng6+ Kg8 33.Re7 Bxd4+ 34.Kh1 Bg4 35.Rf1 Bf6 36.Rxf6 gxf6 37.Nf5 Bf3+ 38.Kg1 Rg2+ 39.Kf1 Rxg6 40.Rxb7 Re8 41.Nd6 Be4 0-1 (41) PrinceFromNorthrend (2660)-solxe (2697) Blitz 2023;

F1b3) 14.d5 Bxe3 15.Rxe3 *(15.fxe3 c5 16.dxc6 bxc6 17.Rc1 d5 18.Nd4 Ne5 19.N2f3 Nxf3+ 20.Qxf3 Rb8 21.Bxc6 dxe4 22.Bxe4 Rb5 23.Nxb5 axb5 24.Red1 Qb6 25.Qf4 Ng6 26.Bxg6 hxg6 27.Kh2 Re8 28.Rc7 g5 29.Qg3 Bf5 30.Rc3 b4 31.Qc7 Qe6 32.Rc5 Bg6 33.Rd8 Rxd8 34.Qxd8+ Kh7 35.Qd4 Be4 36.a3 b3 37.a4 f5 38.Rc7 Qg6 39.Qe5 g4 40.h4 Qh6 41.g3 Kg8 42.a5 Bd3 43.Qd5+ Kh7 44.Qxd3 Qf6 45.Qe2 Qd6 46.Rc1 Qe5 47.a6 Qa5 48.Rf1 Kg6 49.e4* 1-0 (49) Pranav,V (2611)-Le,T (2567) chess.com INT 2023*)* 15...f5 16.Rc1 *(16.Bc2 Nf4 17.Nd4 fxe4 18.Nxe4 Nexd5 19.Rg3 c5 20.Nf3 Bf5 21.Qd2 Qd7 22.Nh4 Be6 23.Ng5 Bg8 24.Rg4 Rae8 25.Ng6+ Nxg6 26.Bxg6 Re5 27.f4 Rxf4 28.Rxf4 Rxg5 29.Rf8 Qe7 30.Re8 Qf6 31.Be4 Nf4 32.Kh2 Re5 33.Rxe5 Qxe5 34.Bf3 Ne2+ 35.Kh1 Nd4 36.Rf1 g6 37.Bxb7 Bc4 38.Re1 Qf6 39.b3 Bb5 40.Qe3 Kg7 41.Qe7+ Qf7 42.Qxd6 Qf2 43.Qe5+ Kh6 44.Qe3+ Qxe3 45.Rxe3 c4 46.bxc4 Bxc4 47.Re4 Bxa2 48.Rxd4 Bb3 49.Rb4 Bc2 50.Bxa6 Kg5 51.Bf1 h5 52.Kg1 h4 53.Kf2 Bf5 54.Be2 Be6 55.Bg4 Bd5 56.Bf3 Be6 57.Ke3 Bd7 58.Rd4 Bc8 59.Rd5+ Kh6 60.Kf4 Be6 61.Rg5 Bc8 62.Be4* 1-0 (62) Murzin,V (2664)-Le,T (2598) chess.com INT 2024*)* 16...fxe4 *(16...Nf4 17.Bb3 fxe4 18.Nxe4 h6 19.Qd2 Neg6 20.Ng3 Bd7 21.Bc2 Rc8 22.Bxg6 Nxg6 23.Nh5 Rf5*

24.g4 Rf7 25.Nd4 Qh4 26.Ne6 c6 27.f4 Rg8 28.dxc6 Bxc6 29.f5 Ne5 30.Nef4 Qg5 31.Qxd6 Nxg4 32.Rg3 Rd8 33.Qg6 Rfd7 34.Rxg4 Qe7 35.Ne6 Rd1+ 36.Rxd1 Rxd1+ 37.Kf2 Rd2+ 38.Ke1 Rxb2 39.Qxg7+ Qxg7 40.Rxg7 Be4 41.Nf6 1-0 (41) Fedoseev,V (2690)-Le,T (2567) chess.com INT 2024 *)* 17.Nxe4 Nf4 18.Rec3 Nexd5 0-1 (18) RafaelloPL (2754)-pozvonochek (2774) Blitz 2021;

F1c) 13...f5

F1c1) 14.exf5 Bxf5 15.Nf1 *(15.Bg5 Qc8 16.Bxc6 bxc6 17.Rc1 c5 18.d5 Rb8 19.Nc4 Bxh3 20.gxh3 Qxh3 21.Nh2 h6 22.Rc3 Qf5 23.Bc1 Qxf2+ 24.Kh1 Nh4 25.Rg1 Rbe8 26.Qg4 Rf7 27.Rh3 Re1 28.Be3 Rxg1+ 29.Qxg1 Qxg1+ 30.Kxg1 Nf5 31.Bf2 Ne7 32.Rb3 Nxd5 33.Rb7 Bb6 34.Nxd6 Rxf2 35.Kxf2 cxd6 36.Nf3 c4+ 37.Kg3 Bc5 38.Nh4 Nf6 39.Kf4 Bd4 40.Kf5 Nd5 41.Ng6+ Kh7 42.Nf8+ Kg8 43.Rb8 Kf7 44.Ne6 Ne7+ 45.Ke4 Kxe6 46.Kxd4 h5 47.Kxc4 g5 48.Rh8 h4 49.b4 Kf5 50.a4 Ng6 51.Rh6 g4 52.b5 axb5+ 53.Kxb5 g3 54.Rh5+ Kf4 55.Rh6 Kg5 56.Rh7 g2 57.Rb7 g1Q 58.a5 Qf1+ 59.Kc6 Ne5+ 60.Kc7 Qc4+ 61.Kb8 Qc6 62.a6 Nd7+ 63.Ka7* 1-0 (63) Stasan121 (2605)-crazy_but_lazyy (2617) Blitz 2021 *)* 15...Nce7 16.Ng3 Bd7 17.Bxd7 Qxd7 18.d5 Bxe3 19.Rxe3 Nf5 20.Nxf5 Qxf5 21.Qb3 b5 22.Rc1 Rf7 23.a4 Nf4 24.axb5 axb5 25.Qxb5 Raf8 26.Rce1 Qxd5 27.Qxd5 Nxd5 28.Re8 h6 29.Rxf8+ Rxf8 30.Rd1 Nf4 31.Kf1 Rb8 32.Rd4 Ne6 33.Re4 Nc5 34.Re7 Rxb2 35.Rxc7 Ne4 36.h4 Rxf2+ 37.Kg1 Ra2 38.Re7 Nf6 39.Re6 d5 40.Rd6 Ng4 41.g3 Kh7 42.h5 Ra4 43.Kg2 Nf6 44.Nh4 Rg4 45.Ng6 Nxh5 46.Ne5 Rg5 47.Rxd5 Nxg3 48.Kf3 Nf5 49.Rd7 Nh4+ 50.Ke4 Ng6 51.Nf3 Rg4+ 52.Ke3 Rf4 53.Nd4 Rf8 54.Kd3 Ne5+ 0-1 (54) Surreptitiously421 (2648)-Achilleus88 (2540) Blitz 2024;

F1c2) 14.Bg5 Nce7 15.e5 *(15.exf5 Rxf5 16.Bc2 h6 17.Bxf5 Bxf5 18.Nh4 Qf8 19.Bxe7 Nxe7 20.Rxe7 Qxe7 21.Nxf5 Qf6 22.Ne3 Bxd4 23.Nf3 Bxb2 24.Rb1 b5 25.Qc2 Ba3 26.Qxc7 Bc5 27.Qc6 Ra7 28.Ng4 Qf5 29.Re1 Rf7 30.Re8+ Rf8 31.Rxf8+ Qxf8 32.Qxa6 Qe8 33.Qb7 h5 34.Ne3 Bxe3 35.fxe3 Qxe3+ 36.Kf1 Qc1+ 37.Kf2 Qb2+ 38.Kg3 b4 39.Qb8+ Kh7 40.Qxd6* 1-0 (40) AttackingBeast (2701)-

chess_impression (2862) Blitz 2024) 15...h6 16.Nh4 Nxh4 17.exd6 Qxd6 18.Bxe7 Qxd4 19.Re3 Bd7 20.Bxd7 Qxd7 21.Bxh4 Bxe3 22.fxe3 Rae8 23.Qe2 f4 24.e4 Qd4+ 25.Bf2 Qxb2 26.Rb1 Qxa2 27.Rxb7 Rd8 28.Be1 Qc2 29.Kh2 Rd3 30.Qg4 f3 31.Bg3 Rxd2 32.Rxc7 Rxg2+ 33.Kh1 Rg1+ 34.Kxg1 Qg2# 0-1 (34) Zhigalko,S (2801)-may6enexttime (2986) Blitz 2023;

F2) 13.Nxd4 Nxd4

F2a) 14.cxd4 Kuzmin, Alexey: 'caused more problems.'

F2a1) 14...Be6 15.d5 1-0 (60) Szabo,K (2492)-Naslund,M (2310) Stockholm 2007 *(15.Bc2 d5* Kuzmin, Alexey: '⇄' Ribli, Zoltan: '!'*; 15.Nf3 d5 16.Bc2 Qd7 17.e5 f5 18.Bd2 f4 19.Ng5 Rae8 20.Qh5 h6 21.Qxg6 Bg8 22.e6 Qd6 23.Nf7+ Bxf7 24.Qh7#* Normal 1-0 (24) Fermalu (2611)-LiteMods (2491) Blitz 2024) 15...Bxe3 Ribli,Zoltan: 'Schwarz muss den Läufer für den f-Bauern geben.' 16.Rxe3 Bg8 17.Nf3 f5 Kuzmin, Alexey: '!' Kuzmin, Alexey: 'The White's chances are somewhat preferable, however the position is very complecated and Black has counterplay.' 18.exf5 Nf4 19.Qd2 Qf6 20.Bc2 Bxd5 21.Rae1 c6 22.Qb4 Bxf3 23.Rxf3 Nd5 24.Qxb7 Rab8 25.Qxc6 Nb4 26.Qc3 Qxc3 27.Rxc3 Nxa2 28.Rc7 Nb4 29.Bb1 Rfc8 30.Rd7 Rd8 31.Ree7 Rxd7 32.Rxd7 d5 33.f6 gxf6 34.Rxh7+ Kg8 35.Rd7 Kf8 36.Bg6 Nc6 37.Rf7+ Kg8 38.Rxf6 Ne5 39.Rxa6 Rxb2 40.Bf5 d4 41.f4 Nf7 42.Be6 Kf8 43.Kh2 d3 44.Bxf7 Kxf7 45.Rd6 d2 46.Kg3 Ke7 47.Rd4 Ke6 48.Kf3 Kf6 49.h4 1-0 (49) Amin,B (2681)-Dionisi,T (2410) Chartres FRA 2022;

F2a2) Kuzmin, Alexey: 'After' 14...f5 15.Nf3 Kuzmin, Alexey: '!' Ribli, Zoltan: '='Kuzmin, Alexey: 'White has a dangerous initiative.' 'Ribli,Zoltan: 'Mittels seinem blockierten a-Bauern und dem schwarzfeldrigen Läufer kann Weiß nicht gewinnen, wenn der schwarze König in der Ecke steht.' *(15.d5 Bxe3 16.Rxe3 f4 17.Rc3 Ne5 18.Nf3 b5 19.Bb3 b4 20.Rcc1 Nxf3+ 21.Qxf3 Qe7 22.Rc4 a5 23.Rac1 Ra7 24.Bd1 Ba6 25.R4c2 h6 26.Be2 Bxe2 27.Rxe2 Qe5 28.Rec2 Rf7 29.b3 a4 30.Rc4 axb3 31.axb3 Ra1 32.Rxa1 Qxa1+ 33.Kh2 Qe1 34.Rc2 Kh7 35.Re2 Qa1 36.e5 dxe5 37.Qe4+ g6 38.Rc2 Qd4 39.Qxd4 exd4 40.Rc4 Rd7*

41.Rxd4 g5 42.Rxb4 Rxd5 43.Rc4 c5 44.b4 cxb4 45.Rxb4 Kg6 46.f3 h5 47.h4 Kf5 48.hxg5 Kxg5 49.Rb8 Kh4 50.Rg8 Rf5 51.Rg7 Rf6 52.Rg8 Rf5 53.Rg7 Re5 54.Rg8 Re7 55.Rf8 Kg5 56.Rg8+ Kf6 57.Rf8+ Ke5 58.Rxf4 Kxf4 59.Kh3 Rg7 60.Kh4 Rxg2 0-1 (60) YSS_CR7 (2652)-Stammargg (2560) Blitz 2023*; 15.exf5 Bxf5 16.Bc2 Bxc2 17.Qxc2 d5 18.Nf3 Rxf3 19.gxf3 Nh4 20.Qe2 Qf6 21.f4 Qg6+ 22.Qg4 Nf3+ 23.Kg2 Nxe1+ 24.Rxe1 Qf7 25.f5 Rf8 26.Bg5 h6 27.Re7 Qxf5 28.Qxf5 Rxf5 29.Be3 Bb6 30.Re8+ Kh7 31.Rb8 Kg6 32.Rxb7 Rf6 33.b4 Kf5 34.f3 Rc6 35.a4 Rc2+ 36.Kg3 Rb2 37.Bf4 Bxd4 38.Bxc7 Bf2+ 39.Kg2 d4 40.b5 Be3+ 41.Kf1 d3 42.bxa6 Rf2+ 43.Ke1 Rg2 44.Rb5+ Kg6 45.Rb6+ Kh7 46.Bh2 Rxh2 47.Kf1 Rf2+ 48.Ke1 Rg2* 0-1 (48) Alexprofesional (2630)-Parham-pam-pam (2514) Blitz 2024*) 15...h6 16.e5 c6 17.Bb3 d5 18.Bc2 Kg8 19.Qd3 Be6 20.b4 Bb6 21.a4 Qd7 22.Nd2 a5 23.Nb3 axb4 24.Bd2 Qe7 25.a5 Ba7 26.Ra4 Rf7 27.Qg3 Kh7 28.Bxb4 Qd8 29.Bc5 Nf8 30.Bxa7 Rxa7 31.Rb1 Kg8 32.Nc5 Bc8 33.Qc3 f4 34.a6 b6 35.Nb7 Bxb7 36.axb7 Raxb7 37.Ra6 f3 38.g3 c5 39.dxc5 Qc8 40.Bd1 Rbc7 41.Ra3 Rxc5 42.Qd2 Re7 43.Rxf3 Qc7 44.Rd3 Qxe5 45.Bf3 Qf5 46.Bg4 Qg6 47.Ra1 Nd7 48.Ra8+ Kh7 49.Ra7 Qe8 50.Qf4 Nf6 51.Bf5+ Kh8 52.Rxe7 Qxe7 53.Qb8+ Qe8 54.Qxe8+ Nxe8 55.Re3 Nd6 56.Bg6 Rc8 57.Re5 Nb7 58.Rxd5 Nc5 59.Kf1 Kg8 60.Rd6 Rb8 61.Rc6 Nd7 62.Bf5 Nf6 63.Be6+ Kh8 64.h4 b5 65.Bb3 Ng4 66.Be6 Ne5 67.Rc5 Nd3 68.Rc3 Ne5 69.Bb3 b4 70.Rc1 Rf8 71.Rc7 Ng4 72.f4 g5 73.hxg5 hxg5 74.Be6 Ne3+ 75.Kf2 gxf4 76.gxf4 Nf5 77.Bxf5 ½-½ (77) Niemann,H (2695)-Le,T (2549) Philadelphia USA 2023;

F2a3) 14...c6 15.Bc2 f5 16.Nf3 Nh4 17.e5 f4 18.Bd2 dxe5 19.Bb4 c5 20.Nxe5 f3 21.dxc5 Qf6 22.Bc3 fxg2 23.Ng6+ Qxg6 24.Bxg6 hxg6 25.Re4 Nf3+ 26.Kxg2 Bxc5 27.Qc1 g5 28.Bxg7+ Kxg7 29.Qxc5 Bf5 30.Qc3+ Kg6 31.Qxf3 Bxe4 32.Qxe4+ 1-0 (32) StepOnMeSydneSweeney (2795)-pozvonochek (2871) Blitz 2024;

F2b) 14.Bxd4

F2b1) 14...Bxd4 Kuzmin, Alexey: '!?' Ribli, Zoltan: '!' Edouard,Romain: '!' Kuzmin, Alexey: 'was more interesting.' 15.cxd4

F2b11) 15...b5 16.Bc2 Bb7 17.Qh5 *(17.Rc1 f5 18.d5 Nf4 19.Qf3 Qg5 20.exf5 Bxd5 21.Be4 Bxe4 22.Nxe4 Qxf5 23.Rxc7 Rae8 24.Re3 d5 25.Qg3 Nh5 26.Nd6 Nxg3 27.Nxf5 Nxf5 28.Rd3 Rd8 29.Kh2 Kg8 30.g4 Nh4 31.Kg3 Ng6 32.Ra7 d4 33.Rxa6 Ne5 34.Rd1 d3 35.Re6 Nc4 36.b3 Nd6 37.f3 Nf7 38.Re3 d2 39.Re2 Ng5 40.f4 Rd3+ 41.Kg2 Rxf4 42.Rexd2 Rxd2+ 43.Rxd2 b4 44.Rd5 h6 45.Rb5 Ne6 46.Kg3 g5 47.Rb6 Nd4 48.Rb7 Rf3+ 49.Kg2 Rd3 50.Rxb4 Rd2+ 51.Kf1 Ne6 52.Rb6 Nf4 53.a4 Rb2 54.a5 Nd3 55.b4 Ra2 56.b5 Ra1+ 57.Ke2 Nc5 58.a6 Kf8 59.Ke3 Ke7 60.Kd4 Ne6+ 61.Ke5 Nc7 62.Rxh6 Nxb5 63.Kf5 Kd8 64.Rh7 Rxa6 65.Rh8+ Kc7 66.Rh6 Rxh6 67.h4* 1-0 (67) smihir6 (2690)-pozvonochek (2858) Blitz 2025 *)* 17...f5 18.g3 f4 19.e5 Kg8 20.Bxg6 hxg6 21.Qxg6 fxg3 22.fxg3 dxe5 23.Qe6+ Rf7 24.Qxe5 Qd7 25.g4 Raf8 26.Ne4 Rf3 27.Ng5 Rxh3 0-1 (27) smihir6 (2695)-pozvonochek (2853) Blitz 2025;

F2b12) 15...f5 Kuzmin, Alexey: 'and now White has to care about maintaining equality.' 16.e5

F2b121) 16...dxe5 17.dxe5 f4 *(17...Be6 18.Bb3 Qe7 19.Nf3 Rad8 20.Qc2 Nf4 21.Rad1 c5 22.h4 h6 23.g3 c4 24.Bxc4 Rc8 25.Rd4 Nh3+ 26.Kg2 b5 27.Kxh3 f4+ 28.Kg2 fxg3 29.fxg3 Bxc4 30.Qe4 Be6 31.Rd6 Bf5 32.Qd4 Rc2+ 33.Kg1 Be6 34.Qe3 Rxb2 35.Nd4 Bc4 36.Rxa6 b4 37.Rc6 Bxa2 38.e6 Bd5 39.Rc2 Rxc2 40.Nxc2 b3 41.Nd4 Rb8 42.Nf5 Qf6 43.e7 Bf7 44.Rf1 b2 45.Rb1 Qxf5* 0-1 (45) IljaSir (2625)-Simba_Abessimba (2587) Blitz 2024*)* 18.Nf3 Be6 19.Qe2 Qe7 20.Rad1 Rad8 21.Qe4 c6 22.a3 Bd5 23.Qe2 Nh4 24.Nxh4 Qxh4 25.Qg4 Qe7 26.Bc2 f3 27.g3 g6 28.Re3 Be6 29.Qa4 c5 30.Qa5 Rd4 31.Qc3 Rfd8 32.Rde1 Rc4 33.Qb3 Rh4 34.Qb6 Rxh3 35.Rxf3 Bd5 36.Be4 Qxe5 37.Qxd8+ 1-0 (37) PrinceFromNorthrend (2628)-SiroglanTalibov (2717) Blitz 2023;

F2b122) 16...b5 17.Bb3 dxe5 18.dxe5 Bb7 19.Nf3 Qe7 20.e6 *(20.Qe2 c5 21.a4 Rae8 22.axb5 axb5 23.Rad1 Bxf3 24.Qxf3 Nxe5 25.Qd5 f4 26.Bc2 Qg5 27.Qe4 g6 28.Kf1 f3 29.g3 Qh5 30.h4 Qg4 31.Qxg4 Nxg4 32.Re4 Rxe4 33.Bxe4 c4 34.Rd6 b4 35.Rb6 b3 36.Rb7 Ne5 37.Ke1 Rd8 38.h5 Rd4 39.Bb1 Kg8 40.h6 Ng4 41.Rg7+ Kh8 42.Rf7 Nxh6 43.Rxf3 Kg7 44.Re3 Kf6 45.Re8 Nf7 46.Rf8 Ke7 47.Rb8 Ne5 48.Ke2 Rd7 49.Ke3 Kf6 50.Rb6+ Kg7 51.Rb8 Ng4+ 52.Ke2 Re7+ 53.Kf3 Ne5+ 54.Kf4 Kf6 55.Rb6+ Kg7 56.Rb8 h6 57.Rc8 g5+ 58.Kf5 g4 59.Be4 Nf7 60.Rc6 h5 61.Kf4 Ne5 62.Rc5 Kf6 63.Rc8 Nd3+ 64.Bxd3 cxd3 65.Rc6+ Kf7 66.Rd6 Re2 67.Rxd3 Rxb2 68.Kg5 Rb1 69.Rd7+ Ke6 70.Rb7 b2 71.Rb5 Kd6 72.Rb8 Kc5 73.Rc8+ Kd4 74.Rb8 Kd3 75.Kf4 Ke2 76.Rb7 Kxf2 77.Rb3 Kg2 78.Kg5 Kf2 79.Kf4 Ke2 80.Kg5 h4 81.Kxg4 hxg3 82.Rb8 g2 83.Re8+ Kd3* 0-1 (83) Sargsyan,S (2649)-Le,T (2568) chess.com INT 2024*)* 20...Rad8 21.Qe2 Be4 *(21...c5 22.Qe3 c4 23.Bc2 Bxf3 24.Qxf3 Rd2 25.Rac1 Qg5 26.g3 h5 27.h4 Nxh4 28.e7 Nxf3+* 0-1 (28) MelburryNoe (2640)-uSeRnAmEnOtAvAiL (2696) Blitz 2024*)* 22.Qe3 c5 23.Ng5 c4 24.Nf7+ Rxf7 25.exf7 Qxf7 26.Rad1 Rf8 27.f3 cxb3 28.fxe4 bxa2 29.exf5 Qxf5 30.Ra1 Qd5 31.b3 h6 32.Rxa2 Rf6 33.Rf2 Rc6 34.Rd2 Qf5 35.Qe8+ 1-0 (35) Carlsen,M (2832)-Le Tuan,M (2568) chess.com INT 2024;

F2b2) 14...f5 Ribli,Zoltan: 'N' 15.Bxa7 Ribli,Zoltan: 'Nach diesem Zug verliert Weiß die Kontrolle über das Feld e5, aber im folgenden bekommt Weiß Angriffchancen am Königsflügel.' Rxa7 Kuzmin, Alexey: '=' Kuzmin, Alexey: 'The position is approximately equal.' Ribli,Zoltan: 'Der ♘e5 steht ausgezeichnet und dominiert auf dem Brett.' 16.exf5 *(16.Nf3 fxe4 17.Rxe4 Bf5* Ribli,Zoltan:

'Schwarz hat keine Angst vor dem weißen Angriff am Königsflügel.' *18.Re3* Ribli,Zoltan: '↑' *b5 19.Bb3* Edouard,Romain: '±' Edouard,Romain: '1-0 (60) Dominguez Perez,L (2760)-Nabaty,T (2678) Netanya 2019' Ribli,Zoltan: 'Es ist notwendig, den gegnerische schwarzfeldrigen Läufer zu tauschen.' *c5 20.a4 c4 21.Qd4* Ribli,Zoltan: '?!' Ribli,Zoltan: 'Mit diesem Zug verteidigt sich Weiß gegen ♘c4, aber folgende Alternative kommt stark in Betracht.' *Raf7 22.Bd1 d5 23.axb5 axb5* Ribli,Zoltan: '!' Ribli,Zoltan: 'Schwarz beginnt sein Gegenspiel im Zentrum.' *24.Ne5 Nxe5 25.Rxe5 Be4 26.f3* Ribli,Zoltan: 'Weiß möchte die Zentrumstellung geschlossen halten.' *Rf4 27.fxe4 Rf1+ 28.Kh2 Qb8 29.Qxd5 g6 30.Qd4 Kg8 31.Qd5+ Kh8 32.Qd4 Kg8 33.Ra5* Ribli,Zoltan: '±' *Rxd1* Ribli,Zoltan: 'Weiß verfügt über bessere Aussichten in diesem Endspiel, aber Schwarz kann sich gut verteidigen.' *34.Raxb5 Rxd4* Ribli,Zoltan: '!' *35.Rxb8 Rxb8 36.cxd4 Rxb2 37.Rc5 Rb4 38.d5 c3 39.e5 Rd4 40.d6 Kf7 41.Rxc3 Ke6* Ribli,Zoltan: '?!' Ribli,Zoltan: 'Es scheint, daß mit ungleichen Läufern das Endspiel Remis ist, aber Schwarz muss sehr genau spielen.' *42.Re3 g5 43.Kg3 h5 44.Kf3 Rd2 45.Re2* Ribli,Zoltan: 'Der schwarze König steht sehr passiv auf h4 und der ♙f7 ist eine potentielle Schwächung in der schwarze Stellung.' *Rd3+ 46.Kf2 Rd1 47.Re3 Rd2+ 48.Ke1 Rd4 49.Ke2 Rd5 50.Re4 Ra5 51.Kf3 Rd5 52.Ke3 Ra5 53.Kd2 Rc5 54.Rd4 Rc8 55.d7 Rd8 56.Kd3 Kxe5* Predecessor: *57.Kc4 Ke6 58.Kc5 Rxd7 59.Rxd7 Kxd7 60.Kd5* 1-0 (60) Marosi,G (2760)-Intro Be3 (2678) chess24.com INT 2019 MON C00 RK [Chess Player vol.2 1852 p58]*; 16.Bc2 Qf6 17.Qe2 f4 18.Nf3 Ne5 19.Rad1 Be6 20.Bb3 Raa8 21.Bxe6 Qxe6 22.Rd5 Nxf3+ 23.Qxf3 Rae8 24.e5 dxe5 25.Rdxe5 Qxe5 26.Rxe5 Rxe5 27.Qxb7 h6 28.Qxc7 Re1+ 29.Kh2 Re2 30.Qc4 Rxb2 31.a4 f3 32.Qc5 Rf6 33.g4 Rbb6 34.Kg3 Rbc6 35.Qe5 Rfe6 36.Qb8+ Kh7 37.Qb1+ Kh8 38.Qd3 Re8 39.Kxf3 Rec8 40.Kg2 Rc4 41.a5 R8c5 42.Qd8+ Kh7 43.Qd3+ Kh8 44.Qd8+ Kh7 45.Qb6 Rc6 46.Qb1+ Kh8 47.Qd3 Rxc3 48.Qd8+ Kh7 49.h4 R3c4 50.Qd3+ Kg8 51.f3 R4c5 52.Kg3 Rf6 53.Qd8+ Kh7 54.Qd3+ Kg8 55.Qd2 Rb5*

56.g5 hxg5 57.hxg5 Rff5 58.f4 Kh7 59.Kg4 Rxa5 60.Qh2+ Kg8 61.g6 Rh5 62.Qd2 Rhd5 63.Qh2 Rh5 64.Qe2 Kf8 65.Qe6 Rhf5 66.Qc8+ Ke7 67.Qc7+ Ke6 68.Qxg7 Rf6 69.Qg8+ Ke7 70.g7 Raf5 71.Qa8 Rxf4+ 72.Kg3 Rf3+ 73.Qxf3 Rxf3+ 74.Kxf3 Kf7 75.Ke4 Kxg7 76.Kd4 a5 77.Kc5 a4 78.Kb4 a3 79.Kxa3 ½-½ (79) Alea_iasta_est (2712)-Grandelicious (2730) Blitz 2025*)* 16...Bxf5 17.Nf3 Qf6 18.Qd4 Raa8 19.Qxf6 Rxf6 20.Nd4 Raf8 21.Nxf5 Rxf5 22.Re2 Ne5 23.Bc2 R5f6 24.h4 g6 25.g3 Nf3+ 26.Kg2 Kg7 27.Rd1 c6 28.Bb3 d5 29.c4 d4 30.c5 h5 31.Bc4 Kh6 32.b4 g5 33.hxg5+ Kxg5 34.Re7 h4 35.Be2 hxg3 36.Kxg3 Rf4 37.Rg7+ Kh6 38.Rxb7 Ne5 39.Rh1+ Kg6 40.Rhh7 R4f7 41.Rbxf7 Rxf7 42.Rxf7 Kxf7 43.f4 Ng6 44.Bxa6 Ke6 45.Bc4+ 1-0 (45) Lorika_Hamata (2898)-solxe (2728) Blitz 2023]

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A) 12...b5 13.Bb3 Na5 14.Bc2 Nc4 15.Bc1 c5 16.d5 Nb6 17.Ng3 c4 18.a4 Bd7 19.axb5 axb5 20.Be3 Qc7 21.Qd2 Rfb8 22.Ra2 Nc8 23.Rea1 Bxe3 24.Qxe3 Qb7 25.Qe1 Nb6 26.h3 Nf4 27.Ne2 Ng6 28.Nd2 h6 29.Nf1 Rxa2 30.Rxa2 Ra8 31.Qa1 Rxa2 32.Qxa2 Qa8 33.Qxa8+ Nxa8 34.Ne3 Nb6 35.Kh2 Ne7 36.g3 g6 37.f4 Kg7 38.h4 h5 39.Kg2 Ng8 40.Kf2 Nh6 41.Ng1 Bg4 42.Nf3 Bxf3 43.Kxf3 Nf7 44.Nf1 exf4 45.gxf4 g5 46.Ng3 Kh6 47.Nf5+ Kg6 48.Ne7+ Kh6 49.Nc6 gxf4 50.Kxf4 Ne5 51.Nd4 Kg6 52.Nxb5 Nc8 53.Ke3 Kf7 54.Na3 Ke7 55.Kd4 Nb6 56.Bd1 Nd3 57.Bxh5 Nxb2 58.Be2 Nd7 59.Nxc4 Nxc4 60.Bxc4 Ne5 61.Be2 Kf7 62.c4 Kg6 63.c5 dxc5+ 64.Kxc5 Kf7 65.d6 Ke6 66.h5 Nd7+ 67.Kc6 Ne5+ 68.Kc7 Kf7 69.d7 Nxd7 70.Kxd7 Kg7 71.Ke6 Kh6 72.Kxf6 Kh7 73.Kg5 Kh8 74.e5 Kg8 75.e6 1-0 (75) Lunaticxxx (2761)-Stoichess (2668) Blitz 2021;

B) 12...Bd7 13.Ng3 Qe8 *(13...exd4 14.Nxd4 Nxd4 15.Bxd4 Bxa4 16.Qxa4 Bxd4 17.Qxd4 Qe7 18.Rad1 Qe5 19.Qc4 Qe7 20.Nf5 Qf7 21.Qxf7 Rxf7 22.f3 Rd8 23.c4 Ne7 24.Ne3 Kg8 25.g4 Ng6 26.Kf2 Re8 27.Kg3 Ne5 28.Re2 g5 29.Rc2 h5 30.gxh5 Rh7 31.c5 dxc5 32.Rxc5 c6 33.Ng4 Nxg4 34.Kxg4 Kf7 35.Rd7+ Kg8 36.Rd6 Kf7 37.Rf5 Re6 38.Rd7+ Kg8 39.Rd8+ Kf7 40.e5 Rxe5 41.Rxe5 fxe5 42.Rd7+ Kg8 43.Rxh7 Kxh7 44.Kxg5 c5 45.Kf5 c4 46.Kxe5 b5 47.a3* 1-0 (47) Kokarev,D (2601)-Safin,T (2260) Nizhny Tagil RUS 2023 *)* 14.Bb3 Nd8 *(14...h6 15.h3 Nd8 16.Qd2 Kh7 17.Rad1 Ne6 18.Ne2 Ngf4 19.Nxf4 exf4 20.Bxf4 Nxf4 21.Qxf4 Qg6 22.Qg3 Qxg3 23.fxg3 Rae8 24.g4 c5 25.Kh2 Bc6 26.Bc2 Kg8 27.Kg3 Re7 28.Nh4 Rfe8 29.Nf5 Rd7 30.Bb3+ Kf8 31.d5 Bb5*

32.c4 1-0 (32) Fratz71 (2703)-Shramov,I (2546) Blitz 2024*)* 15.d5 *(15.h4 Ne6 16.Qd2 a5 17.a3 a4 18.Ba2 Bb6 19.h5 Ngf4 20.d5 Ng5 21.Bxf4 Nxf3+ 22.gxf3 exf4 23.Qxf4 Qe5 24.Qxe5 fxe5 25.Kg2 Rf4 26.Bc4 Raf8 27.Be2 g6 28.hxg6 hxg6 29.Rh1+ Kg7 30.Rh2 Rh8 31.Rxh8 Kxh8 32.Rh1+ Kg7 33.Bd1 Bb5 34.Be2 Bd7 35.Bd3 c5 36.dxc6 bxc6 37.Ne2 Rf8 38.Bc2 Bg4 39.Ng1 d5 40.Bxa4 dxe4 41.fxg4 Rxf2+ 42.Kg3 Rxb2 43.Bxc6 Bf2+ 44.Kh3 e3 45.Bf3 Rb3 46.Ne2 Rxa3 47.Rc1 Ra2 48.c4 e4 49.Bxe4 Rxe2 50.Bf3 Ra2 51.Kg2 Bh4+ 52.Kh3 g5 53.c5 e2 54.Bxe2 Rxe2 55.c6 Re3+ 56.Kg2 Re8 57.c7 Rc8 58.Kf3 Kf7 59.Ke4 Ke6 60.Rc6+ Kd7 61.Rg6 Rxc7 62.Kf5 Rc5+ 63.Ke4 Rc6 64.Kf5 Rxg6 65.Kxg6 Ke6 66.Kh5 Ke5 67.Kg6 Kf4 68.Kh5 Kg3 69.Kg6 Kxg4 70.Kf6 Kf4 71.Ke6 Kg4 72.Kd5 Kg3 73.Kc4 g4 74.Kd3 Bg5 75.Ke2 Bf4 76.Kf1 Be5 77.Kg1 Kf4 78.Kh1 g3 79.Kg1 Kg4 80.Kh1 Bf4 81.Kg1 Bg5 82.Kh1 Kh4 83.Kg1 Kh3 84.Kh1* ½-½ (84) MaLeKkoNihli (2648)-MI-DTB (2640) Blitz 2022*)* 15...f5 16.exf5 Bxf5 17.Nxf5 Rxf5 18.Bc2 Rf6 19.Bxa7 Rxa7 20.Ng5 h6 21.Qh5 c6 22.Ne4 Qe7 23.Nxf6 Nf4 24.Qe8+ 1-0 (24) Fastchess2345 (2712)-Calzonesdesuperman (2624) Blitz 2024;

C) 12...Bg4 13.Bxc6

C1) 13...bxc6 14.h3 Bd7 15.Ng3 Rb8 *(15...a5 16.Qd2 a4 17.b3 Qb8 18.Rab1 Bb6 19.c4 exd4 20.Bxd4 axb3 21.axb3 c5 22.Bc3 Re8 23.Ra1 Qb7 24.Qc2 Rxa1 25.Rxa1 Bc6 26.Re1 Qc8 27.Nf5 Qe6 28.Nd2 Kg8 29.f3 Nf4 30.Nf1 Bd7 31.Qd2 Ng6 32.Ra1 Qf7 33.N5e3 Rb8 34.Nd5 h6 35.Nfe3 Be6 36.Ra6 Qd7 37.Bxf6 Bxd5 38.Nxd5 Kh7 39.Qa2 Qf7 40.Bc3 Nh4 41.Qf2 Ng6 42.Qg3 Rb7 43.Ra8 c6 44.Ne3 Bc7 45.Nf5 d5 46.Qg4 d4 47.Bd2 Rxb3 48.Ra7 Rb1+ 49.Kf2 Bg3+ 50.Nxg3 Qxa7 51.Qf5 Qa2 52.Ke2 Rb2 53.Nf1 Qxc4+ 54.Kf2 Qd3 55.Qxc5 Rxd2+ 56.Nxd2 Qxd2+ 57.Kg3 d3 58.Qxc6 Qe1+ 59.Kg4 d2 60.Kf5 Qg3 61.Qd5 Ne7+* 0-1 (61) Barry_Lindon (2631)-ma_long_ma (2674) Blitz 2023*)* 16.Qe2 Nf4 17.Qxa6 Ra8 18.Qf1 Qe8 19.a4 Qg6 20.a5 f5 21.exf5 Nxh3+ 22.gxh3 Rxf5 23.Nh4 1-0 (23) Towser1 (2631)-solxe (2644) Blitz 2023;

C2) 13...Nh4 14.Ba4 Bxf3 15.gxf3 Qc8 16.Bg5 fxg5 17.Ne3 Qh3 0-1 (17) Fratz71 (2646)-Wyssegga (2531) Blitz 2024;

D) 12...exd4 13.Nxd4 Nxd4 14.cxd4 f5 15.exf5 Bxf5 16.Ng3 Nh4 17.Qh5 Bg6 18.Qg5 Nf5 19.Qxd8 Raxd8 20.Nxf5 Rxf5 21.Bc2 Rff8 22.Bxg6 hxg6 23.d5 Bxe3 24.Rxe3 Rf5 25.Rd1 Rdf8 26.Rd2 R8f7 27.a4 b5 28.axb5 axb5 29.Rb3 Re7 30.f3 Ree5 31.Rxb5 Kh7 32.h3 c5 33.Rb6 Rxd5 34.Rxd6 Rxd6 35.Rxd6 Rf4 36.Kh2 Rb4 37.Rd2 g5 38.Kg3 g6 39.Kf2 Rb3 40.Ke2 Kh6

41.Kd1 Kh5 42.Kc2 Re3 43.Rd5 Kh4 44.Rxc5 Re2+ 45.Kc3 Rxg2 46.b4 Rg3 47.b5 Rxf3+ 48.Kb4 Rxh3 49.b6 Rh1 50.Rc4+ g4 51.Kc5 Rb1 52.Rb4 Rxb4 53.Kxb4 g3 54.b7 g2 55.b8Q g1Q 56.Qh8+ Kg4 57.Qc8+ Kg3 58.Qc7+ Kg2 59.Qc6+ Kh2 60.Qc7+ Qg3 61.Qh7+ Kg1 62.Ka5 Qe5+ 63.Ka6 g5 64.Qb1+ Kh2 65.Qh7+ Kg3 66.Qd3+ Kh4 67.Qh7+ Kg4 68.Qd7+ Qf5 69.Qd1+ Kg3 70.Qg1+ Kf4 71.Qf2+ Ke5 72.Qc5+ Kf6 73.Qf8+ Kg6 74.Qe8+ Kh6 75.Qh8+ Kg6 76.Qe8+ Kh6 77.Qh8+ Kg6 78.Qe8+ ½-½ (78) Fratz71 (2611)-Shramov,I (2425) Blitz 2024;

E) 12...Nce7 13.Ng3 f5 *(13...exd4 14.Bxd4 Bxd4 15.Nxd4 c5 16.Ndf5 Nxf5 17.exf5 Ne5 18.f4 Nf7 19.Bb3 b5 20.Bxf7 Rxf7 21.Qd5 Raa7 22.Rad1 Rad7 23.Re6 Bb7 24.Qd2 d5 25.Qe3 Rfe7 26.Qxc5 h6 27.Rde1 Rxe6 28.fxe6 Re7 29.Nf5 Rc7 30.e7 Rxc5 31.exd8Q+ Kh7 32.Qe7* 1-0 (32) Mops2_2004 (2691)-gmmitkov (2637) Blitz 2023*)* 14.exf5 Nxf5 15.Nxf5 Bxf5 16.dxe5 Bxe3 17.Rxe3 dxe5 18.Nxe5 Nxe5 19.Rxe5 Qf6 20.Qe1 Rad8 21.Rd1 Rxd1 22.Bxd1 h6 23.Bf3 c6 24.Re8 Rxe8 25.Qxe8+ Kh7 26.Qe1 Qd6 27.g3 Qd3 28.Kg2 a5 29.Qe2 Qd6 30.h4 a4 31.Be4 Qf6 32.Qg4 1-0 (32) Nevaljahka (2860)-spectraline (2598) Blitz 2023]

[12.d5 Nce7 13.Bxa7 *(13.c4 h6 14.Rc1 f5 15.exf5 Nxf5 16.Bxa7 Rxa7 17.c5 Nf4 18.Ne4 b5 19.cxb6 cxb6 20.g3 Nh3+ 21.Kg2 Raf7 22.Rc3 Nd4 23.Nxd4 Nxf2 24.Qh5 Bh3+ 25.Qxh3 Nxh3 26.Ne6 Rf2+ 27.Nxf2 Rxf2+ 28.Kxh3 Qg8 29.Rec1 Kh7 30.Bc2+ g6 31.Rc7+ Kh8 32.Be4* 1-0 (32) artem-us (2654)-kartoGM (2617) Blitz 2021*)* 13...Rxa7 14.c4 h6 15.Bc2 a5 16.a3 f5 17.exf5 Nxf5 18.b4 Nf4 19.c5 axb4 20.axb4 Rxa1 21.Qxa1 Nxd5 22.cxd6 cxd6 23.Qa3 Nf4 24.b5 Nd4 25.Nxd4 exd4 26.Ne4 Bf5 27.Qg3 d3 28.Bd1 Bxe4 29.Rxe4 Qf6 30.h4 d5 31.Re1 d2 32.Rf1 Re8 33.Qg4 h5 34.Qd7 Re1 35.Qc8+ Kh7 36.Bc2+ g6 37.g3 Rxf1+ 38.Kxf1 Qa1+ 0-1 (38) notkevich (2745)-AgressiveMode (2782) Blitz 2023]

[12.a3 a5 13.b4 axb4 14.axb4 Nce7 15.Bb3 Bd7 16.h3 Bb6 17.Nc4 Ba7 18.Rxa7 Rxa7 19.dxe5 Ra8 20.exd6 Nc8 21.e5 fxe5 22.Bg5 Qe8 23.dxc7 Be6 24.Ncxe5 Bxb3 25.Qxb3 Nxe5 26.Nxe5 Nd6 27.Be7 1-0 (27) Andreikin,D (2729)-Santos Latasa,J (2647) chess.com INT 2023]

[12.Qc2 Bd7 13.Rad1 Nce7 14.Bb3 Qc8 15.Nf1 Bg4 16.Qe2 Nh4 17.N1d2 f5 18.exf5 Nexf5 19.dxe5 Nxe3 20.fxe3 dxe5 21.Rf1 Nxf3+ 22.gxf3 Bh3 23.Rf2 Qf5 24.Kh1 Qg5 25.Re1 Rad8 26.Ne4 Qh6 27.Bc2 c6 28.Ng3 Rf7 29.Be4 Rdf8 30.Qd3 Rd7 31.Qe2 Qe6 32.b3 g6 33.c4 Rfd8 34.Bc2 Qe7 35.Ne4 Qh4 36.Rg1 Rf8 37.Rg3 Bf5 38.Rfg2 Qh6 39.Ng5 Bxc2 40.Rh3 Qxh3 41.Nxh3 Bd1 42.Qb2 Bxf3 43.Qxe5+ Rg7 44.Ng5 Bb8 45.Qd4 Bxg2+ 46.Kxg2 h6 47.Ne6 Rfg8 48.Nxg7 c5 49.Qf6 Rxg7 50.Qd8+

Rg8 51.Qf6+ Kh7 52.Qf7+ Rg7 53.Qe8 Be5 54.Qxe5 h5 55.Qxc5 Kh6 56.h4 Kh7 57.Qg5 b6 58.Kf3 b5 59.Kf4 bxc4 60.bxc4 Rf7+ 61.Qf6 Rg7 62.Qxg7+ Kxg7 63.Kg5 Kf7 64.c5 Kg7 65.c6 Kf7 66.c7 Ke6 67.c8Q+ Ke5 68.Qc7+ Ke4 69.Qb6 Kd3 70.Qxa6+ Kd2 71.Qxg6 Kxe3 72.Qxh5 Kf2 ½-½ (72) Starbox2010 (2666)-Punchen (2734) Blitz 2024]

[12.Rc1 Nce7 *(12...f5 13.dxe5 Bxe3 14.Rxe3 f4 15.Re1 Ncxe5 16.h3 Qf6 17.Qe2 Be6 18.Bb3 Bd7 19.Rcd1 Bb5 20.c4 Bd7 21.Nxe5 Nxe5 22.Nf3 Rae8 23.Nxe5 Rxe5 24.Rd5 Bc6 25.Rxe5 Qxe5 26.Qf3 g5 27.Re2 Kg7 28.Bd1 Re8 29.Bc2 Qxb2 30.Qh5 Qe5 31.h4 h6 32.Rd2 Re6 33.Rd3 Bxe4* 0-1 (33) NameTheGame (2620)-siroglantalibov (2787) Blitz 2024*)* 13.Bc2 Be6 *(13...f5 14.exf5 Nxf5 15.Bxf5 Bxf5 16.dxe5 Bxe3 17.Rxe3 dxe5 18.Nc4 e4 19.Qxd8 Raxd8 20.Nd4 b5 21.Na5 c5 22.Nxf5 Rxf5 23.Nb3 Re5 24.Rce1 Nf4 25.g3 Nd3 26.Rxe4 Rxe4 27.Rxe4 Nxb2 28.Nxc5 a5 29.Kg2 h6 30.Nb3 Na4 31.Nxa5 Nxc3 32.Re5 Rd2 33.a3 Ra2 34.Nc6 Rxa3 35.h4 Ra4 36.h5 Kg8 37.Rf5 Ra8 38.Ne7+ Kh7 39.Ng6 Rb8 40.Rf8 Rxf8 41.Nxf8+ Kg8 42.Ne6 b4 43.Nc5 Nb5 44.Kf3 Nd4+ 45.Ke3 b3 46.Nd3 Nc2+ 47.Ke4 Nb4 48.Nb2 Kf7 49.f4 Kf6 50.g4 g6 51.hxg6 Kxg6 52.Ke5 Nc2 53.Ke6 Ne3 54.f5+ Kg7 55.f6+ Kf8 56.Nd3 Nxg4 57.f7 h5 58.Nc5 Ne5 59.Kxe5 Kxf7 60.Nxb3 h4 61.Nd2 h3 62.Nf3 h2 63.Nxh2 ½-½* (63) AndreyBelozerov (2613)-spectraline (2583) Blitz 2023*)* 14.Nf1 c5 15.h3 b5 16.d5 Bd7 17.c4 Bb6 18.Bd2 Ba5 19.Ne3 Rb8 20.Bd3 Nf4 21.Bf1 Bxd2 22.Nxd2 b4 23.h4 Qe8 24.g3 Nh5 25.Bg2 g6 26.Nf3 f5 27.exf5 gxf5 28.Ng5 Qg6 29.Nf1 h6 30.Ne6 Bxe6 31.dxe6 Rbd8 32.Rc2 Ng7 33.Rd2 Qxe6 34.Ne3 f4 35.Ng4 h5 36.Nxe5 fxg3 37.fxg3 Qf6 38.Nf3 Nef5 39.Ng5 Nxg3 40.Re6 Nxe6 0-1 (40) Yakubboev,N (2648)-Kasimdzhanov,R (2685) Tashkent UZB 2024]

12...Bg4

[12...Bd7 13.Nf1 Kuzmin, Alexey: '?!' Bg4 Kuzmin, Alexey: '!' Kuzmin, Alexey: 'forces the closure of the center.' 14.d5 Nce7 *(14...Nh4* Kuzmin, Alexey: '!' Ribli,Zoltan: ' ⩲' *15.N1d2 Bxe3 16.Rxe3 Ne7* Kuzmin, Alexey: ' ∓'*)* 15.Bxa7 Rxa7 16.Ne3 Bd7 Ribli,Zoltan: 'Auf diese Weise kommt mit Zugumstellung die Partiefortsetzung auf Brett.' 17.c4 Nf4 Kuzmin, Alexey: '⇄' Kuzmin, Alexey: 'Khanin,S - Chigaev,M Barnaul 2021']

[Kuzmin, Alexey: 'After the bishop retreat from a4, a breakthrough is possible:' 12...f5 13.exf5 Bxf5 14.Bxf5 *(14.dxe5 Bxe3 15.Rxe3 Ncxe5 16.Bxf5 Rxf5 17.Qc2 Rf8 18.Rae1 Qd7 19.Nxe5 Nxe5 20.Nf1 Rae8 21.h3 h6 22.Ng3 Nc4 23.R3e2 d5 24.b3 Nd6 25.Qg6 Rxe2 26.Rxe2 Re8 27.Rd2 c6 28.c4 Re6 29.Qg4 dxc4 30.bxc4 Re1+ 31.Kh2 Qxg4 32.hxg4 Nxc4 33.Rd8+ Kh7 34.f3 Re7 35.Nf5 Rc7 36.Kg3 Nb6 37.f4 c5 38.g5 hxg5 39.fxg5 c4 40.Rd6 g6 41.Ne3 Na4 42.Nd5 c3 43.Nxc7 Kg7 44.Ne6+* 1-0 (44) GLonly (2680)-voraylk (2621) Blitz 2024*)* 14...Rxf5 15.d5 Nce7 16.Ne4 h6 Kuzmin, Alexey: 'and Black gets a playable position.']

[12...Qe8
A) 13.Nf1 Bd7 14.Ng3 Nd8 15.c4 *(15.Nf5 Ne6 16.g3 Ne7 17.Nxe7 Qxe7 18.Nh4 g6 19.Qd2 Ng7 20.Ng2 Rad8 21.f4 Bb8 22.Rad1 Bg4 23.Rc1 c6 24.a4 Bc7 25.b4 a5 26.b5 c5 27.Bf2 cxd4 28.cxd4 Bb6 29.Bb3 Rc8 30.dxe5 Bxf2+ 31.Qxf2 dxe5 32.Bd5 Rc7 33.Qb6 Rfc8 34.Rxc7 Rxc7 35.Qxa5 Qc5+ 36.Kh1 Bf3 37.Rg1 b6 38.Qa8+ Rc8 39.Qb7 exf4 40.gxf4 Nh5 41.Qf7 Rf8 42.Qd7 Nxf4 43.Qc6 Qf2 0-1 (43) kolya_in0zemtsev1986 (2641)-Player_2211 (2564) Blitz 2023)* 15...Ne6 16.d5 Nef4 17.Bxa7 Rxa7 18.Nf5 Ne7 19.g3 Nxf5 20.exf5 Nh3+ 21.Kg2 Ng5 22.Nd4 c6 23.h4 Nf7 24.Ne6 Rg8 25.Be4 cxd5 26.Bxd5 Bc6 27.Kg1 Qd7 28.Qf3 Raa8 29.Red1 Rac8 30.Rd2 Rge8 31.Rad1 b5 32.c5 dxc5 33.Qg4 Rg8 34.Nxc5 Qe7 35.b4 Nh6 36.Qf3 Bxd5 37.Rxd5 a5 38.Rd7 Qe8 39.a3 axb4 40.axb4 Ra8 41.Kg2 Ra2 42.Ne6 Qa8 43.Rd8 Qxf3+ 44.Kxf3 Nxf5 45.R8d5 Raa8 46.Rxb5 Rge8 47.Nc7 Nd4+ 48.Rxd4 exd4 49.Nxe8 Rxe8 50.Rd5 h6 51.Rxd4 Rb8 52.h5 Kh7 53.g4 Ra8 54.Ke4 Ra3 55.Kd5 Ra2 56.Kc6 Rb2 57.b5 Rc2+ 58.Kb7 Rb2 59.b6 Rxf2 60.Kc7 Rb2 61.Rd6 Rc2+ 62.Rc6 Rb2 63.b7 Re2 64.Rb6 Re7+ 65.Kd8 Re4 66.b8Q Rd4+ 67.Kc7 Rxg4 68.Kd6 Rd4+ 69.Ke6 Rh4 70.Qc8 Rxh5 71.Kf7 Rh3 72.Qg8# 1-0 (72) quick_Mate (2690)-alfredogto (2612) Blitz 2024;
B) 13.d5 Nce7 14.Bxa7 Rxa7 15.Nf1 f5 16.exf5 Nxf5 17.Ng5 h6 18.Qh5 Kg8 19.Ne6 Bxe6 20.dxe6 Nge7 21.Qh3 Qg6 22.Ng3 Qxe6 23.f4 Raa8 24.fxe5 d5 25.Nxf5 Nxf5 26.Rf1 Qb6+ 27.Kh1 Ne3 28.Rxf8+ Rxf8 29.Bb3 c6 30.Qe6+ Kh8 31.h3 Qd8 32.Qg6 Qh4 33.e6 Nf5 34.Bc2 Qf6 35.Bxf5 Qxf5 36.e7 Qxg6 1-0 (36) satlan (2750)-Calzonesdesuperman (2613) Blitz 2024]
[12...exd4 13.cxd4 *(13.Nxd4 Nxd4 14.Bxd4 c5 15.Be3 d5 16.exd5 Qxd5 17.Ne4 Qc6 18.Qh5 f5 19.Ng5 h6 20.Rad1 Kg8 21.Nf3 Bb8 22.Bxc5 Nf4 23.Bb3+ Kh7 24.Ng5+ Kh8 25.Nf7+ Kh7 26.Ng5+ Kh8 27.Nf7+ Kh7 28.Ng5+ ½-½ (28) thewitcher2022 (2684)-shramovigor (2552) Blitz 2024)* 13...d5 *(13...Nce7 14.d5 Bxe3 15.Rxe3 f5 16.exf5 Bxf5 17.Rc1 Qd7 18.Bxf5 Nxf5 19.Rec3 Rac8 20.Qc2 Rf7 21.Ng5 Re7 22.Ne6 c5 23.Qxf5* 1-0 (23) anishgirly (2625)-mocaspoke (2593) Blitz 2021*)* 14.exd5 Nb4 15.Bxg6 hxg6 16.Nh4 Kh7 17.Qb1 f5 18.Ndf3 Nxd5 19.Bg5 Qd6 20.Ne5 Bxd4 21.Nexg6 Bd7 22.Qd1 Nf6 23.Bxf6 Bxf6 24.Qh5+ Kg8 25.Nxf8 Rxf8 26.Rad1 Qb4 27.a3 Qb5 28.Ng6 Re8 29.Rxe8+ Bxe8 30.Re1 f4 31.Ne7+ Kf8 32.Qh8+ 1-0 (32) Tabatabaei,M (2689)-Le Tuan, M (2557) chess.com INT 2023]
[12...Qe7 13.a3 Nd8 14.b4 Ne6 15.Nf1 Nef4 16.Ng3 Bg4 17.h3 Bd7 18.Kh2 Rae8 19.d5 Ra8 20.c4 Qd8 21.c5 Qc8 22.Nf5 Bxf5 23.exf5 Ne7 24.Bxf4 exf4 25.Rxe7 dxc5 26.Nh4 cxb4 27.Ng6+ Kg8 28.d6 hxg6 29.fxg6 Rd8 30.Qd5+ 1-0 (30)

Capadjo (2673)-Hard-Training (2611) Blitz 2024]
[12...Nce7 13.Nf1 exd4 14.Bxd4 Bxd4 15.Nxd4 d5 16.exd5 Qxd5 17.Ne3 Qg5 18.Qf3 Ne5 19.Qg3 Qxg3 20.hxg3 Bd7 21.Rad1 Rad8 22.f3 Bc8 23.Kf2 g6 24.g4 Kg7 25.b4 b6 26.a3 Rfe8 27.Kg3 h6 28.Bb3 c5 29.bxc5 bxc5 30.Ne6+ Bxe6 31.Bxe6 Rxd1 32.Rxd1 N7c6 33.Bd5 Nd8 34.Kf2 Ndf7 35.Bxf7 Nxf7 36.Rd5 Rc8 37.Nc4 Rc7 38.a4 Kf8 39.Nd2 Ke7 40.Ne4 c4 41.Ra5 Rc6 42.Nc5 Ne5 43.Nxa6 Rd6 44.Nb4 Rd2+ 45.Kg3 Nd3 46.Ra7+ Ke6 47.Ra6+ Ke7 48.Nd5+ Kf7 49.Rxf6+ Kg7 50.Rc6 g5 51.Ne3 Nf4 52.Rxc4 Re2 53.Re4 Kg6 54.a5 Ra2 55.a6 Rxa6 56.c4 Ra2 57.c5 Ra5 58.Rc4 Ra3 59.Re4 Ra2 60.Kh2 Ra6 61.g3 1-0 (61) Hakobyan,A (2612)-Grischuk,A (2736) chess.com INT 2023]
[12...a5 13.a4 Bd7 14.Rc1 Qe8 15.Nf1 Bg4 16.d5 Nce7 17.Bxa7 Rxa7 18.Ne3 Bd7 19.c4 b6 20.g3 Qc8 21.h4 Kg8 22.h5 Nh8 23.Nh4 Nf7 24.Bd3 Ra8 25.Be2 Nh6 26.Kh2 f5 27.exf5 Nexf5 28.Nhxf5 Nxf5 29.Nxf5 Bxf5 30.Rf1 Bh3 31.Qd3 Bxf1 32.Rxf1 Qf5 33.Qe3 h6 34.Kg2 Kh8 35.Rh1 Rf6 36.Bd3 Qg4 37.Rh4 Qg5 38.Qe4 g6 39.hxg6 Kg7 40.f4 Rxf4 41.Rxf4 exf4 42.Qe6 Qxg3+ 43.Kh1 Qh4+ 44.Kg1 Qg3+ 45.Kh1 Qf3+ 46.Kg1 Qe3+ 0-1 (46) peahuelle (2605)-ma_long_ma (2649) Blitz 2023]

13.h3 Bd7 14.Nf1
[14.Rb1 a5 15.a3 Nce7 16.b4 axb4 17.axb4 Be6 18.c4 Qd7 19.Bd3 Bf7 20.Qc2 exd4 21.Nxd4 c5 22.Nb5 Bb6 23.Red1 Ne5 24.Be2 N5c6 25.Nf3 d5 26.bxc5 1-0 (26) AVS2000 (2865)-gogotaniye (2728) Blitz 2022]
14...f5 15.exf5 Bxf5 16.Bxf5 Rxf5 17.Ng3 Rf8 18.Ng5 Qe8 19.d5 Nce7 20.Ne6 Bxe3 21.fxe3 Qb5 22.Nxc7 Qxb2 23.Re2 Qxc3 24.Nxa8 Rxa8 25.Rc1 Qa5 26.Ne4 Nxd5 27.Nxd6 Nc3 28.Rxc3 Qxc3 29.Nf7+ Kg8 30.Qd5 Kf8 31.Ng5 Ke7 32.Qf7+ Kd8 33.Ne6+ Kc8 34.Qe8# 1-0 (34) Violord (2901)-doreality (2765) Blitz 2022

[86] **8...f6** 9.Bb3
[9.c4 0-0 10.Nc3 d6 11.h3 Nce7 12.Re1 Kh8 13.Qd2 Be6 14.c5 dxc5 15.dxc5 Qxd2 16.Nxd2 Rad8 17.Red1 Nf4 18.Bb3 Bc8 19.Bc4 Nd3 20.Bxd3 Rxd3 21.Nc4 Rfd8 22.Rxd3 Rxd3 23.Rd1 Rxd1+ 24.Nxd1 Be6 25.Na5 b6 26.cxb6 Bxb6 27.Bxb6 cxb6 28.Nb3 Kg8 29.f3 Nc6 30.Nc1 Kf7 31.Kf2 Ke7 32.Ke3 Kd6 33.a3 Na5 34.Kd3 g6 35.Ne3 f5 36.Kc3 f4 37.Nc2 Nc6 38.Nd3 a5 39.b4 g5 40.Nb2 axb4+ 41.axb4 b5 42.Nd3 Bc4 43.Nce1 Nd4 44.Kd2 h5 45.Kc3 Be6 46.Kd2 g4 47.hxg4 hxg4 48.Kc3 g3 49.Kd2 Bc4 50.Kc3 Ne6 51.Kd2 Nd8 52.Kc3 Nc6 53.Kd2 Ke6 54.Kc3 Kf6 55.Kd2 Kg5 56.Kc3 Kh4 57.Nc5 Bf1 58.Ncd3 Kg5 59.Nc5 Kh5 60.Ncd3 Kh4 61.Kd2 Kg5 62.Kc3 Kf6 63.Nc5 Nd4 64.Nd7+ Ke6 65.Nc5+ Kd6 66.Ncd3 Ne2+ 67.Kd2 Ng1 68.Nc5 Bxg2 69.Nxg2 Nxf3+ 70.Kd3 Ke7 71.Nb3 Ng5 72.Nd2 f3 73.Nh4 g2 74.Nhxf3 Nh3 75.Nb3 Kd6 76.Nbd2 g1Q 77.Nxg1 Nxg1 78.Ke3 Nh3 79.Nf3 Nf4 80.Nh4 Ne6 81.Nf5+ Kc7 82.Kd3 Nd8 83.Ne7 Kd6 84.Nf5+ Ke6 85.Kc3 Nc6 86.Ne3 Nd4 87.Nd5 Ne2+ 88.Kd2 Nd4

89.Kd3 Nc6 90.Kc3 Kd6 91.Kd3 Nd4 92.Nc3 Kc6 93.Nd5 Ne6 94.Ke3 Kd6 95.Nc3 Nd4 96.Kd3 Kc6 97.Nd5 Kd6 98.Nc3 ½-½ (98) Barys74 (2613)-NIndja64 (2819) Blitz 2021]

9...d6 10.dxe5 Bxe3 11.fxe3 dxe5 12.Nbd2 Qe7 13.Bd5 Nd8 14.a4 Ne6 15.b4 0-0 16.a5 Rd8 17.Qc2 Rb8 18.Rfb1 Bd7 19.Nb3 Kh8 20.Nfd2 Ng5 21.Nc5 Bc8 22.Nf3 Nxf3+ 23.gxf3 Rd6 24.Qf2 c6 25.Bc4 f5 26.Rd1 f4 27.Qe2 Bh3 28.Rxd6 Qxd6 29.Rd1 Qe7 30.Kh1 Rf8 31.Qf2 fxe3 32.Qxe3 Nf4 33.Bf1 Bc8 34.Qf2 h6 35.Qg3 Rf6 36.Qf2 Rg6 37.Nd3 Rd6 38.Nxf4 exf4 39.Rxd6 Qxd6 40.Qd4 Qe7 41.e5 g5 42.Bc4 Be6 43.Qd6 Qxd6 44.exd6 Bd7 45.Bd3 Kg7 46.h4 Kf6 47.c4 Ke5 48.c5 Kd4 49.Bf1 Kc3 50.Kh2 Kxb4 51.Bh3 Kxc5 52.Bxd7 Kxd6 53.Bf5 Kc5 54.hxg5 hxg5 55.Kh3 b5 56.axb6 Kxb6 57.Kg4 a5 58.Kxg5 a4 59.Kxf4 a3 60.Be6 Kc5 61.Ke3 Kb4 62.Kd4 1-0 (62) Sarana,A (2649)-Indjic,A (2607) chess.com INT 2021

8...Qf6 9.d5 Bxe3 10.dxc6 b5 11.fxe3 bxa4 12.Qxa4 Qxc6 13.Qxc6 dxc6 14.Nbd2 Be6 15.Ng5 Ke7 16.Nxe6 Kxe6 17.Nb3 Rhd8 18.Nc5+ Ke7 19.Rfd1 Rd6 20.Nb7 Rxd1+ 21.Rxd1 Rb8 22.Na5 Rxb2 23.Nxc6+ Kf6 24.Rf1+ Ke6 25.Nd8+ Ke7 26.Nxf7 Rxa2 27.Ng5 h6 28.Rf7+ Ke8 29.Rxg7 Nh4 30.Nf3 Nxf3+ 31.gxf3 Kd8 32.Kf1 Rxh2 33.f4 exf4 34.exf4 a5 35.e5 a4 36.Rg8+ Ke7 37.Ra8 Ra2 38.f5 h5 39.Ra7 Kd7 40.f6 Ke6 41.Rxc7 Rb2 42.Re7+ Kd5 43.f7 1-0 (43) mbojan23 (2643)-xamax2000 (2691) Blitz 2021

8...exd4 9.cxd4 0-0 10.Nc3 d6 11.h3 f5 12.Bb3+ Kh8 13.exf5 Bxf5 14.Ng5 Qd7 15.Qh5 h6 16.g4 1-0 (16) PI3K (2627)-Punchen (2684) Blitz 2024

87 **9.Nbd2** Ribli,Zoltan: '+-' 9...d6 [9...Re8 10.Re1 f6 11.b4 b5 12.Bb3+ Kh8 13.a4 Bb7 14.d5 Nce7 15.Bxa7 Rxa7 16.axb5 Qa8 17.bxa6 Rxa6 18.Bc4 Rxa1 19.Qxa1 Qb8 20.Qa5 c6 21.dxc6 Bxc6 22.b5 Bb7 23.Bf1 d5 24.exd5 Nxd5 25.c4 Ndf4 26.c5 Bd5 27.c6 e4 28.c7 Qb7 29.b6 Ra8 30.Qxa8+ Qxa8 31.Nxe4 Ne5 32.Nxe5 fxe5 33.Nd6 Bb7 34.Nxb7 Qxb7 35.Rc1 1-0 (35) Chessfis (2834)-CaptainSploosh (2629) Blitz 2022]

[9...d5 10.exd5

A) 10...Qxd5 11.c4 *(11.Bb3 Qd8 12.d5 Bxe3 13.fxe3 Nce7 14.e4 Bg4 15.h3 Bxf3 16.Qxf3 c5 17.a4 b5 18.axb5 axb5 19.Rxa8 Qxa8 20.d6 Nc8 21.Bxf7+ Kh8 22.Bd5 Rxf3 23.Bxa8 Rxf1+ 24.Kxf1 Nxd6 25.Nb3 c4 26.Nc5 Kg8 27.Bd5+ Kf8 28.Ne6+ Kf7 29.Ng5+ Ke7 30.Nxh7 Nf4 31.Ng5 Nd3 32.b3 cxb3 33.Bxb3 Kf6 34.h4 Nc5 35.Bc2 Na4 0-1 (35) zhao4000 (2631)-mocaspoke (2568) Blitz 2021)*

11...Qd8 12.d5 *(12.Bxc6 bxc6 13.Nxe5 Nxe5 14.dxe5 Bxe3 15.fxe3 Qg5 16.Nf3 Qxe3+ 17.Kh1 Bg4 18.Qd4 Qxd4 19.Nxd4 Rab8 20.Rf2 c5 21.Nb3 Rfe8 22.h3 Be6 23.Rc1 Rb4 24.Rfc2 Reb8 25.Nxc5 Rxb2 26.Nxa6 Rxc2 27.Rxc2 Rb7 28.Kg1 Kf8 29.Kf2 Ke7 30.Ke3 Ra7 31.Nb4 Ra3+ 32.Kd4 Kd7 33.Nd3 Kc6 34.Rf2 Ra4 35.Rc2 Ra3 36.Nb4+ Kd7 37.h4 Rg3*

38.Kc5 Rg4 39.a4 Rxh4 40.a5 Kc8 41.a6 Kb8 42.Nc6+ Ka8 43.Nd4 Re4 44.Nxe6 fxe6 45.Kc6 Rxe5 46.c5 Re1 47.Kxc7 e5 48.c6 e4 49.Kd6 Rd1+ 50.Ke5 Kb8 51.a7+ Kxa7 52.c7 1-0 (52) Erigaisi,A (2634)-Csonka,B (2478) chess.com INT 2021*)* 12...Nd4 13.Bxd4 exd4 14.Nb3 Bg4 15.h3 Bxf3 16.Qxf3 Rb8 17.Nd2 b5 18.Bb3 Ne5 19.Qe2 Re8 20.cxb5 axb5 21.Rac1 Bb6 22.Qh5 g6 23.Qh6 Qf6 24.Ne4 Qg7 25.Qh4 Red8 26.f4 Nd3 27.Rc6 Nb4 28.f5 Nxc6 29.f6 Qf8 30.dxc6 d3+ 31.Kh1 Rd4 32.Qe1 Re8 33.Ng5 Rxe1 34.Rxe1 d2 35.Rd1 h6 36.Nxf7 Qxf7 37.Bxf7+ Kxf7 38.Kg1 Kxf6 39.Kf1 Ke6 40.Ke2 Kd5 41.Rxd2 Rxd2+ 42.Kxd2 Kxc6 43.Kd3 Kd5 44.b3 c5 45.a4 c4+ 46.Kc2 cxb3+ 47.Kxb3 bxa4+ 48.Kxa4 Ke4 49.Kb5 Bg1 50.Kc4 Kf4 51.Kd3 Kg3 52.Ke4 Kxg2 53.h4 Kg3 54.h5 gxh5 55.Kd3 h4 56.Ke2 Kg2 57.Ke1 h3 58.Ke2 h2 0-1 (58) Violet_Pride (2736)-Rebalo (2631) Blitz 2023;

B) 10...exd4 11.Nxd4 *(11.cxd4 Nce7 12.Ne4 Nxd5 13.Bg5 f6 14.Bd2 Kh8 15.h3 c6 16.Nc5 Ngf4 17.Bb3 Bxh3 18.gxh3 Qc8 19.Bxf4 Nxf4 20.Nh2 Qxh3 21.Qg4 Qxg4+ 22.Nxg4 Ne2+ 23.Kg2 Nxd4 24.Nxb7 Rab8 25.Nd6 h5 26.Ne3 Nxb3 27.axb3 Rxb3 28.Rxa6 Bxe3 29.fxe3 Rxb2+ 30.Rf2 Rb3 31.Kf3 Kh7 32.Rxc6 Rd8 33.Nf5 Rd5 34.Ng3 Re5 35.Re2 h4 36.Ne4 Rb4 37.Nxf6+ gxf6 38.Rxf6 Kg7 39.Rf4 Rxf4+ 40.Kxf4 Rh5 41.Kg4 Rh8 42.Rh2 Kf6 43.Rxh4 Rxh4+ 44.Kxh4 Ke5 45.Kg3 Ke4 46.Kf2 Ke5 47.Kf3 Kf5 48.e4+ Ke5 49.Ke3 Ke6 50.Kd4 Kd6 51.e5+ Ke6 52.Ke4 Ke7 53.Kd5 Kd7 54.e6+ Ke7 55.Ke5 Ke8 56.Kd6 Kd8 57.e7+ Ke8 58.Ke6* ½-½ (58) swbxx (2619)-ikica77 (2711) Blitz 2023*)* 11...Nxd4 12.cxd4 Qxd5 13.Bb3 Qd8 14.Rc1 c6 15.Ne4 h6 16.Qf3 Nh4 17.Qh5 Nf5 18.Kh1 Be6 19.Bc2 Bxd4 20.Rcd1 c5 21.g4 g6 22.gxf5 gxh5 23.Rg1+ Kh8 24.fxe6 fxe6 25.Nxc5 Qd5+ 26.Be4 Bxe3 27.Bxd5 Bxc5 28.Bxb7 Rab8 29.Rd7 Rxf2 30.Be4 Rf5 31.Rg6 Rf1+ 32.Kg2 Rg1+ 33.Kh3 Rxg6 34.Bxg6 Bd4 35.Rxd4 1-0 (35) Papus1234 (2770)-mocaspoke (2624) Blitz 2021]

[9...exd4 Kuzmin, Alexey: '!?' Ribli, Zoltan: '!?'Kuzmin, Alexey: '- an original strategic decision.'

A) 10.Nxd4 Nxd4 11.cxd4 *(11.Bxd4 Bxd4 12.cxd4 d5 13.e5 f6 14.f4 fxe5 15.fxe5 Rxf1+ 16.Nxf1 Be6 17.Qd2 Qe7 18.Bc2 Rf8 19.Ng3 Nf4 20.Rf1 g5 21.Ne2 Nxe2+ 22.Qxe2 Rxf1+ 23.Qxf1 Qb4 24.Qf2 b6 25.h3 c5 26.Qf6 Qxd4+ 27.Kh1 Bf7 28.Qxg5+ Kf8 29.Qh6+ Ke7 30.Qd6+ Ke8 31.e6* 1-0 (31) Fratz71 (2662)-MXP (2407) Blitz 2024 *)* 11...d5 12.e5 f6 13.exf6 Qxf6 14.Bb3 *(14.Qh5 c6 15.Nf3 Qf5 16.Qxf5 Bxf5 17.Rfe1 Rae8 18.Rac1 h6 19.Bc2 Bxc2 20.Rxc2 Re4 21.Nd2 Re6 22.Nb3 Rfe8 23.Nc5 Bxc5 24.Rxc5 Re4 25.Rd1 Nf4 26.Kf1 Ne6 27.Rc3*

Nc7 28.a4 R8e7 29.Rdd3 Ne8 30.f3 R4e6 31.Bf2 Nd6 32.b3 g5 33.Re3 Rxe3 34.Bxe3 Kf7 35.Ke2 Nf5 36.Kd2 Nh4 37.f4 Nxg2 38.fxg5 Nxe3 39.Rxe3 Rxe3 40.Kxe3 hxg5 41.a5 Kf6 42.Kf3 Kf5 43.h3 Kf6 44.Kg3 Kg6 45.Kg4 Kh6 46.b4 Kg6 47.Kg3 Kh5 48.Kf3 Kh4 49.Kg2 g4 50.hxg4 Kxg4 51.Kf2 Kf4 0-1 (51) jahveni (2644)-kichot78 (2573) Blitz 2024*)* 14...c6 15.Qf3 Qe7 16.Qh5 Bf5 17.Nf3 h6 18.Rfe1 Qf7 19.Bd2 Be4 20.Rxe4 Rae8 21.Rxe8 Rxe8 22.Re1 Rxe1+ 23.Bxe1 Nf4 24.Qxf7+ Kxf7 25.Kf1 1-0 (25) AnatolyGYM (2674)-Kubas92 (2692) Blitz 2023;

B) 10.cxd4 Ribli,Zoltan: '!?' 10...d5

B1) 11.e5

B1a) 11...Nce7 12.Bc2 *(12.h3 c6 13.Re1 f6 14.exf6 Rxf6 15.Bg5 Rf7 16.Nf1 Qd6 17.Ng3 Bd7 18.Bc2 Nf5 19.Bxf5 Bxf5 20.Ne5 Raf8 21.Nxf7 Rxf7 22.Re8+ Rf8 23.Nxf5* 1-0 (23) Amonatov,F (2622)-Lobanov,S (2512) St Petersburg RUS 2021*)* 12...Nf5 13.Re1 f6 14.Nf1 fxe5 15.Nxe5 Nxe5 16.dxe5 d4 17.Bf4 Be6 18.Qd3 Qd7 19.Ng3 c5 20.b3 b5 21.Rad1 c4 22.Qf3 d3 23.Bb1 Nh4 24.Qe4 Qd4 25.Be3 Qxe4 26.Nxe4 Bxe3 27.Rxe3 Nf5 28.Ree1 Nd4 29.Nd6 Ne2+ 30.Kf1 Nc3 31.Rd2 Nxb1 32.Rxb1 Rad8 33.Rbd1 g5 34.Rc1 Kg7 35.h3 Rd7 36.f3 Kg6 37.Kf2 h5 38.Ke3 h4 39.a3 Rb8 40.Kd4 Rc8 41.Rc3 Rc6 42.Ke3 Rc5 43.f4 gxf4+ 44.Kxf4 Rd5 45.Ke4 R7xd6 46.exd6 Rxd6 47.bxc4 Bxc4 48.Kf4 Rd4+ 49.Ke3 Rd8 50.Kf4 Rf8+ 51.Kg4 Rf1 52.Kxh4 Kf5 53.Rdxd3 Ke4 54.Re3+ Kd4 55.Rf3 Rg1 56.Rg3 a5 57.Rcf3 Re1 58.Rf4+ Kc5 59.Rg5+ Bd5 60.Rff5 Rd1 61.Kg4 b4 62.axb4+ axb4 63.h4 b3 64.Rg8 b2 65.Rb8 b1Q 66.Rxb1 Rxb1 67.Kh5 Rb8 68.g4 Rg8 69.Rg5 Kd6 70.Rxg8 Bxg8 71.g5 Ke7 72.Kg4 Kf8 73.Kf4 Be6 74.h5 Bd7 75.h6 Bc6 76.g6 Ke7 77.h7 Kf6 78.Ke3 Kxg6 79.Kd2 Kf7 80.h8Q Ke6 81.Kc3 Kd6 82.Kb2 Kc7 83.Qg7+ Bd7 ½-½ (83) JoeAssaad (2670)-ma_long_ma (2648) Blitz 2023;

B1b) 11...f6

B1b1) 12.exf6 Qxf6 13.Bb3 *(13.Rc1 Nxd4 14.Nxd4 Bxd4 15.Ne4 dxe4 16.Bxd4 Qe7 17.Qb3+ Kh8 18.Bc5* 1-0 (18) Pawn_Avalanche (2645)-NewLife2023 (2649) Blitz 2023*)* 13...Be6 14.Re1 h6 15.Rc1 Rae8 16.Nf1 Bb6 17.Ng3 Na5 18.Ba4 c6 19.Bc2 Nc4 20.Qd3 Bf7 21.b3 Nxe3 22.fxe3 c5 23.Rf1 c4 24.bxc4 dxc4 25.Qd2 Qe7 26.Rce1 Qa3 27.Bb1 Ba5 28.Qc1 Qxc1 29.Rxc1 Rxe3 30.Nf5 Re2 31.Nd6 Nf4 32.Nxf7 Rxf7 33.Ne5 Rf8 34.Nxc4 Rxg2+ 35.Kh1

Bc7 36.d5 b5 37.d6 bxc4 38.dxc7 Rg4 39.Rxc4 Rc8 40.Rfxf4 Rxf4 41.Rxf4 Rxc7 42.Rf1 Rc3 43.Bg6 Rc6 44.Be4 Rd6 45.Rf2 g5 46.Kg2 Kg7 47.Bf5 Rb6 48.h3 Rf6 49.Bc2 Rb6 50.Bb3 Kg6 51.Rf8 a5 52.Rf2 Rb5 53.Ba4 Rc5 54.Bb3 h5 55.Bf7+ Kh6 56.Rf6+ Kg7 57.Rf2 g4 58.Bxh5 gxh3+ 59.Kh2 Rxh5 60.Rf3 Rb5 61.Rg3+ Kf6 62.Rf3+ Ke6 63.Rf2 Kd6 64.Kxh3 Kc5 65.Rc2+ Kb4 66.Rb2+ Ka4 67.Rd2 Rb4 68.Re2 Kb5 69.Rd2 Ka4 70.Rf2 Rb5 71.Rf4+ Rb4 72.Rf3 Kb5 73.Rf2 Ka4 74.Rf3 Rb5 75.a3 1-0 (75) rfelgaer (2682)-IMFAR (2669) Blitz 2021;

B1b2) 12.Re1 fxe5 13.Bxc6 bxc6 14.dxe5 d4 15.Bg5 Qd5 16.Qb3 Be6 17.Qxd5 Bxd5 18.Ne4 Rxf3 19.gxf3 Nxe5 20.Nd2 Nxf3+ 21.Nxf3 Bxf3 22.Re7 Bb6 23.Rae1 Rf8 24.Rd7 Bg4 25.Rde7 d3 0-1 (25) DarkAlekhine (2693)-IMFAR (2758) Blitz 2021;

B2) 11.h3 Be6 12.e5 f6 13.exf6 Qxf6 14.Bxc6 bxc6 15.Rc1 Bd7 16.Nb3 *(16.Rc3 Bb6 17.a3 Rae8 18.Qa4 a5 19.Rfc1 h6 20.Qc2 Nf4 21.Ne5 Bxh3 22.gxh3 Qg5+ 23.Ng4 Nxh3+* 0-1 (23) Zlatin (2631)-ikica77 (2729) Blitz 2023*)* 16...Bxh3 17.gxh3 Qxf3 18.Qxf3 Rxf3 19.Rxc6 Bb6 20.Nc5 Ne7 21.Re6 Nf5 22.Rd1 Rxh3 23.Nd7 h5 24.Nxb6 cxb6 25.Bf4 Rh4 26.Be5 b5 27.Rc1 Nxd4 28.Rg6 Nf3+ 0-1 (28) KreuzritterImZoo (2666)-dmitrij_IM (2773) Blitz 2021;

B3) 11.Rc1 dxe4 12.Nxe4 Nb4 13.Bg5 f6 14.Bd2 Nd5 15.Re1 Kh8 16.Nc5 Ndf4 17.Bxf4 Nxf4 18.Re4 Qd6 19.Qd2 g5 20.h4 b6 21.hxg5 fxg5 22.Nd3 Bb7 23.d5 Nxd5 24.Nxg5 b5 25.Bb3 Nf6 26.Rf4 Rad8 27.Ne6 Ne4 28.Rxf8+ Rxf8 29.Qh6 Rf7 30.Ng5 Rg7 31.Nf7+ Rxf7 32.Qxd6 Nxd6 33.Bxf7 Nxf7 34.Rxc7 Nd8 35.Nc5 Bxc5 36.Rxc5 Ne6 37.Re5 Bc8 38.f4 Kg7 ½-½ (38) Saric,I (2661)-Kasimdzhanov,R (2675) London ENG 2025;

B4) 11.Bxc6 bxc6

B4a) 12.Rc1 0.00 dxe4 0.04 13.Nxe4 0.08 Be6 0.08 14.b3 0.18 Bd5 0.27 15.Nc3 0.29 Re8 0.34 16.Nxd5 0.41 cxd5 0.34 17.Qc2 0.21 Bb6 0.23 18.Qf5 0.00 Qd6 0.01 19.Rc2 0.11 Qe6 0.00 20.Qxe6 0.00 Rxe6 0.00 21.Rfc1 0.00 a5 0.05 22.Kf1 0.06 f6 0.03 23.a4 0.22 Rae8 0.00 24.g3 0.01 Re4? 1.01 Mistake. h5 was best. *(24...h5 25.Bd2)* 25.Nd2 0.98 R4e6 1.17 26.b4 1.25 Ne7 1.72 27.Nb3 1.78 Ra8 2.08 28.Bd2 2.01 axb4 2.09 29.a5 2.04 Rxa5 2.01 30.Nxa5 2.03 Bxa5 1.98 31.Ra2 1.09 Bb6 1.94 32.Bxb4 1.89 Nf5 1.92 33.Bc5 1.95 Bxc5 2.25 34.dxc5 2.43 h5 2.49 35.c6 1.91 Ne7 2.21

36.Ra7 2.04 Nxc6 2.18 37.Rxc7 2.05 Ne7 2.08 38.h4 1.72 Kf7 1.85 39.Ra1 1.09 Kg6 1.93 40.Rd7 1.93 Re5 1.75 41.Re1 1.79 Rxe1+ 1.92 42.Kxe1 1.89 Kf7 1.88 43.Rd6 1.07 Kg6 1.08 44.Ke2 1.96 Kf5 1.94 45.Rd7 1.73 Ke6 1.71 46.Rd8 1.66 Nf5 1.07 47.Rh8 1.65 g6 1.64 48.Kf3 1.57 Nd6 1.41 49.Rg8 1.37 Kf7?! 1.99 Inaccuracy. Kf5 was best. *(49...Kf5 50.Kg2 Nf7 51.Ra8 g5 52.Ra5 Ke5 53.Ra7 Ke6 54.g4 hxg4 55.h5 Nh6 56.Kf1)* 50.Ra8 1.79 Ne4?! 2.68 Inaccuracy. Ke6 was best. *(50...Ke6)* 51.Ra6 2.64 Ke7 2.74 52.Ke3 2.69 Kf7 2.85 53.Ra2 2.78 Ke6 2.69 54.Kd4 3.35 Kf5 2.96 55.Rb2 3.31 Ke6 3.19 56.Re2 2.08 Kd6 3.13 57.Rb2 2.63 Ke6 2.75 58.Rc2 2.74 Kd6 2.48 59.Re2 2.46 Nc5 2.43 60.Re8 2.34 Ne6+ 2.21 61.Ke3 2.14 Ke5 1.96 62.f3 1.55 f5?? 4.18 Blunder. g5 was best. *(62...g5 63.hxg5 fxg5 64.Rh8 Ng7 65.f4+ Kf5 66.Kf3 g4+ 67.Ke3 Kf6 68.Rh6+ Kf7 69.Kf2)* 63.f4+ 3.97 Kf6 3.85 64.Rc8 4.28 Kf7 4.22 65.Kd3 4.18 Ke7 4.07 66.Kc3 3.93 Kf7 4.03 67.Rc6 4.02 Ke7 3.49 68.Kb4 3.48 Kd7 4.35 69.Rb6 4.23 Ke7 4.35 70.Rb7+ 4.03 Kf6 4.26 71.Rd7 3.85 1-0 (71) Kasimdzhanov,R (2673)-Naumann,A (2498) Muelheim GER 2024;

B4b) 12.e5 f5 13.exf6 Qxf6 Kuzmin, Alexey: 'Though the bishop placement on a7 provokes natural doubts, Black's counterplay is real enough.' 14.Rc1 c5 *(14...Bd7 15.b4 Bb6 16.a3 Rae8 17.Re1 h6 18.Qc2 Re7 19.a4 a5 20.Qb2 Nf4 21.Bxf4 Rxe1+ 22.Rxe1 Qxf4 23.bxa5 Bxa5 24.Re3 c5 25.dxc5 Bxa4 26.h3 Kh8 27.Nf1 Be8 28.Qa2 Bb4 29.Qxd5 Bf7 30.Qc6 Bc4 31.Ng3 Qf7 32.Kh2 Bd5 33.Qb5 Bc3 34.Qd3 Bf6 35.Ne2 c6 36.Nf4 Qc7 37.g3 Bg5 38.Ng6+ Kg8 39.Nxf8 Bxe3 40.Qxe3 Kxf8 41.Ne5 Qa5 42.g4 Qa1 43.f3 Qb1 44.Kg3 Kg8 45.h4 Qc2 46.h5 Qd1 47.Ng6 Kh7 48.Ne7 Qb1 49.Nf5 Qc2 50.Qd4* 1-0 (50) Martinez Alcantara,J (2619)-Lobanov,S (2547) chess.com INT 2023*)* 15.dxc5 Qxb2 16.Bd4 Qxa2 17.Ra1 Qxa1 18.Qxa1 Rf7 19.Re1 Bf5 20.Ng5 1-0 (20) T-Stevenson (2630)-Yolo_Gaming (2863) Blitz 2022]

[9...Qf6 10.Re1 *(10.Bxc6 exd4 11.Bxb7 Bxb7 12.Bxd4 Bxd4 13.cxd4 Nf4 14.Re1 Rae8 15.g3 Ne6 16.d5 Nc5 17.Qc2 d6 18.b4 Nd7 19.Qxc7 Bc8 20.Rac1* 1-0 (20) AlexD64 (2638)-ma_long_ma (2671) Blitz 2023*)* 10...exd4 11.cxd4 Nxd4 12.e5 Nxf3+ 13.Nxf3 Qd8 14.Bxa7 Rxa7 15.Qd4 Ra8 16.Rad1 d6 17.Bb3 a5 18.h3 Ra6 19.Bc4 Rb6 20.b3 Qe7 21.exd6 Qxd6 22.Qc3 Qb4 23.Qc2 Rf6 24.Nd4 c6

25.Qe4 Qc5 26.Nf3 Bf5 27.Qe3 Qxe3 28.Rxe3 b5 29.Bf1 Nf4 30.Kh2 Nd5 31.Re5 Nc3 32.Rc1 Nxa2 33.Rxc6 Rxc6 34.Rxf5 Nc3 35.Nd4 Rb6 36.Nxb5 Nxb5 37.Bxb5 g6 38.Rc5 Rf6 39.Bc4 Rxf2 40.Rxa5 Rd8 41.Rd5 Rxd5 42.Bxd5 Kg7 43.Kg3 Rb2 44.Kf4 Re2 45.g3 f5 46.h4 Kf6 47.Bc4 Rb2 48.Bd5 h6 49.Ke3 Ke5 50.Bf7 g5 51.hxg5 hxg5 52.Kd3 Rg2 53.b4 Rxg3+ 54.Kc4 Kd6 0-1 (54) Kerryxyn (2709)-ma_long_ma (2641) Blitz 2023]

[9...b5 10.Bb3 d6 *(10...Bb7 11.Re1 d6 12.a4 h6 13.axb5 axb5 14.Qe2 b4 15.Qd3 bxc3 16.bxc3 Bb6 17.Nc4 Rxa1 18.Rxa1 exd4 19.cxd4 d5 20.Nxb6 dxe4 21.Qxe4 cxb6 22.Qxg6* 1-0 (22) AlexD64 (2621)-Fightbro (2527) Blitz 2024*)* 11.Re1 Rb8 *(11...Kh8 12.Nf1 f5 13.exf5 Bxf5 14.Ng3 Bg4 15.Bd5 Nce7 16.Bxa8 Qxa8 17.d5 Bxf3 18.gxf3 Nh4 19.Kh1 Nxf3 20.Re2 Nxd5 21.Ne4 Nxe3* 0-1 (21) JoeAssaad (2608)-Kyojuro-rengoku1 (2584) Blitz 2024 *)* 12.Nf1 h6 13.Ng3 Bg4 14.h3 Bxf3 15.gxf3 Qf6 16.Nf5 Bb6 17.Kh2 Nce7 18.Nxe7+ Nxe7 19.Rg1 Ng6 20.Rg4 Nh4 21.f4 h5 22.Rxh4 Qxh4 23.Qf3 exd4 24.cxd4 c5 25.dxc5 dxc5 26.Bd5 c4 27.Rg1 Bxe3 28.fxe3 Rb6 29.Rg5 g6 30.e5 Kg7 31.Rg2 Rd8 32.f5 Rf8 33.e6 Rd6 34.exf7 g5 35.e4 g4 36.Qc3+ Rf6 37.Rg3 Kh7 38.Qe5 Qg5 39.Qd4 Rd8 40.Qf2 Rxd5 41.exd5 Rxf7 42.hxg4 hxg4 43.Qe2 Qxf5 44.Qxg4 Qxg4 45.Rxg4 Rd7 46.Rg5 Kh6 47.Re5 Kg6 48.Re6+ Kf5 49.Rxa6 Rxd5 50.a4 Rd2+ 51.Kg3 Rxb2 52.Ra5 c3 53.axb5 Ke4 54.b6 c2 55.Rc5 Kd3 56.Rc6 Kd2 57.Rd6+ Ke2 58.Rc6 Rb3+ 59.Kf4 Kd2 60.Rd6+ Rd3 61.Rxd3+ Kxd3 62.b7 c1Q+ 63.Ke5 Qb2+ 64.Ke6 Qxb7 Time forfeit 0-1 (64) KomalPotawad (2637)-simba_abessimba (2475) Blitz 2024]

10.Re1

[10.Bc2 f6 11.Re1 Kh8 12.Nf1 Qe8 13.Ng3 Bd7 14.h3 Nd8 *(14...a5 15.a3 a4 16.Bd3 Na5 17.Qc2 Nb3 18.Rad1 b5 19.Bf1 Be6 20.d5 Bd7 21.Bxa7 Rxa7 22.c4 Nf4 23.Ne2 g5 24.cxb5 Nc5 25.Nc3 g4 26.hxg4 Bxg4 27.Re3 Rg8 28.Rde1 Qh5 29.Nh2 Raa8 30.Rg3 Bd7 31.Ree3 f5 32.Rxg8+ Rxg8 33.Rg3 Rxg3 34.fxg3 Ng6 35.exf5 Bxf5 36.Qf2 e4 37.g4 Bxg4 38.Qf6+ Kg8 39.Qd8+ Kg7 40.Qxc7+ Kh6 41.Qxd6 Nd3 42.Nxe4 Nde5 43.Nf6 Qg5 44.Nhxg4+ Nxg4 45.Nxg4+ Qxg4 46.Qf6 Qd1 47.d6 Qd5 48.b6 Qc6 49.Qd4 Qd7 50.b7* 1-0 (50) Firouzja, A (2785)-Bjelobrk,I (2405) chess.com INT 2022*; 14...Rd8 15.d5 Bxe3 16.dxc6 Bxf2+ 17.Kxf2 Bxc6 18.c4 Bd7 19.Kg1 Be6 20.b3 Nf4 21.Ne2 Ng6 22.Nc3 Qd7 23.Bd3 c6 24.Bf1 f5 25.Ng5 Bg8 26.Qh5 Rf6 27.exf5 Qxf5 28.Nce4 Rff8 29.Qg4 Qxg4 30.hxg4 h6 31.Nf3 Be6 32.g5 h5 33.Rad1 d5 34.Nc5 Bg4 35.Be2 b6 36.Nd3 e4 37.Nde5 Nf4 38.Nd4 Rde8 39.Bxg4 hxg4 40.Ndxc6 dxc4 41.Rxe4 c3 42.Rxf4 c2 43.Rc1 Rxf4 44.Ng6+ Kg8 45.Nxf4 Re4 46.Nd5 Re2 47.Kf1 Rd2 48.Ke1 Rxg2 49.Ne3 Rh2 50.Rxc2 g3 51.g6 Kf8 52.Rd2 Rh1+ 53.Ke2 Rh2+ 54.Kd1 Rxd2+ 55.Kxd2 b5 56.Ke2 Ke8 57.Kf3 g2 58.Kxg2 Kd7 59.Ne5+ Ke6 60.Nf3 Kf6 61.Nh4 Kg5 62.Kg3 Kf6 63.Nef5 Kg5 64.Nxg7 Kf6*

65.Ngf5 a5 66.a4 bxa4 67.bxa4 Ke6 68.Kg4 Kf6 69.Kf4 Ke6 70.Kg5 Ke5 71.g7 Kd5 72.g8Q+ Kc5 73.Qe6 Kb4 74.Qc6 Ka3 75.Qb5 Ka2 76.Nd4 Ka3 77.Qb3# 1-0 (77) satlan (2668)-alfredogto (2641) Blitz 2024; *14...exd4 15.cxd4 Nb4 16.Bb1 Nc6 17.a3 Nce7 18.Qd2 d5 19.e5 fxe5 20.Nxe5 Nxe5 21.dxe5 c5 22.Bg5 Be6 23.Ba2 c4 24.Nh1 d4 25.Rad1 d3 26.Be3 b5 27.Ng3 Nd5 28.Bxa7 Rxa7 29.Qg5 Raf7 30.Ne4 Rf5 31.Qg3 Qh5 32.b3 Nf4 33.Qg4 Ne2+ 34.Kh2 Rxe5 35.Qxh5 Rxh5 36.bxc4 bxc4 37.g4 Re5 38.Ng3 Rxf2+ 39.Kh1 Bd5+ 40.Ne4 Bxe4#* 0-1 (40) Hard-Training (2610)-The_Miracle_of_Yudo (2598) Blitz 2025 *)* 15.Qd2 Ne6 16.Rad1 *(16.Nf5 Ngf4 17.d5 Ng5 18.Bxf4 Nxf3+ 19.gxf3 exf4 20.Qxf4 g6 21.Nd4 Qe5 22.Qg3 Bxd4 23.cxd4 Qxd4 24.Rab1 Rae8 25.h4 Re5 26.Re3 Rh5 27.Rd3 Qb6 28.Rb3 Qc5 29.Rc3 Qa5 30.a3 g5 31.f4 gxh4 32.Qe3 Rg8+ 33.Kh2 h3 34.b4 Rg2+ 35.Kh1 Qb6 36.Qxb6 cxb6 37.f5 Rhg5 38.Rxh3 Rxf2 39.Bd3 Be8 40.Rc1 Bh5 41.Rf1 Rd2 42.Rg1 Rxg1+ 43.Kxg1 Bg4 44.Rg3 h5 45.e5 fxe5 46.f6 Kg8 47.Bg6 Kf8 48.Rc3 e4 49.Rc7 e3 50.Rf7+ Kg8 51.Re7 Rd1+ 52.Kg2 Rd2+ 53.Kg3 h4+ 54.Kxh4 Rh2+ 55.Kg5 Rg2 56.Re8#* 1-0 (56) AttackingBeast (2671)-alfredogto (2610) Blitz 2024*)* 16...Rd8 17.c4 Ngf4 18.b4 g6 19.d5 Ng5 20.Nxg5 fxg5 21.Bxa7 b6 22.c5 Bxh3 23.gxh3 Nxh3+ 24.Kg2 Rxf2+ 25.Qxf2 Nxf2 26.Kxf2 Qd7 27.Kg2 Qb5 28.cxb6 cxb6 29.a3 Ra8 30.Bd3 Qa4 31.Bxb6 Qxa3 32.Be3 h6 33.Bf1 Qxb4 34.Rb1 Qc3 35.Re2 a5 36.Bf2 Rf8 37.Reb2 a4 38.Kg1 a3 39.Rb8 Qf3 40.Rxf8+ Qxf8 41.Rb7 a2 42.Ra7 Qf3 43.Rxa2 h5 44.Ra8+ Kg7 45.Ra7+ Kg8 46.Bg2 Qd1+ 47.Nf1 h4 48.Ra6 Qg4 49.Ne3 Qe2 50.Rxd6 h3 51.Bxh3 Kf8 52.Re6 Qa2 53.Bg2 Qa1+ 54.Bf1 g4 55.Rxg6 g3 56.Rxg3 Qa7 57.Rf3+ Ke8 58.Kg2 Qg7+ 59.Rg3 Qh7 60.Be2 Qa7 61.Bf3 Qa2 62.Ng4 Qa1 63.Nxe5 Ke7 64.Ng4 Kd6 65.Nh6 Kc7 66.Nf5 Kd8 67.Ne3 Qb2 68.Ng4 Qa1 69.Rh3 Ke8 70.Rh7 Kf8 71.Rh5 Kg8 72.Rg5+ Kf8 73.Rf5+ Ke8 74.Re5+ Kd8 75.Re6 Kd7 76.Ne5+ Kd8 77.Nc6+ Kc8 78.Bg3 Qg1+ 79.Kh3 Qxg3+ 80.Kxg3 Kd7 81.Bg4 Kc8 82.Re5+ 1-0 (82) UnpredictableLaddie (2837)-Alfredo2345 (2692) Blitz 2024]

[10.h3

A) 10...exd4 11.cxd4 *(11.Nxd4 Nxd4 12.Bxd4 Bxd4 13.cxd4 Kh8 14.Bc2 f5 15.exf5 Bxf5 16.Re1 Qf6 17.Bxf5 Qxf5 18.Qf3 Qg5 19.Ne4 Qh6 20.Qg3 Nf4 21.Ng5 Rf5 22.h4 Raf8 23.Re7 Qf6 24.Rae1 h6 25.Nf3 Nd5 26.R7e6 Qf7 27.a3 Qh5 28.Qg6 Qxg6 29.Rxg6 Nf4 30.Rg4 Nh3+ 31.Kf1 Nf4 32.Re7 R5f7 33.Rxf7 Rxf7 34.Ne1 Kg8 35.Rg3 Kf8 36.Rf3 Ke7 37.Nd3 Nd5 38.Rxf7+ Kxf7 39.g3 h5 40.Ke2 b5 41.Kf3 a5 42.Nf4 Nf6 43.Ne2 Ke6 44.Nc3 c6 45.b4 axb4 46.axb4 Nd5 47.Na2 Kf5 48.g4+ hxg4+ 49.Kg3 Nf6 50.Nc3 Nh5+ 51.Kg2 Kf4 52.Ne2+ Ke4 53.Ng3+ Nxg3 54.Kxg3 Kxd4 55.Kxg4 c5 56.Kf5 cxb4 57.Kg6 b3 58.Kxg7 b2*

59.h5 b1Q 60.h6 Qg1+ 61.Kh8 Qxf2 62.h7 Qh2 63.Kg8 Qxh7+ 64.Kxh7 Kc5 65.Kg6 b4 66.Kf7 b3 67.Ke7 b2 68.Kd7 Kb6 0-1 (68) canc3111 (2658)-Dekelija (2718) Blitz 2024*)* 11...Nce7 *(11...f5 12.Bb3+ Kh8 13.Ng5 f4 14.Nxh7 fxe3 15.Nxf8 Nxf8 16.Qh5+ Nh7 17.fxe3 Bd7 18.Rf7 Na5 19.Qxa5 Be8 20.Qxc7 Bxf7 21.Qxf7 Qg5 22.Nc4 b5 23.Nxd6 Qxe3+ 24.Kh1 Qxd4 25.Qg8+* 1-0 (25) GeniusChess08 (2677)-the_great_evil (2806) Blitz 2024*)* 12.Re1 *(12.Bb3 d5 13.e5 Nf5 14.Re1 c6 15.Nf1 f6 16.exf6 Qxf6 17.Bg5 Qf7 18.Qd2 h6 19.Be3 Nxe3 20.Nxe3 Nf4 21.Ne5 Qf6 22.Rad1 Qg5 23.Kh2 Bf5 24.f3 Rae8 25.Nxf5 Qxf5 26.Bc2 Qf6 27.Nd7 Qd6 28.Nxf8 Ne2+ 29.Kh1 Ng3+ 30.Kg1 Rxf8 31.Qe3 Bb8 32.Qe7 Nh5 33.Qxd6 Bxd6 34.Re6 Rd8 35.Rde1 Nf6 36.Bg6 Bf8 37.Kf2 c5 38.dxc5 Bxc5+ 39.Kf1 d4 40.Rd1 Kf8 41.g3 Be7 42.Rde1 Bb4 43.Rd1 Be7 44.Kg2 Bb4 45.a3 Be7 46.Rde1 Bc5 47.Rd1 Be7 48.h4 Bc5 49.g4 Nd5 50.Kg3 Bd6+ 51.Rxd6 Rxd6 52.Rxd4 Ke7 53.Be4 Ne3 54.Rb4 a5 55.Rxb7+ Ke6 56.Re7+* 1-0 (56) JoeAssaad (2635)-gmmitkov (2629) Blitz 2023*)* 12...d5 *(12...c6 13.Nf1 d5 14.e5 f6 15.exf6 Rxf6 16.Bg5 Rf7 17.Bc2 Qd6 18.Ng3 Bf5 19.Ne5 Nxe5 20.Bxe7 Bxc2 21.Bxd6 Bxd1 22.Bxe5 Ba4 23.b3 Bb5 24.Rad1 a5 25.a4 Ba6 26.f4 b5 27.Ra1 bxa4 28.Rxa4 Bb5 29.Ra2 Bb6 30.Kh2 a4 31.Rea1 Rfa7 32.b4 a3 33.f5 Bc4 34.Rf2 Re8 35.Rf3 a2 36.f6 Rxe5 37.dxe5 Bd4* 0-1 (37) Oleg114 (2604)-shramovigor (2503) Blitz 2024 *)* 13.e5 h6 14.Bc2 Nf5 15.Nf1 Re8 16.Rc1 c6 17.g4 Nxe3 18.fxe3 f6 19.Bxg6 1-0 (19) Violet_Pride (2730)-solxe (2704) Blitz 2023;

B) 10...f5 11.exf5 Bxf5 12.dxe5 Bxe3 13.fxe3 Ncxe5 14.Nd4 Bd7 15.Rxf8+ Nxf8 16.Bxd7 Qxd7 17.Qb3+ Qf7 18.Qxb7 Re8 19.Rf1 Qxa2 20.Qxc7 Qxb2 21.Ne4 d5 22.Nd6 Ra8 23.N4f5 Nfd7 24.Ne7+ Kh8 25.Nxd5 Qd2 26.c4 Qd3 27.Nf7+ Nxf7 28.Rxf7 Nf8 29.Rxg7 Qf5 30.Rf7 Qg6 31.Nf6 a5 32.Qe7 Qb1+ 33.Kh2 Qb8+ 34.Kg1 Qb1+ 35.Kf2 Qc2+ 36.Kg3 Qg6+ 37.Kh2 1-0 (37) notagm27 (2711)-spectraline (2634) Blitz 2023;

C) 10...Kh8 11.Bxc6 bxc6 12.dxe5 Bxe3 13.fxe3 dxe5 14.Qe2 Qe7 15.Rad1 Be6 16.b3 a5 17.Qf2 a4 18.h4 Bg4 19.Qg3 h5 20.b4 c5 21.b5 c4 22.Rb1 Qc5 23.Nh2 Nf4 24.Kh1 Ne2 25.Qf2 Nxc3 26.Rbc1 Nxb5 27.Nxg4 hxg4 28.Nxc4 Qe7 29.Qg3 Ra6 30.Qxg4 Rh6 31.g3 Nd6 32.Nxd6 cxd6 33.Rc8 Kg8 34.Rxf8+ Qxf8 35.Rc1 Re6 36.Rc7 Qa8 37.Qf5 Qe8 38.Ra7 Rf6 39.Qg4 Qb8 40.Qd7 Qb1+ 41.Kh2 Qxa2+ 42.Kh3 Rf1 43.Qc8+ Kh7 44.Ra8 Rh1+ 45.Kg4 Qe2+ 46.Kg5 f6+ 47.Kf5 Qf3+ 48.Ke6 Qg4+ 49.Kxd6 Qxc8 50.Rxc8 Re1 51.Ra8 Rxe3 52.Rxa4 Rxg3 53.Ke6 Rg4 54.h5 Rh4 55.Kf5 Rxh5+ 56.Ke6 Rg5 57.Ra7 Kg6 58.Re7 Rg4

59.Rxg7+ Kxg7 60.Kd5 Kg6 61.Kd6 Rg5 62.Kd5 f5 63.Ke6 f4 64.Kd5 f3 0-1 (64) cbev378 (2699)-ElonMuskTwitter (2510) Blitz 2024;

D) 10...h6 11.Qe2 exd4 12.cxd4 Nce7 13.Rac1 c6 14.Rfd1 f5 15.d5 Bxe3 16.Qxe3 c5 17.e5 b5 18.exd6 Qxd6 19.Bc2 Nf4 20.Re1 Nexd5 21.Qe5 Qxe5 22.Nxe5 c4 23.Ndf3 Nb4 24.Bb1 Bb7 25.a3 Bxf3 26.axb4 Bxg2 27.f3 Bxh3 28.Rcd1 Rad8 29.Kf2 Rxd1 30.Rxd1 Re8 31.Re1 Ng2 32.Re2 Nf4 33.Re1 g5 34.Kg3 Kg7 35.Re3 h5 36.Nxc4 h4+ 37.Kf2 Rd8 38.Ne5 Rd2+ 39.Kg1 Rg2+ 40.Kh1 Rxb2 41.Re1 Bg2+ 42.Kg1 Nh3+ 43.Kh2 Nf4 44.Kg1 h3 45.Bxf5 h2+ 46.Kxh2 Bh3+ 47.Kh1 Bxf5 48.Nc6 Kf6 49.Nb8 g4 50.fxg4 Bxg4 51.Nxa6 Bf3+ 52.Kg1 Nh3+ 0-1 (52) BughouseKnight (2634)-zvonokchess (2847) Blitz 2022;

E) 10...Bd7 11.Bc2 *(11.Bb3 Qe7 12.Re1 Rae8 13.Bg5 exd4 14.Bxe7 Rxe7 15.cxd4 Nxd4 16.Nxd4 Bxd4 17.Qc2 Bb6 18.Nf3 Rfe8 19.Rad1 h6 20.e5 Nxe5 21.Nxe5 dxe5 22.Re2 Bb5 23.Red2 Bd4 24.Bd5 c6 25.Be4 a5 26.a4 Ba6 27.Qb3 Kh8 28.Qf3 g6 29.Qf6+ Kg8 30.Bd3 Re6 31.Qh4 Bxd3 32.Rxd3 Kg7 33.b3 f5 34.g4 g5 35.Qh5 f4 36.h4 Rg6 37.Rh3 Rh8 38.Kg2 c5 39.Rdh1 e4 40.hxg5 f3+ 41.Kf1 Rxg5 42.Qxg5+ hxg5 43.Rxh8 Kf6 44.Rb8 Ke5 45.Rh7 Kf4 46.Re7 Kxg4 47.Rxe4+ Kf5 48.Ree8 g4 49.Rxb7 g3 50.fxg3* 1-0 (50) jeromeovich (2613)-Fightbro (2607) Blitz 2023*; 11.a3 Qe8 12.Bb3 Kh8 13.Re1 f6 14.Nf1 Nce7 15.Ng3 h6 16.Qd2 Kh7 17.h4 Rd8 18.h5 Nh8 19.Nh4 Nf7 20.Ngf5 Nxf5 21.exf5 Ng5 22.Ng6 Bxf5 23.Nxf8+ Qxf8 24.f4 Ne4 25.Qd1 Qe8 26.fxe5 dxe5 27.Qf3 Nd6 28.dxe5 Bxe3+ 29.Rxe3 fxe5 30.Qe2 e4 31.Rf1 Qd7 32.Qf2 Bg4 33.Bf7 Kh8 34.Bg6 Qe7 35.Qf4 Bd7 36.Bxe4 Nc4 37.Re2 Qc5+ 38.Qf2 Qd6 39.Bxb7 Bg4 40.Bf3 Rf8 41.Qd4 Bxf3 42.Qxd6 cxd6 43.Rxf3 Rb8 44.Rd3 Nxb2 45.Rxd6 Na4 46.c4 Kh7 47.Rxa6 Nc5 48.Ra7 Nd3 49.Ree7* 1-0 (49) Oleg114 (2609)-Shramov,I (2535) Blitz 2024*; 11.d5 Nce7 12.Bxa7 Rxa7 13.c4 h6 14.Re1 f5 15.Bxd7 Qxd7 16.exf5 Nxf5 17.Ne4 Raa8 18.Rc1 b6 19.b4 a5 20.a3 axb4 21.axb4 Ra3 22.c5 bxc5 23.bxc5 Nf4 24.cxd6 cxd6 25.Rc3 Ra2 26.Rc2 Rfa8 27.Rxa2 Rxa2 28.Qb3 Qa7 29.Rc1 Ne2+ 30.Kh2 Ned4 31.Nxd4 Nxd4 32.Rc8+ Kh7 33.Qg3 Qd7 34.Nf6+ gxf6 35.Qg8#* 1-0 (35) HerrTulpe (2605)-molenotyetwhacked (2542) Blitz 2024 *)*

E1) 11...h6 12.Re1 *(12.Nb3 Qe7 13.Re1 Nd8 14.Na5 Bb6 15.Nc4 exd4 16.Nxb6 cxb6 17.cxd4 Ne6 18.d5 Nef4 19.Bxb6 Ne5 20.Be3 Qf6 21.Nxe5 Qxe5 22.Qd2 g5 23.Bd4 Qe7 24.e5 dxe5 25.Bxe5 Ng6 26.Bc3 Qd8 27.Qd4* 1-0 (27) Coolestbean (2637)-Simba_Abessimba (2579) Blitz 2024*)* 12...Qf6 13.a4 *(13.Nf1 Nf4 14.Ng3 g5 15.dxe5 Nxe5 16.Nxe5 Qxe5*

17.Bxa7 Rxa7 18.Qd4 c5 19.Qd2 Be6 20.Rad1 Rd8 21.Nf5 Bxf5 22.exf5 Qf6 23.g3 Nxh3+ 24.Kg2 g4 25.Qe2 h5 26.f3 Ng5 27.fxg4 hxg4 28.Qxg4 b5 29.Rh1 1-0 (29) vvrtixsen (2643)-khvichachess (2612) Blitz 2025*)* 13...exd4 14.cxd4 Nxd4 15.Bxd4 Bxd4 16.e5 Bxe5 17.Ne4 Qf4 18.Nxe5 Nxe5 19.Ra3 Qh4 20.Rg3 f5 21.Nxd6 cxd6 22.Qxd6 Rae8 23.Rxe5 Rxe5 24.Qxe5 Qf6 25.Qd5+ Be6 26.Qxb7 f4 27.Rc3 Qe5 28.Qxa6 Bd5 29.Qd3 Re8 30.Qxd5+ Qxd5 31.Bb3 Qxb3 32.Rxb3 Re1+ 33.Kh2 Re2 34.Rf3 Rxb2 35.Rxf4 Ra2 36.Kg3 Kh7 37.Rb4 h5 38.Kf3 Kh6 39.g3 g6 40.g4 Ra3+ 41.Kg2 hxg4 42.hxg4 Ra2 43.Kg3 Kg5 44.f4+ Kh6 45.g5+ Kh5 46.Kf3 Ra3+ 47.Ke2 Kg4 48.Kd2 Kf5 49.Kc2 Ra2+ 50.Kb3 Ra1 51.Rc4 Rb1+ 52.Ka3 Rb8 53.a5 Ra8 54.Ka4 Ke6 55.Kb5 Kd5 56.Rb4 Rb8+ 57.Ka4 Ra8 58.Rb6 Kc5 59.Rxg6 1-0 (59) Juan_Delasala (2668)-spectraline (2667) Blitz 2023;

E2) 11...Qe8 12.Re1 f6 *(12...a5 13.Nf1 a4 14.Ng3 exd4 15.cxd4 Nb4 16.Bb1 c5 17.a3 Nc6 18.dxc5 Bxc5 19.Bc2 Nge5 20.Nxe5 Qxe5 21.Bxc5 Qxc5 22.Bxa4 Be6 23.b4 Qb6 24.Bb3 Nd4 25.Bd5 Rac8 26.Rc1 Bxd5 27.exd5 Rxc1 28.Qxc1 Qb5 29.Qg5 h6 30.Qd2 Qc4 31.Rc1 Nb3 32.Rxc4 Nxd2 33.Rc7 Ra8 34.Rxb7 Rxa3 35.Rb6 Ra1+ 36.Kh2 Rb1 37.Rxd6 Rxb4 38.Rd8+ Kh7 39.d6 Rd4 40.Ne2 Rd5 41.d7 Ne4 42.Nf4 Rd2 43.f3 Nf6 44.Kg3 Rxd7 45.Rf8 g5 46.Ne2 Kg7 47.Ra8 h5 48.Kf2 h4 49.Ra5 Rd2 50.Rxg5+ Kh6 51.Rf5 Nh5 52.Rxf7 Ng3 53.Re7 Kg5 54.Re5+ Kf6 55.Re3 Kf5 56.Ke1 Ra2 57.Nxg3+ hxg3 58.Re4* 1-0 (58) Sigmachess08 (2662)-Sobino106 (2683) Blitz 2024 *)* 13.a4 *(13.Bd3 a5 14.d5 Nd8 15.Bxa7 Rxa7 16.a4 h6 17.Qb3 Kh8 18.Kh2 Nf7 19.Bb5 Ng5 20.Bxd7 Qxd7 21.Nxg5 fxg5 22.Kg1 g4 23.c4 gxh3 24.Qxh3 Qxh3 25.gxh3 Nf4 26.Re3 Rf6 27.Nf1 Ra8 28.Raa3 b6 29.Kh2 Raf8 30.Rf3 Ne2 31.Rxf6 Rxf6 32.Kg2 Nd4 33.Ne3 h5 34.Rd3 Rf4 35.Nf1 Rxe4 36.Ng3 Rh4 37.Rd1 g6 38.Rb1 Nf5 39.b3 Rd4 40.Nxf5 gxf5 41.b4 Rxc4 42.bxa5 bxa5 43.Rb8+ Kg7 44.Rb7 Kf6 45.Ra7 Rc5 46.Kf3 h4 47.Ke3 Ke7 48.f4 e4 49.Kd4 Kd7 50.Ra8 Rc1 51.Rxa5 Rd1+ 52.Ke3 Rd3+ 53.Ke2 Rxh3 54.Ra8 Rd3 55.Rh8 Rxd5 56.Rxh4* 1-0 (56) ffl0 (2634)-gmmitkov (2563) Blitz 2023*)* 13...Kh8 14.b4 Nd8 15.Kh2 Ne6 16.g3 c6 17.Nc4 Qe7 18.d5 cxd5 19.exd5 Ng5 20.Bxa7 Rxa7 21.Nxg5 fxg5 22.Bxg6 hxg6 23.Ra2 Raa8 24.Nb6 Rad8 25.Nxd7 Rxd7 26.Re4 Rc7 27.Qd3 Qf6 28.Kg2 Qf5 29.Rae2 Rfc8 30.g4 Qf7 31.c4

b5 32.axb5 axb5 33.c5 dxc5 34.bxc5 Rxc5 35.Rxe5 Rc3 36.Re8+ Kh7 37.R8e7 Rxd3 38.Rxf7 Rxd5 39.Ree7 Rg8 40.Rb7 Rc5 41.Rfe7 Rc6 42.Rxb5 Rf6 43.Rbb7 Kh6 44.Kg3 Rgf8 45.Rxg7 Rf3+ 0-1 (45) ayrtonsenna76 (2748)-Calzonesdesuperman (2611) Blitz 2024]

[10.Bxc6 bxc6 11.dxe5 Bxe3 12.fxe3 dxe5 13.Nc4 Qe7 14.Qa4 Qc5 15.Qb4 Qxb4 16.cxb4 f6 17.Rac1 Be6 18.Na5 Rfd8 19.a3 Rd3 20.Kf2 Bg4 21.Rfd1 Rad8 22.Rxd3 Rxd3 23.Ke2 Rd6 24.Nxc6 Bd7 25.Na5 Bb5+ 26.Kf2 c6 27.Rc2 Kf7 28.Rd2 Ke7 29.Rxd6 Kxd6 30.Nb3 Nf8 31.Nc5 Nd7 32.Nxd7 Kxd7 33.Nd2 Bd3 34.Kf3 Kc7 35.Nb3 Kb6 36.Nc5 Bc4 37.Kf2 Kb5 38.Nb7 Bd3 39.Ke1 Kc4 40.Kd2 Bxe4 41.Nd6+ Kd5 42.Ne8 Bg6 43.Nxg7 Kc4 44.h4 Kb3 45.Kc1 Kc4 46.h5 Be4 47.g3 Kd3 48.Ne8 Kxe3 49.Nxf6 Kf3 50.g4 Bd3 51.g5 e4 52.Kd2 Bb1 53.Ke1 e3 54.Nxh7 Ke4 55.g6 Ke5 56.g7 Bxh7 57.g8Q Bxg8 58.Ke2 Bh7 59.Kxe3 Kd5 60.Kd2 Kd6 61.Kc3 Kc7 62.Kd4 Kb6 63.b3 a5 64.bxa5+ Kxa5 65.Kc5 1-0 (65) Pawel_Chess_Coach (2694)-spectraline (2559) Blitz 2023]

[10.Qe2 h6 11.Bxc6 *(11.Rad1 Qf6 12.Bb3 exd4 13.cxd4 Nxd4 14.Nxd4 Bxd4 15.Bxd4 Qxd4 16.Nf3 Qf6 17.h3 Re8 18.Rfe1 Bd7 19.Qc4 Bc6 20.Nd4 Ne5 21.Qe2 Bd7 22.Qe3 g5 23.Qc3 c5 24.Nf5 Bxf5 25.exf5 Rad8 26.g4 Kg7 27.Kg2 b5 28.Rd5 c4 29.Bd1 Nd3 30.Rxe8 Nf4+ 31.Kg3 Qxc3+ 32.bxc3 Rxe8 33.Rxd6 Re1 34.Bc2 f6 35.Rxa6 Rc1 36.Be4 Rxc3+ 37.f3 Re3 38.Ra7+ Kf8 39.Ra6 Re2 40.Ra8+ Ke7 41.Ra7+ Kd6 42.Ra6+ Kc5 43.Rc6+ Kb4 44.a3+ Kc3 45.Bd3 Rg2#* 0-1 (45) yut123 (2634)-ma_long_ma (2680) Blitz 2023*)* 11...bxc6 12.dxe5 Bxe3 13.Qxe3 dxe5 14.Nc4 Qf6 15.h3 Re8 16.Kh2 Nf4 17.Rad1 Qg6 18.Rg1 f6 19.b3 Qh5 20.Nfd2 Rd8 21.Qf3 Qh4 22.Ne3 Be6 23.Ndc4 Nd3 24.Rd2 Nc5 25.Rgd1 Rxd2 26.Nxd2 Rd8 27.b4 Na4 28.Nb3 Rxd1 29.Nxd1 Qg5 30.Na5 c5 31.a3 cxb4 32.axb4 Qc1 33.Nc6 Qd2 34.Qh5 Kf8 35.Qf3 Nb6 36.Nxe5 Nc4 37.Nxc4 Bxc4 38.e5 Ke7 39.exf6+ gxf6 40.Ne3 Be6 41.Qf4 Qd6 42.Kg3 Qxf4+ 43.Kxf4 Kd6 44.Ke4 c5 45.f4 Kc6 46.f5 Bf7 47.Ng4 Bd5+ 48.Kf4 Bxg2 49.Kg3 Be4 50.Kf4 Bg2 51.Kg3 Be4 52.Nxh6 cxb4 53.cxb4 Kb5 54.Kf4 Bd5 55.h4 Kxb4 56.Ng4 a5 57.Nxf6 Bf7 58.h5 1-0 (58) Sarana,A (2649)-Khanin,S (2506) chess.com INT 2021]

Vorgänger: 10...Bd7

[10...Nce7 11.Bb3 *(11.dxe5 Bxe3 12.Rxe3 Nxe5 13.Nxe5 dxe5 14.Nf3 Ng6 15.Bb3 Qf6 16.Nd2 Nf4 17.g3 Nh3+* 0-1 (17) Prettyfly (2679)-zvonokchess (2841) Blitz 2022*; 11.Nf1 Kh8 12.Ng3 Nf4 13.dxe5 Bxe3 14.Rxe3 Bg4 15.exd6 cxd6 16.h3 Be6 17.Nd4 Neg6 18.Qd2 Qg5 19.Rd1 Rad8 20.Rf3 Qe5 21.Ndf5 d5 22.Qe3 dxe4 23.Rxd8 Rxd8 24.Rxf4 Qxf4 25.Qb6 Rf8 26.Ne3 Ne5 27.Bc2 Nd3 28.Bxd3 exd3 29.Qxb7 d2* 0-1 (29) JoeAssaad (2638)-Coolestbean (2716) Blitz 2024 *)* 11...exd4 12.cxd4 d5 13.e5 Bf5 14.Nf1 Re8 15.Ng3 Qd7 16.Rc1

c6 17.h4 Bg4 18.Bc2 Nxh4 19.Qd3 Nhg6 20.Nh2 h5 21.Nxg4 hxg4 22.Bd1 f6 23.exf6 gxf6 24.Nh5 Kf7 25.Bc2 Rh8 26.Nf4 Rag8 27.Re2 Bb8 28.Nxg6 Rxg6 29.Rce1 Bh2+ 30.Kf1 Bf4 31.Rd2 Rh1+ 32.Ke2 Rxe1+ 33.Kxe1 Bxe3 34.Qxe3 Rg8 35.Re2 Nf5 36.Qf4 Re8 37.Qxf5 1-0 (37) WorkTim1 (2862)-solxe (2675) Blitz 2024]

[10...exd4 11.cxd4 *(11.Nxd4 Nxd4 12.cxd4 f5 13.f3 fxe4 14.Nxe4 Kh8 15.Rc1 Bf5 16.Ng3 Be6 17.d5 Bxe3+ 18.Rxe3 Bg8 19.Qd4 Nf4 20.Bb3 Qd7 21.Rce1 Rf7 22.Re4 Raf8 23.h3 h6 24.Kh2 Bh7 25.Re6 Kg8 26.a4 Nd3 27.R1e3 Ne5 28.Qc3 Kh8 29.Ne2 Bf5 30.f4 Ng6 31.g4 Bb1 32.f5 Ne5 33.Nf4 Bxf5 34.gxf5 Rxf5 35.Ng6+ Nxg6 36.Rxg6 Rf2+ 37.Kg3 Qf7 38.Rxh6+ Kg8 39.Rh4 Rf1 40.Qc2 Rg1+ 41.Kh2 Rg6 42.Qe2 Qf6 43.Bc2 Qxh4 44.Bxg6 Rf2+* 0-1 (44) drawingchest (2612)-solxe (2622) Blitz 2024 *)* 11...Nce7 12.d5 *(12.Bc2 c6 13.h3 h6 14.g4 d5 15.e5 f5 16.exf6 Rxf6 17.Ne5 Nf4 18.Kh2 Neg6 19.Ndf3 Nxe5 20.Nxe5 Bb8 21.Qd2 Qf8 22.Rg1 Ng6 23.f4 Nxf4 24.g5 hxg5 25.Rxg5 Bf5 26.Rag1 Bxc2 27.Qxc2 Ne6 28.R5g2 Rf5 29.Kh1 Bxe5 30.dxe5 Qf7 31.Qd1 Rf8 32.Qg4 Rf3 33.Bd2 Qf5 34.Qxf5 R8xf5 35.Bc3 d4 36.Ba5 Rxh3+ 37.Rh2 Rxh2+ 38.Kxh2 Rxe5 39.Kg3 Rd5 40.Kf3 Nc5 41.Bd2 Ne6 42.Ke4 Kf7 43.Kd3 Ke7 44.Kc4 Kd6 45.Kd3 b5 46.Rg6 c5 47.b3 Ke7 48.Ke4 Rd6 49.Kf3 Kf7 50.Rg4 c4 51.Rf4+ Nxf4 52.Kxf4 d3 53.Ke4 c3 54.Bxc3 d2 55.Bb4 d1Q* 0-1 (55) yesview (2686)-zvonokchess (2880) Blitz 2023*)* 12...Bxe3 13.Rxe3 Kuzmin, Alexey: ' ⩲' Kuzmin, Alexey: 'Andreikin,D - Petrov,N Sochi 2021' f5 *(13...c6 14.dxc6 bxc6 15.Nc4 d5 16.Nce5 Nxe5 17.Nxe5 Qd6 18.Nf3 Bg4 19.Qd2 Rad8 20.Rae1 d4 21.Rd3 Bxf3 22.e5 Qc7 23.Rxf3 Ng6 24.Rf5* ½-½ (24) Andreikin,D (2725)-Petrov,N (2550) Sochi RUS 2021 *)* 14.Rc1 fxe4 15.Nxe4 Nf4 16.Neg5 Nexd5 17.Bb3 c6 18.g3 Nh3+ 19.Nxh3 Bxh3 20.Bxd5+ cxd5 21.Qxd5+ Kh8 22.Ng5 Qd7 23.Nxh3 Qxh3 24.Qxd6 Rad8 25.Rf3 Rfe8 26.Qb6 Rd7 27.Rf4 h6 28.Rh4 Qf5 29.Qb4 Rde7 30.Rf4 Qh5 31.Kg2 Qd5+ 32.Rf3 Rf7 33.Rcc3 Ref8 34.Qb3 Qe4 35.Rce3 Qc6 36.Qc3 Qxc3 37.Rxc3 Rxf3 38.Rxf3 Rd8 39.Rb3 b5 40.Ra3 Rd2 41.Rxa6 Rxb2 42.g4 b4 43.h4 Kh7 44.h5 b3 45.axb3 Rxb3 46.f3 Rb4 ½-½ (46) Bananafisher (2805)-pozvonochek (2771) Blitz 2021]

[10...h6

A) 11.Nf1 Kh8 *(11...exd4 12.Nxd4 Nxd4 13.cxd4 d5 14.exd5 Ne7 15.Ng3 Nxd5 16.Qf3 c6 17.Bc2 Re8 18.Rad1 Qf6 19.Qe2 Qh4 20.Bg5 Rxe2 21.Rxe2 Bg4 22.Bxh4 g5 23.f3 gxh4 24.Nf5 Bxf5 25.Bxf5 Rd8 26.Re4 Nb4 27.Rxh4 Nxa2 28.Rxh6 Bxd4+ 29.Kf1 Kg7 30.Rh4 c5 31.Be4 b5 32.Rh5 Rb8 33.Rh7+ Kf6 34.Rh6+ Kg7 35.Rxa6 Nb4 36.Rd6 Bxb2 37.Rd7 c4 38.Rb1 c3 39.Ke2 Na6 40.Bc2 Nc5 41.Rc7 Ne6 42.Ra7 Rd8 43.Be4 Rd2+ 44.Kf1 c2 45.Bxc2 Rxc2 46.Ra2 Rc1+ 47.Rxc1 Bxc1 48.Rc2 Ba3 49.Ke1 b4 50.Kd1 b3 51.Rc3*

Nd4 52.Rc7 Kf6 53.Rb7 Ke5 54.h4 Bf8 55.h5 Bh6 56.g4 Kd5 57.Rb6 Kc4 58.Rxh6 b2 59.Rb6 Kc3 60.h6 Nb3 61.Rc6+ Kd3 62.Rd6+ Ke3 63.Kc2 Kxf3 64.Kxb2 1-0 (64) Fratz71 (2620)-Shramov,I (2532) Blitz 2024*)* 12.h3 Bd7 *(12...exd4 13.cxd4 Nce7 14.d5 f5 15.exf5 Nxf5 16.Bxa7 Rxa7 17.Bc2 Nfh4 18.Nxh4 Nxh4 19.Qd4 Ra8 20.Ng3 Nf5 21.Qd3 Qf6 22.b3 Bd7 23.Rac1 g6 24.Bb1 Bb5 25.Qc3 Qxc3 26.Rxc3 Rf7 27.Nxf5 gxf5 28.Re6 Re8 29.Rce3 Rxe6 30.dxe6 Rf6 31.f4 Kg7 32.Kh2 c5 33.g4 fxg4 34.f5 d5 35.hxg4 d4 36.Re5 b6 37.Kg3 Rf8 38.Kf4 Kf6 39.e7 Re8 40.Re6+ Kf7 41.Rxb6 Rxe7 42.Rxh6 Re1 43.Be4 c4 44.bxc4 Bxc4 45.Rd6 d3 46.Bxd3 Rd1 47.Bxc4+* 1-0 (47) Oleg114 (2623)-Shramov,I (2524) Blitz 2024*)* 13.d5 Nce7 14.Bxd7 Qxd7 15.Bxa7 Rxa7 16.Ne3 f5 17.exf5 Nxf5 18.Nxf5 Rxf5 19.Nd2 Nf4 20.Re3 Ra8 21.Ne4 Raf8 22.Kh2 Qf7 23.g3 Nxd5 24.Re2 Nf6 25.Nd2 Qh5 26.Kg2 Nd5 27.Ne4 Qf3+ 28.Kg1 Nf6 29.Nd2 Qc6 30.Qc2 Rh5 31.Ne4 Rxh3 32.c4 Ng4 33.Kg2 Rh2+ 34.Kg1 Rfxf2 35.Rxf2 Nxf2 36.Kxh2 Nxe4 37.Rf1 Nf6 38.b3 Qd7 39.Qg6 Qe7 40.Rf5 Kg8 41.g4 Qf7 42.Qxf7+ Kxf7 43.g5 hxg5 44.Rxg5 g6 0-1 (44) F1C9S2M2 (2656)-spectraline (2567) Blitz 2022;

B) 11.Qe2 Qf6 *(11...exd4 12.cxd4 Nce7 13.d5 Bxe3 14.Qxe3 f5 15.exf5 Nxf5 16.Qc3 Nfh4 17.Rac1 Nxf3+ 18.Nxf3 Bg4 19.Nd4 Qg5 20.Qg3 Rf4 21.Ne6 Bxe6 22.Qxg5 hxg5 23.Rxe6 Rxa4 24.Rxg6 Rxa2 25.h4 Rc8 26.Rxd6 cxd6 27.Rxc8+ Kh7 28.hxg5 Rxb2 29.f4 Kg6 30.Rd8 Kf5 31.Rxd6 Kxf4 32.Re6 Kxg5 33.d6 Rd2 34.Re7 b5 35.d7 Kf6 36.Re8 Rxd7 37.Rb8 Ra7 38.Kf2 Ke5 39.Ke3 Kd5 40.Kd3 Kc5 41.Kc3 a5 42.Rc8+ Kb6 43.Rb8+ Rb7 44.Re8 Rc7+ 45.Kd4 a4 46.Ra8 Ra7 47.Rb8+ Ka5 48.Kc5 Rc7+* 0-1 (48) Fratz71 (2634)-Shramov,I (2523) Blitz 2024*)* 12.Bxc6 bxc6 13.Nb3 Nf4 14.Bxf4 Qxf4 15.h3 Rb8 16.Rad1 Bb6 17.Nc1 a5 18.Nd3 Qf6 19.dxe5 dxe5 20.Ndxe5 Re8 21.Nd7 Bxd7 22.Rxd7 Qe6 23.Rd2 Qxa2 24.Nd4 Bxd4 25.cxd4 Rb4 26.Rc1 Reb8 27.Rxc6 Rxb2 28.Rxb2 Rxb2 29.Qf3 Rb1+ 30.Kh2 Rb2 31.Kg1 Rb1+ 32.Kh2 Rb2 33.Kg1 ½-½ (33) Fratz71 (2645)-Simba_Abessimba (2516) Blitz 2024;

C) 11.Bxc6 bxc6 12.dxe5

C1) 12...dxe5 13.Bxa7 Rxa7 14.Qa4 *(14.Nc4 Qf6 15.b4 Ra8 16.Ne3 Nf4 17.g3 Nh3+ 18.Kg2 Rd8 19.Qe2 Qg6 20.Nxe5 Nf4+ 21.Kh1 Qxe4+ 22.Qf3 Nd3 23.Qxe4 Nxf2+ 24.Kg2 Nxe4 25.Nxc6 Rd2+ 26.Kf3 Ng5+ 27.Kf4 Bb7 28.Ne7+ Kf8 29.N7f5 Rf2+ 30.Kg4 Bf3+ 31.Kf4 Re8 32.g4 Bb7+ 33.Kg3 Rf3+ 34.Kg2 Rfxe3+ 35.Kf2 Rf3+ 36.Kg1 Rxe1+ 37.Rxe1 Rxf5 38.gxf5 Nf3+ 39.Kf2 Nxe1 40.Kxe1 Ke7 41.f6+ Kxf6 42.Kd2 Ke5 43.c4 f5 44.c5 f4 45.Kc3 Bc6 46.b5*

axb5 47.a4 bxa4 48.Kb4 f3 49.Ka5 f2 50.Ka6 f1Q+ 51.Ka7 Qb5 52.h4 Qb7# 0-1 (52) yankitaspinar (2605)-Stoichess (2587) Blitz 2021*)* 14...Qf6 15.Qa5 Bg4 16.Re3 Rd8 17.Nc4 Bxf3 18.Rxf3 Qe6 19.b3 Qg4 20.Nxe5 Qh5 21.Nxc6 Qxa5 22.Nxa5 Rd2 23.Nc4 Rc2 24.g3 c5 25.Rd1 Rxa2 26.Rd5 Re7 27.e5 Rc7 28.Re3 Ne7 29.Rd8+ Kh7 30.Nd6 Nd5 31.Rf3 Kg6 32.h4 h5 33.Rf8 f6 34.exf6 Nxf6 35.Ne8 Rc6 36.Nxf6 gxf6 37.Rg8+ Kf7 38.Rh8 Rb2 39.c4 Kg6 40.Rf8 a5 41.Ra8 Ra2 42.Kg2 Rd6 43.Re8 Rb2 44.Rc8 a4 45.bxa4 Rb4 46.Rxc5 Rxa4 47.Rc3 Ra2 48.Rd5 Re6 49.c5 Ree2 50.Rf3 Rac2 51.Rd6 Rxc5 52.Rdxf6+ Kg7 53.R6f5 Rce5 54.Rg5+ Kh6 55.Rxe5 Rxe5 56.Rf6+ Kg7 57.Rf4 Re2 58.Kh3 Re1 59.f3 Rg1 60.g4 Rf1 61.g5 Kg6 62.Rf6+ Kg7 63.Kg3 Ra1 64.Rh6 Ra5 65.Rxh5 Ra4 66.Rh6 Ra1 67.Rf6 Rg1+ 68.Kf4 Ra1 69.Kg4 Ra5 70.Kh5 Ra3 71.f4 Ra7 72.f5 Ra5 73.Re6 Rxf5 74.Rf6 Rxf6 75.gxf6+ Kxf6 76.Kh6 Kf7 77.Kh7 Kf8 78.h5 Kf7 79.Kh8 Kf8 80.Kh7 Kf7 81.h6 Kf8 82.Kg6 Kg8 83.Kf6 Kh8 84.Kg5 Kh7 85.Kh5 Kh8 86.Kg5 Kh7 87.Kh5 Kh8 88.Kg6 Kg8 89.h7+ Kh8 90.Kh6 ½-½ (90) azeerf (2727)-Dekelija (2750) Blitz 2024;

C2) 12...Bxe3 13.Rxe3 dxe5 14.Nc4 *(14.Qa4 Qf6 15.Qa5 Be6 16.Qxc7 Rac8 17.Qa5 Rb8 18.b3 Nf4 19.Qxa6 Qg6 20.g3 Nh3+ 21.Kg2 Nf4+ 22.Kh1 f6 23.gxf4 exf4 24.Ree1 Bh3 25.Rg1 Qh5 26.Qxc6 Rbd8 27.Qc7 g5 28.Qxf4 Rd3 29.Rg3 Rfd8 30.Qxf6 Rxd2 31.Nxd2 Rxd2 32.Rag1* 1-0 (32) Alexsur81 (2773)-spectraline (2609) Blitz 2022 *)* 14...Qf6 15.Nfd2 Be6 16.g3 Rfd8 17.Qe2 Rd7 18.b4 Rad8 19.f3 Nf4 20.Qe1 Nd3 21.Qf1 Qg5 22.Kh1 h5 23.Qe2 h4 24.Rg1 hxg3 25.hxg3 Nb2 0-1 (25) Bananafisher (2798)-zvonokchess (2765) Blitz 2021]

[10...Qe7 11.Bxc6 bxc6 12.dxe5 dxe5 13.Bxa7 Rxa7 14.Qa4 Bd7 15.Qa5 Bg4 16.h3 Bxf3 17.Nxf3 Rb8 18.b3 Rb5 19.Qa4 Qc5 20.Rad1 Ra8 21.Rd7 Ra5 22.Qb4 Qxb4 23.cxb4 Rxa2 24.Rxc7 Rb2 25.Re3 Rb8 26.Rxc6 h6 27.Rc4 f6 28.g3 Nf8 29.Rd3 Ne6 30.Rc6 Nf8 31.Rc4 Ne6 32.Rd6 Nf8 33.Nd2 Ne6 34.Rxe6 Rxd2 35.Rxa6 Rb2 36.Ra7 Rd8 37.Rcc7 Rd1+ 38.Kg2 Rdd2 39.Rxg7+ Kf8 40.Raf7+ Ke8 41.Rxf6 Rxb3 42.Rxh6 Kf8 43.Rb7 Kg8 44.Re6 Kf8 45.Rxe5 Rbb2 46.Rf5+ Kg8 47.h4 Re2 48.e5 Kh8 49.h5 Kg8 50.h6 Rec2 51.h7+ Kh8 52.Rf8# 1-0 (52) SlimFritz (2766)-MCanonim (2791) Blitz 2022]

[10...Kh8 11.h3 *(11.Nf1 f5 12.exf5 Bxf5 13.h3 Be4 14.Ng5 Bf5 15.Bb3 Qf6 16.Nxh7* 1-0 (16) sina_iran (2717)-mocaspoke (2619) Blitz 2021*; 11.Qe2 Bg4 12.Qd3 b5 13.Bc2 exd4 14.Nxd4 Nce5 15.Qf1 c5 16.Nf5 Qc7 17.h3 Bxf5 18.exf5 Ne7 19.f6 gxf6 20.Ne4 f5 21.Ng3 Rg8*

22.Kh1 Qc6 23.Nxf5 Nxf5 24.Bxf5 Rae8 25.Bf4 Ng6 26.Bg5 d5 27.a4 Bb8 28.f4 d4 29.cxd4 Nxf4 30.axb5 axb5 31.Rxe8 Qxe8 32.Bxf4 cxd4 33.Bxb8 Qxb8 34.Be4 Qe5 35.Bf3 Qe3 36.Re1 Qf4 37.Re4 1-0 (37) tulachessroom (2672)-usernamenotavail (2684) Blitz 2024*)*
11...f6

A) 12.Nf1 Bd7 13.Ng3 Qe8 14.Bb3 Nd8 *(14...Nf4 15.Nh4 g5 16.Nhf5 Qg6 17.Kh2 Na5 18.Bc2 Nc4 19.Bc1 h5 20.Bxf4 gxf4 21.Qxh5+ Qxh5 22.Nxh5 Bxf5 23.exf5 exd4 24.Re7 dxc3 25.Nxf4 cxb2 26.Rb1 Bd4 27.Bb3 b5 28.Ng6+ Kg8 29.Rxc7 Rf7 30.Rxc4 bxc4 31.Bxc4 Rc8 32.Ne7+ Kg7 33.Nxc8 Rc7 34.Nxd6 Be5+ 35.g3 Bxd6 36.Rxb2 Rxc4 37.Kg2 Bc5 38.h4 a5 39.Kh3 a4 40.Rb7+ Kg8 41.Rc7 a3 42.f4 Rc3 43.Kg4 Bd4 44.Rxc3 Bxc3 45.Kh5 Kg7 46.g4 Bd2 47.g5 Bxf4 48.Kg4 fxg5 49.hxg5 Bc1 50.Kh5 Bb2 51.Kg4 Kf7 52.Kh5 Ke7 53.Kh6 Kf7 54.Kh7 Kf8 55.f6 Kf7 56.Kh6 Ke6 57.Kg6 Bxf6 58.gxf6 Kd7 59.f7 Ke7 60.Kg7 Ke6 61.f8Q Ke5 62.Qf3 Kd6 63.Qxa3+ Ke6 64.Qb3+ Ke5 65.a4 Kf4 66.a5 Kg4 67.a6* 1-0 (67) Napo18 (2641)-CoffeeSoul (2552) Blitz 2022*)*
15.Qd2 Ne6 16.Rad1 Rd8 17.Ne2 Bc8 18.Kh1 h6 19.Nh2 Ng5 20.Ng3 Ne6 21.Bxh6 gxh6 22.Qxh6+ Kg8 23.Nh5 Qf7 24.Ng4 Qe7 25.Qxg6+ Kh8 26.Ngxf6 Rxf6 27.Nxf6 Qg7 28.Qh5+ 1-0 (28) SummerKiwi (2722)-alfredogto (2693) Blitz 2024;

B) 12.Bb3 Qe8 13.Rc1 Nd8 14.Nf1 Ne6 15.Ng3 Ngf4 16.Kh2 g6 17.c4 Ng5 18.c5 Bd7 19.cxd6 cxd6 20.Rc7 Bb8 21.Rxb7 Bc6 22.Rb6 Bc7 23.Rxc6 Qxc6 24.Ng1 Rad8 25.Qd2 Qb5 26.Rc1 Ba5 27.Qd1 Qb8 28.Bc4 Bb6 29.Bxa6 d5 30.exd5 Rxd5 31.Bc4 Rdd8 32.d5 Bxe3 33.fxe3 Nfe6 34.Qe2 Ng7 35.Nf3 f5 36.Nxg5 f4 37.N3e4 h6 38.Ne6 Nxe6 39.dxe6 Rde8 40.Rd1 Re7 41.Rd7 Rfe8 42.Qg4 Kg7 43.Nd6 Rxd7 44.Nxe8+ Qxe8 45.exd7 Qd8 46.Qe6 fxe3 47.Qxe5+ Kh7 48.Qxe3 Qc7+ 49.Qg3 Qxd7 50.Qe5 Qg7 51.Qxg7+ Kxg7 52.a4 Kf6 53.a5 g5 54.Bd3 Ke5 55.Kg3 g4 56.Kxg4 h5+ 57.Kxh5 Kd4 58.Kg4 Ke3 59.h4 Kd2 60.h5 Kc1 61.h6 Kd2 62.h7 Kc1 63.h8Q Kd2 64.Qd4 Kc1 65.Qc3+ Kd1 66.Qc2+ Ke1 67.Qe2# 1-0 (67) Andrey_Klymchuk (2627)-alfredogto (2616) Blitz 2024;

C) 12.Bc2 Nce7 *(12...Qe8 13.Nf1 Bd7 14.d5 Nd8 15.Bxa7 Rxa7 16.c4 Nf7 17.b4 Nh6 18.c5 f5 19.Ng5 Nf4 20.g3 Ng6 21.exf5 Bxf5 22.Ne3 Bd7 23.Qh5 Ra8 24.Rac1 Rf6 25.c6 bxc6 26.dxc6 Be6 27.Bb3 Bxb3 28.axb3 Nf8 29.Qxe8 Rxe8 30.Nd5 Rg6 31.h4 Nf5 32.Nxc7 Rc8 33.Nxa6 Nd4 34.Kg2 h6 35.Ne4 Nfe6 36.Nxd6 Rxc6 37.Nf7+ Kh7 38.Nxe5 Rxc1 39.Rxc1 Rf6 40.Nc5 Ne2 41.Re1 N6d4 42.b5 Rb6 43.Nf3 Rxb5 44.Nxd4 Nxd4 45.Re5 Nxb3 46.Nd7 Rb7 47.Nf8+ Kg8 48.Ne6 Re7 49.Re3 Na5 50.Nf4 Ra7 51.Re8+ Kf7 52.Re2 Nc6 53.Re3 Ne7 54.Kg1 g5 55.Re1 gxf4*

56.gxf4 Ng6 57.h5 Nh4 58.Re5 Nf3+ 59.Kg2 Nxe5 60.fxe5 Ke6 61.f4 Kf5 62.Kg3 Ra3+ 63.Kf2 Kxf4 64.e6 Ra2+ 65.Ke1 Ke3 66.Kd1 Ra6 67.Kc1 Rxe6 68.Kc2 Re5 69.Kc3 Rxh5 70.Kb4 Rg5 71.Kc4 Rg3 72.Kc3 Rf3 73.Kc4 h5 74.Kd5 h4 75.Kc4 h3 76.Kd5 h2 77.Kc4 h1Q 78.Kc3 Qe1+ 79.Kb3 Kf2+ 80.Kc2 Re3 81.Kb2 Qd2+ 82.Kb1 Re1# 0-1 (82) GMshooter96 (2624)-alfredogto (2618) Blitz 2024*)* 13.Nf1 c6 14.Ng3 Be6 15.Qd2 Qc7 16.h4 Rfd8 17.h5 Nf8 18.Nh4 d5 19.h6 g5 20.Bxg5 fxg5 21.Qxg5 Neg6 22.Qf6+ Kg8 23.Nxg6 hxg6 24.exd5 Bxd5 25.Rxe5 Qf7 26.Qg5 Ne6 27.Rxe6 Qxe6 28.Bf5 Qd6 29.Bxg6 Kh8 30.Nf5 Qf8 31.Re1 Rd7 32.Ne7 Bb8 33.Nxd5 Rxd5 34.Qf6+ 1-0 (34) Niemann,H (2733)-Nakamura,H (2802) Paris FRA 2024]

[10...f5

A) 11.exf5 Bxf5 12.Bxc6 bxc6 13.dxe5 Bxe3 14.Rxe3 dxe5 15.Nxe5 Nf4 16.Ndf3 *(16.Qb3+ Be6 17.Qc2 Qg5 18.g3 Nh3+* 0-1 (18) JoeAssaad (2621)-spectraline (2598) Blitz 2024*)* 16...Qf6 17.Qd4 Ne6 18.Qc4 Kh8 19.Nd7 Qf7 20.Nxf8 Rxf8 21.Rae1 Qg6 22.Rxe6 Bxe6 23.Qxe6 1-0 (23) OmarLinx (2630)-spectraline (2535) Blitz 2024;

B) 11.Bxc6 f4 12.Bd5+ Kh8 13.Bb3 fxe3 14.fxe3 Bd7 15.Rf1 Qe7 16.Qe2 b5 17.Rf2 c5 18.Bd5 Rab8 19.Raf1 b4 20.Bc4 bxc3 21.bxc3 Rb2 22.Qd3 cxd4 23.cxd4 exd4 24.exd4 Nf4 25.Qc3 Rbb8 26.Kh1 Qf6 27.e5 Qg6 28.Qe3 d5 29.Bb3 Bb5 30.Nh4 Qh6 31.Rxf4 Bxf1 32.Rxf8+ Rxf8 33.Qxh6 gxh6 34.Nhf3 Bc4 35.Nxc4 dxc4 36.Bxc4 Rc8 37.Bf1 Rc1 38.Kg1 Rd1 39.Kf2 Bxd4+ 40.Ke2 Rxf1 41.Kxf1 Bc5 42.Ke2 Kg7 43.Kd3 Kf7 44.Kc4 Bf8 45.Kd5 Ke7 46.a4 Kd7 47.Nd4 Ke7 48.Nc6+ Kd7 49.Nb8+ Kc7 50.Nxa6+ Kb6 51.Nb8 Ka5 52.Nd7 Ba3 53.e6 Kxa4 54.Nc5+ Kb5 55.e7 Bxc5 56.e8Q+ Kb4 57.Qc6 1-0 (57) Liochess13 (2692)-spectraline (2594) Blitz 2023]

[10...Bg4 11.h3 Bxf3 12.Nxf3 Nce7 13.dxe5 Bxe3 14.exd6 Bxf2+ 15.Kxf2 cxd6 16.Qd4 Nc6 17.Qe3 Nce5 18.Nxe5 Nxe5 19.Bb3 Qc7 20.Rad1 Rad8 21.Kg1 g6 22.Qf2 Kg7 23.Rf1 Qe7 24.Qd4 f6 25.Bd5 Rd7 26.Qb6 Qd8 27.Qb4 Qc7 28.a4 Qc5+ 29.Qxc5 dxc5 30.a5 Rfd8 31.Rc1 g5 32.b4 cxb4 33.cxb4 Nd3 34.Rc4 Nf4 35.Rd1 Kg6 36.Rc5 Re8 37.Kf2 h5 38.Kf3 Re5 39.h4 Nxd5 40.Rdxd5 Rexd5 41.exd5 Kf5 42.hxg5 fxg5 43.d6+ Kf6 44.Rc7 Rxd6 45.Rxb7 Ke5 46.Ke3 Kd5 47.b5 axb5 48.Rxb5+ Kc4 49.Rxg5 Ra6 50.Rxh5 Kb4 51.g4 Re6+ 52.Kf4 Re1 53.g5 Kxa5 54.g6+ Kb6 55.Re5 Rf1+ 56.Kg5 Kc7 57.Rd5 Kc6 58.Rd2 Kc7 59.Kh6 Rg1 60.Kh7 Rh1+ 61.Kg8 Rg1 62.g7 Rf1 63.Rd4 Rg1 64.Kf7 Rf1+ 65.Kg6 Rg1+ 66.Kf6 Rf1+ 67.Kg5 Rg1+ 68.Rg4 Re1 69.g8Q Re5+ 70.Kf4 Rc5 71.Rg7+ Kb6 72.Qf8 Kb5 73.Qxc5+ Kxc5 74.Rg5+ Kb6 75.Rf5 Kc6 76.Kg5 Kd6 77.Rf6+ Ke5 78.Kg6 Kd5 79.Rf5+

Ke4 80.Rf6 Kd4 81.Rf7 Ke4 82.Rf8 Kd5 83.Re8 Kd4 84.Rd8+ Ke5 85.Re8+ Kd4 86.Kf7 Kd5 87.Re6 Kc5 88.Re7 Kd4 89.Ke8 Kd5 90.Rd7+ Kc5 91.Rd8 Kc4 92.Rd7 Kc5 93.Ke7 Kc4 94.Rd6 Kc5 95.Ke6 Kb5 96.Rd5+ Kc4 97.Rf5 Kb4 98.Re5 Kc3 ½-½ (98) canc3111 (2620)-Sushila1 (2698) Blitz 2024]

11.h3

[11.Rc1

A) 11...Kh8 12.a3 *(12.Nf1 Qe8 13.Bc2 Bg4 14.d5 Nce7 15.Bxa7 Rxa7 16.Ne3 Bd7 17.c4 f5 18.exf5 Nxf5 19.Bxf5 Bxf5 20.c5 Nf4 21.cxd6 cxd6 22.Nxf5 Rxf5 23.Rc7 Rf8 24.g3 Qg6 25.Nh4 Qf6 26.gxf4 Qxh4 27.fxe5 Raa8 28.Qe2 dxe5 29.Rc4 Qf6 30.Re4 Rad8 31.Rxe5 h6 32.Qe3 Qg6+ 33.Kf1 Qg4 34.b3 Qh4 35.Kg2 Qg4+ 36.Qg3 Qd4 37.R1e4 Qd2 38.Re7 Rg8 39.Rxb7 Rxd5 40.h4 Qxa2 41.Re8 Qa1 42.Qb8* 1-0 (42) Azarov,S (2604)-Ojas Kulkarni (2236) Cattolica ITA 2022*)* 12...f6 13.b4 Qe8 14.Bb3 Nd8 15.c4 Ne6 16.c5 Nef4 17.Qc2 Rc8 18.Nc4 Bb8 19.Qd2 Bg4 20.Bd1 Bd7 21.Na5 Bb5 22.Bc2 b6 23.Nb3 Rd8 24.cxb6 cxb6 25.g3 Ne6 26.d5 Ng5 27.Nxg5 fxg5 28.Bxg5 Rc8 29.Bd3 Bc7 30.Qe2 Ba4 31.Nd2 b5 32.Be3 Qf7 33.Rc3 Rce8 34.Rec1 Bb8 35.Bc2 Bxc2 36.R1xc2 h6 37.Rc6 Qb7 38.Rb6 Qa8 39.Rcc6 Rf7 40.Rxa6 Qb7 41.Rab6 Qe7 42.Rxb5 Ref8 43.Rcb6 Bc7 44.Rb7 Qd7 45.Qh5 Ne7 46.a4 Ng8 47.Bb6 Qc8 48.Rxc7 Rxc7 49.Bxc7 Qxc7 50.Nf3 Nf6 51.Qg6 Qc1+ 52.Kg2 Qc2 53.Rb7 Rg8 54.a5 Nxe4 55.Qf7 Qxf2+ 56.Kh3 Qxf3 57.Qxf3 Ng5+ 58.Kg2 Nxf3 59.Kxf3 Rf8+ 60.Ke3 Re8 61.Rb6 Rf8 62.a6 Rf1 63.b5 Re1+ 64.Kd2 Rb1 65.Rb7 e4 66.Rb8+ Kh7 67.a7 Rb2+ 68.Ke3 Ra2 69.b6 Ra3+ 70.Kxe4 Ra4+ 71.Kf5 Ra3 72.Ke6 Ra2 73.Kxd6 Re2 74.a8Q Rd2 75.Rb7 Re2 76.Rd7 Rf2 77.Kc7 Rf6 78.d6 Rg6 79.Kd8 Rf6 80.Qc6 Rxd6 81.Qd5 Kg6 82.Qxd6+ Kg5 83.Qe6 1-0 (83) drawingchest (2633)-Calzonesdesuperman (2638) Blitz 2024;

B) 11...h6 12.h3 b5 *(12...Kh8 13.Nf1 Nce7 14.Bxd7 Qxd7 15.dxe5 Qb5 16.Bxa7 Rxa7 17.exd6 cxd6 18.Qb3 Qh5 19.Ng3 Qc5 20.Rcd1 Nf4 21.Qb4 Qxb4 22.cxb4 Nc6 23.a3 Ne5 24.Rxd6 Nxf3+ 25.gxf3 Nxh3+ 26.Kh2 Nf4 27.Rd7 Raa8 28.Nf5 g6 29.Nd6 Kg7 30.Rc1 Rad8 31.Rcc7 Rxd7 32.Rxd7 b6 33.e5 g5 34.Kg3 Kg6 35.Ne4 Ne6 36.Rd6 Rb8 37.a4 h5 38.b3 Kg7 39.f4 b5 40.f5 bxa4 41.bxa4 Nf4 42.Nxg5 Rxb4 43.f6+ Kg6 44.Nf3 Ne6 45.Rxa6 Kf5 46.Nh4+ Kg5 47.Ra5 Rb3+ 48.Nf3+ Kf5 49.Rb5 Nd4 50.Rxb3 Nxb3 51.a5 Nxa5 52.e6 Nc6 53.exf7 Kxf6 54.f8Q+ Ke6 55.Qh6+ Kd5 56.Qxh5+ Kd6 57.Qg6+ Kc7 58.Qxc6+ Kxc6 59.Kg4 Kc7 60.Kf5 Kd7 61.Kg6 Ke8 62.Ng5 Kd8 63.f4 Kc8 64.f5* 1-0 (64) therealYardbird (2730)-NeutralMonism (2578) Blitz 2021*)* 13.Bc2 Qf6 14.Nf1 Nh4 15.N1h2 Nxf3+ 16.Nxf3 Rfe8 17.a3 Qe7 18.Bb1 Na5 19.b3 c5 20.d5 c4 21.b4 Nb3 22.Rc2 a5 23.Rce2

Bxe3 24.Rxe3 axb4 25.axb4 Ra1 26.Qe2 Rea8 27.Nh2 Qg5 28.Rg3 Qd2 29.Re3 Qxe2 30.R3xe2 f5 31.exf5 Kf7 32.g4 Kf6 33.Nf1 Bc8 34.Ng3 Bb7 35.f4 Bxd5 36.Nh5+ Kf7 37.fxe5 1-0 (37) Antroposen (2825)-khvichachess (2684) Blitz 2025]

[11.Nf1

A) 11...h6 12.Ng3 Re8 *(12...Qf6 13.dxe5 Ncxe5 14.Bxd7 Nxd7 15.Bxa7 Rxa7 16.Nd4 Nf4 17.Ngf5 Ne5 18.Re3 Raa8 19.Rg3 Neg6 20.Qd2 Rfe8 21.Re1 c5 22.Nc2 d5 23.Rf3 Qg5 24.Nce3 Rxe4 25.Rg3 Qf6 26.f3 Re5* 0-1 (26) EmmanuelJimenez (2648)-drawingchest (2560) Blitz 2024 *)* 13.h3 b5 14.Bc2 Nh4 15.d5 Nxf3+ 16.Qxf3 Ne7 17.Bxa7 Rxa7 18.Nf1 Ng6 19.Ne3 Ra8 20.a4 Qb8 21.axb5 axb5 22.Bd3 Qb6 23.Nc2 Rf8 24.Nb4 Nf4 25.Bc2 Rxa1 26.Rxa1 f5 27.exf5 Bxf5 28.Bxf5 Rxf5 29.Ra8+ Kf7 30.Kh2 Rf6 31.Nc6 Ng6 32.Qg4 Qxf2 33.Qd7+ Ne7 34.Qe8# 1-0 (34) chesszxj (2713)-CQQQ30 (2728) Blitz 2021;

B) 11...exd4 12.cxd4 b5 13.Bb3 Bg4 14.d5 Nce5 15.Bxa7 Bxf3 16.Qd4 Nf4 17.Re3 Nxg2 18.Ng3 Nxe3 19.Qxe3 Qh4 20.Bd4 Qh3 0-1 (20) Kamsky,G (2665)-Praggnanandhaa,R (2608) chess.com INT 2021;

C) 11...b5 12.Bc2 exd4 13.cxd4 Bg4 14.Ng3 Nh4 15.Kh1 Bxf3 16.gxf3 Qf6 ½-½ (94) Murzin,V (2505)-Khademalsharieh,S (2494) chess24.com INT 2021]

[11.Bb3 Kh8 *(11...h6 12.a4 Kh8 13.dxe5 Bxe3 14.Rxe3 Ncxe5 15.Nxe5 Nxe5 16.h3 f5 17.exf5 Bxf5 18.Nf3 Nxf3+ 19.Rxf3 Be4 20.Re3 Bc6 21.Qd4 Qg5 22.Rg3 Qf6 23.Qxf6 Rxf6 24.Re1 Raf8 25.Re7 g5 26.h4 Rxf2 27.hxg5 Rf1+ 28.Kh2 Re8 29.Rxc7 Ree1 30.Rh3 Rh1+ 31.Kg3 Re3+ 32.Kf4 Rexh3 33.gxh3 hxg5+ 34.Kg4 Rg1+ 35.Kh5 Rg3 36.Kg6* Time forfeit 1-0 (36) iamherrrooo (2648)-AgressiveMode (2777) Blitz 2024*)* 12.Nf1 f5 13.exf5 Bxf5 14.h3 exd4 15.Nxd4 Nxd4 16.Bxd4 Bxd4 17.Qxd4 Ne5 18.Rad1 Qg5 19.Kh1 Qh6 20.Nh2 Bg6 21.Kg1 Rf4 22.Qe3 Raf8 23.Rf1 Qg5 24.g3 Bh5 25.h4 Qg6 26.Rd2 Rxh4 27.Bc2 Rxh2 28.Bxg6 Nf3+ 29.Qxf3 Bxf3 30.Kxh2 hxg6 31.g4 Bxg4 32.Kg3 Be6 33.a3 Bc4 34.Rh1+ Kg8 35.f4 Rf5 36.Re1 g5 37.Rd4 gxf4+ 38.Rxf4 Rxf4 39.Kxf4 Kf7 40.Kg5 a5 41.b4 axb4 42.axb4 b5 43.Ra1 Ke6 44.Kg6 Bd3+ 45.Kxg7 Kd5 46.Ra7 c5 47.Rd7 Bf5 48.Rd8 Kc4 49.Kf6 Bb1 50.Rxd6 cxb4 51.cxb4 Kxb4 52.Ke5 Kc3 53.Rc6+ Kb3 54.Kd4 b4 55.Rb6 Ka3 56.Kc5 b3 57.Kc4 Bc2 58.Kc3 Ka2 59.Ra6+ Kb1 60.Rb6 Ka2 61.Rb8 Kb1 62.Rb4 Ka2 63.Ra4+ Kb1 64.Rh4 Ka2 65.Rh2 Kb1 66.Rh4 Ka2 67.Rb4 Kb1 68.Rb7 Ka2 69.Ra7+ Kb1 70.Ra6 Kc1 71.Ra1+ Bb1 72.Kxb3 Kd2 73.Rxb1 Kd3 74.Rb2 Kd4 75.Rc2 Kd5 76.Rc3 Kd4 77.Kc2 Ke4 78.Rd3 Kf4 79.Kd2 Ke4 80.Re3+ Kf4 81.Ke2 Kf5 82.Rf3+ Kg5 83.Ke3 Kg4 84.Rf4+ Kg5 85.Ke4 Kg6 86.Rf5 Kg7 87.Ke5 Kg6 88.Rf6+ Kg7 89.Ke6 1-0 (89) Chessmatenok17 (2691)-Like_a_Gin (2690) Blitz 2023]

11...Kh8
[11...h6
A) 12.Nf1
A1) 12...Nce7 13.Bc2 exd4 *(13...f5 14.exf5 Bxf5 15.Bxf5 Nxf5 16.Qb3+ Kh8 17.dxe5 Nxe3 18.Nxe3 Rxf3 19.gxf3 Nxe5 20.Qxb7 Bxe3 21.Rxe3 Rb8 22.Qd5 Qg5+ 23.Kf1 Rxb2 24.Qa8+ Kh7 25.Qe4+ g6 26.f4 Qh4 27.Rg3 Qf6 28.Re1 Rxa2 29.Qd5 Rc2 30.Qd4 Nd7 31.Qxf6 Nxf6 32.Re7+ Kh8 33.Rxg6* 1-0 (33) JoeAssaad (2662)-spectraline (2594) Blitz 2023) 14.cxd4 d5 15.e5 Bf5 16.Ng3 Qd7 17.Nxf5 Nxf5 18.Rc1 c6 19.Qd3 Nge7 20.g4 Normal 1-0 (20) smihir6 (2704)-spectraline (2569) Blitz 2024;
A2) 12...Kh7 13.Ng3 Qc8 14.Kh2 b5 15.Bb3 Na5 16.Bc2 Nc4 17.Bc1 Qb7 18.b3 Nb6 19.Nf5 Rad8 20.Be3 Be6 21.Qd2 c6 22.Bxh6 exd4 23.Bxg7 Bxf5 24.Qh6+ Kg8 1-0 (24) AttackingBeast (2696)-Punchen (2619) Blitz 2024;
A3) 12...Qf6 13.Ng3 Nf4 14.d5 Nb8 15.Bxa7 Rxa7 16.Bxd7 Nxd7 17.Nf5 Kh7 18.Kh2 g6 19.Ne3 Qe7 20.g3 Nh5 21.Nh4 Ng7 22.Qf3 Raa8 23.b4 b6 24.c4 a5 25.a3 Qg5 26.Qg4 Nf6 27.Qf3 Nfh5 28.c5 axb4 29.axb4 Rxa1 30.Rxa1 bxc5 31.bxc5 f5 32.exf5 gxf5 33.cxd6 cxd6 34.Ra7 f4 35.Qe4+ Kg8 36.Ng4 fxg3+ 37.fxg3 Qd2+ 38.Ng2 Qg5 39.h4 Qf5 40.Nxh6+ 1-0 (40) ScareCCrow06PL (2768)-spectraline (2595) Blitz 2025;
B) 12.dxe5 Bxe3 13.Rxe3 Ngxe5 14.Nxe5 Nxe5 15.Bxd7 Qxd7 16.f4 Ng6 17.Qf3 Rfe8 18.Rae1 b5 19.Nf1 Qe7 20.Ng3 Qh4 21.Rf1 Rad8 22.Nf5 Qf6 23.Qg4 Nf8 24.e5 Qg6 25.Rfe1 dxe5 26.Rxe5 Rxe5 27.Rxe5 Qxg4 28.hxg4 Ne6 29.Ne7+ Kf8 30.Nd5 c6 31.Nb4 Nxf4 32.Re4 g5 33.g3 Nd3 34.Nxc6 Rc8 35.Nb4 Nxb2 36.Nxa6 Rxc3 37.Rb4 Nc4 38.Rxb5 Rxg3+ 39.Kf2 Rxg4 40.a4 Rf4+ 41.Kg3 Nd6 42.Rb8+ Kg7 43.Nc5 Rc4 0-1 (43) Ramil_Faizrakhmanov (2759)-NIndja64 (2854) Blitz 2022;
C) 12.Bb3 Kh8 13.dxe5 Bxe3 14.Rxe3 dxe5 15.Re1 Qe7 16.Nc4 Rad8 17.Ne3 Bxh3 18.Nd5 Qe6 19.gxh3 Qxh3 20.Re3 f5 21.Nxe5 1-0 (21) Hripach007 (2675)-NIndja64 (2879) Blitz 2022;
D) 12.a3 Re8 *(12...Qf6 13.b4 b5 14.dxe5 Ncxe5 15.Bxa7 Rxa7 16.Bb3 Nf4 17.Nxe5 dxe5 18.Qf3 c5 19.Rad1 c4 20.Bc2 Bc6 21.Nf1 Rd8 22.Ne3 Rad7 23.Rxd7 Rxd7 24.Rd1 Qd8 25.Kf1 g6 26.Rxd7 Qxd7 27.Qd1 Qxd1+ 28.Nxd1 h5 29.h4 Kf8 30.g3 Ne6 31.Ne3 Ke7 32.Ke2 Kd6 33.f3 Nd8 34.Bb1 Nb7 35.Bc2 a5 36.Bb1 axb4 37.axb4 Nd8 38.Bc2 Ne6 39.Bb1 f6 40.Bc2 Nf8 41.Bb1 Bd7 42.Bc2 Be6 43.Kf2 g5 44.Nf5+ Bxf5 45.exf5 Nd7 46.Ke3 Nb6 47.Be4 gxh4 48.gxh4 Na4 49.Kd2 Nb6 50.Ke3 Nd7 51.Kd2 Nb8 52.Ke3 Na6 53.Kd2 Nc7 54.Ke3 Nd5+ 55.Kd2 Nf4 56.Ke3 Ng2+ 57.Kf2 Nxh4 58.Kg3 Nxf5+ 59.Bxf5 Kd5*

60.Kh4 e4 61.fxe4+ Ke5 62.Kxh5 Kf4 63.Kg6 Ke3 64.Kxf6 Kd3 65.Bd7 Kxc3 66.Bxb5 Kxb4 67.Bxc4 Kxc4 68.e5 Kd5 69.e6 Ke4 70.e7 Kf4 71.e8Q Kf3 72.Qe5 Kf2 73.Kf5 Kf1 74.Qe4 Kg1 75.Qf4 Kh1 76.Ke4 Kg1 77.Ke3 Kh1 78.Ke2 Kg1 79.Qg4+ Kh1 80.Kf2 1-0 (80) khekhm (2664)-CaptainSploosh (2620) Blitz 2022 *)* 13.Bc2 a5 14.Nf1 Qe7 15.Ng3 Qf8 16.Ba4 Red8 17.Rc1 Kh7 18.Bb3 Nce7 19.h4 Be6 20.h5 Nh8 21.Bxe6 fxe6 22.Qb3 Qf6 23.Qxb7 Nf7 24.dxe5 dxe5 25.Bxa7 Nd6 26.Qxc7 Nb5 27.Qxe5 Nxa7 28.Qxf6 gxf6 29.Nd4 1-0 (29) Firouzja,A (2777)-Le,T (2559) chess.com INT 2023]

[11...Nce7 12.Bb3 *(12.Bxd7 Qxd7 13.dxe5 dxe5 14.Bxa7 Rxa7 15.Nc4 Qe6 16.Qb3 b5 17.Ne3 c5 18.Qxe6 fxe6 19.Ng5 Nf4 20.g3 Nd3 21.Re2 h6 22.Nxe6 Rf6 23.Nxg7 Kxg7 24.c4 Rd7 25.Rd1 Rfd6 26.b3 Nb4 27.Rxd6 Rxd6 28.a3 Nbc6 29.Nd5 Nd4 30.Re3 Nec6 31.f4 Na5 32.cxb5 axb5 33.fxe5 Rg6 34.b4 Nc4 35.Rd3 Nxe5 36.Re3 Nc4 37.Rd3 Ne5 38.Re3 c4 39.g4 h5 40.Nf4 hxg4 41.Nxg6 Kxg6 42.hxg4 Nxg4 43.Rg3 Ne2+ 44.Kg2 Nxg3 45.Kxg3 Ne5 46.Kf4 Kf6 47.Ke3 Ke6 48.Kd4 Kd6 49.a4 bxa4 50.b5 a3 51.Kc3 Kc5 52.b6 Kxb6 53.Kd4 a2 54.Kxe5 a1Q+ 55.Kd5 Qe1 56.e5 c3 57.e6 c2 58.e7 c1Q 59.e8Q Qcd2+* 0-1 (59) KhatanbaatarGM (2621)-Ox_xO (2515) Blitz 2024*)* 12...h6 13.Nf1 Kh7 14.Ng3 f5 15.exf5 Nxf5 16.Nxf5 Bxf5 17.dxe5 Bxe3 18.Rxe3 dxe5 19.Nxe5 Nxe5 20.Rxe5 Qf6 21.Qe2 Rad8 22.Rxf5 1-0 (22) Dom_Perignon_64 (2713)-spectraline (2586) Blitz 2023]

[11...Qe7 12.Bc2 Nd8 13.Nf1 Nf4 14.Bxf4 exf4 15.e5 Ne6 16.N1h2 dxe5 17.Nxe5 Rad8 18.Nxd7 Qxd7 19.Bf5 c5 20.Qg4 Rfe8 21.dxc5 Bxc5 22.Nf3 Qc6 23.Bxe6 Rxe6 24.Rxe6 fxe6 25.Qxf4 Qb6 26.Qh4 Rf8 27.b4 Bd6 28.Re1 e5 29.Qc4+ Kh8 30.Re2 h6 31.Qe6 Qb5 32.Qxd6 Rxf3 33.Rxe5 Rf6 34.Qd8+ 1-0 (34) Fedorchuk,S (2636)-Travadon,L (2459) Paris FRA 2023]

12.Bc2

[12.Bb3 b5 13.Nf1 a5 *(13...f5 14.Bg5 Qe8 15.exf5 Bxf5 16.Ng3 Na5 17.Nxf5 Nxb3 18.Nxg7 Kxg7 19.axb3 Qf7 20.Rxa6 Bb6 21.Rxa8 Rxa8 22.Be3 e4 23.Ng5 Qf5 24.d5 Bxe3 25.Ne6+ Kg8 26.Rxe3 Ne5 27.Rg3+ Kh8 28.Nxc7 Rf8 29.Qd2 Nd3 30.Ne6 Rf6 31.Kh2 h6 32.Qe3 Qxd5 33.Qa7* 1-0 (33) satlan (2755)-spectraline (2522) Blitz 2024*)* 14.a4 b4 15.d5 Nce7 16.cxb4 axb4 17.Qd2 f5 18.Bxa7 Rxa7 19.Ng3 fxe4 20.Rxe4 Bxh3 21.Ng5 Bf5 22.Nxf5 Rxf5 23.Ne6 Qe8 24.Qe3 Rb7 25.a5 Nxd5 26.Bxd5 c6 27.a6 1-0 (27) chessplayer202020 (2812)-MothAndTheFlame (2834) Blitz 2022]

[12.Nf1 exd4 13.cxd4 Nce7 *(13...f5 14.exf5 Bxf5 15.Ng3 Bd7 16.d5 Nce5 17.Nxe5 Nxe5 18.Bxa7 Rxa7 19.Bxd7 Qxd7 20.Qd4 Raa8 21.f4 Qxh3 22.Ne2 Nf3+ 23.gxf3 Rf6 24.Kf2 Qh2+ 25.Ke3 Rg6 26.Qe4 Rg2 27.Kd3* 1-0 (27) SummerKiwi (2704)-Sobino106 (2653) Blitz 2024*)* 14.d5 Bxe3 15.Nxe3 Nf4 16.Bxd7 Qxd7 17.Qd2 Rfe8 18.Rac1 Rac8 19.Rc4 Nfg6 20.Rec1 h6 21.Nd4

Ne5 22.R4c3 c5 23.dxc6 N5xc6 24.Nc4 Nxd4 25.Qxd4 Rcd8 26.Rg3 Ng6 27.Rd1 Re6 28.Ne3 Kh7 29.Nf5 Rf6 30.h4 Rxf5 31.exf5 Qxf5 32.Qg4 Qxg4 33.Rxg4 d5 34.Rb4 Rd7 35.Rc4 Ne7 36.Rc5 Kg6 37.f3 Kf6 38.Kf2 Ke6 39.b4 Nc6 40.a3 h5 41.Rd2 g6 42.Ke3 Ne5 43.Kd4 Nc6+ 44.Kc3 Rd6 45.Re2+ Kd7 46.b5 Ne7 47.bxa6 bxa6 48.a4 Nf5 49.Rd2 d4+ 50.Kc4 Ne3+ 51.Kd3 Nf5 52.Ke4 Ke6 53.Kf4 d3 54.Rc4 Kf6 55.g4 hxg4 56.fxg4 Nxh4 57.Ke3 Kg5 58.Rxd3 Ng2+ 59.Kd2 Re6 60.Rd5+ Kh4 61.g5+ Kg3 62.Rc3+ Kf2 63.Rc7 Re2+ 64.Kc3 Ne3 65.Rxf7+ Kg3 66.Re5 Nd1+ 67.Kd4 Ra2 68.Kc5 Rxa4 69.Rf6 Nf2 70.Kc6 Ng4 71.Re7 Nxf6 72.gxf6 Rf4 73.f7 a5 74.Kd7 g5 75.Ke8 g4 76.f8Q Rxf8+ 77.Kxf8 Kh2 78.Rh7+ Kg2 79.Kf7 g3 80.Ke6 Kf2 81.Rf7+ Ke2 82.Rg7 Kf2 83.Rf7+ Ke2 84.Rg7 Kf2 85.Rf7+ ½-½ (85) Aronian,L (2742)-Le Tuan,M (2557) chess.com INT 2023]

[12.dxe5 Bxe3 13.Rxe3 Ncxe5 14.Nxe5 Nxe5 15.Bxd7 Qxd7 16.Qe2 Rae8 17.Rd1 Qa4 18.a3 Qc2 19.Nf1 Qxe2 20.Rxe2 f5 21.exf5 Nf3+ 0-1 (21) Hommadow_Atahan (2629)-tt99326 (2618) Blitz 2023]

12...f5

[12...h6 13.Nf1 *(13.a4 Qf6 14.Nf1 Nh4 15.Nxh4 Qxh4 16.Ng3 Rae8 17.Qd2 Bc8 18.b4 Ne7 19.dxe5 Bxe3 20.Qxe3 dxe5 21.Qc5 Ng6 22.Bd3 Nf4 23.Bf1 Qe7 24.Qe3 Rd8 25.Nf5 Qf6 26.g3 Ng6 27.Qc5 c6 28.Qb6 Ne7 29.Nxe7 Qxe7 30.Rad1 g5 31.a5 Kg7 32.c4 h5 33.b5 cxb5 34.cxb5 axb5 35.Qxb5 h4 36.g4 f6 37.Bc4 Rxd1 38.Rxd1 Rd8 39.Rxd8 Qxd8 40.Bd5 Qc7 41.Qe8 Kh6 42.Qh8+ Kg6 43.Qg8+ Kh6 44.Bf7* 1-0 (44) AylorSnow (2653)-elconceto (2858) Blitz 2023 *)*

A) 13...Qf6 14.Qd2 Bxh3 *(14...Nh4 15.Nxh4 Qxh4 16.Ng3 Rae8 17.Rad1 Kh7 18.Kh2 Qf6 19.f4 Qh4 20.dxe5 Bxe3 21.Qxe3 dxe5 22.Rxd7 exf4 23.Nf5 Qg5 24.Qf2 g6 25.Nd4 Ne5 26.Rxc7 b5 27.Rf1 Rc8 28.Rxc8 Rxc8 29.Qxf4 Qxf4+ 30.Rxf4 b4 31.Ne2 Kg7 32.Bb3 bxc3 33.Nxc3 Rc7 34.Nd5 Rc1 35.Rf2 Rb1 36.Nc3 Rc1 37.Rd2 g5 38.Nd5 Re1 39.Nc3 Rc1 40.Kg3 a5 41.Kf2 Kg6 42.Ke3 Re1+ 43.Kd4 f6 44.Be6 Rc1 45.Bf5+ Kh5 46.Kd5 Kh4 47.Ke6 h5 48.Kxf6 Nc6 49.Rd3 g4 50.hxg4 hxg4 51.e5 Rc2 52.g3+ Kh3 53.e6 Rxb2 54.Ne4 Rg2 55.Ng5+ Kh2 56.Bxg4 Rxg3 57.Rxg3 Kxg3 58.Bf3 Kf4 59.Bxc6* 1-0 (59) matrix12345 (2678)-berto777 (2480) Blitz 2024*)* 15.Ng3 Nf4 16.gxh3 Nxh3+ 17.Kg2 Nf4+ 18.Kh2 g5 19.Nf5 Rg8 20.Rg1 Ne7 21.Nxe7 Qxe7 22.Bxf4 exf4 23.e5 dxe5 24.Nxe5 g4 25.Kg2 f3+ 26.Kg3 Rg5 27.Rh1 Kg7 28.Qf4 Rh8 29.Rae1 c5 30.Nc4 Qd8 31.Nd6 Qf6 32.Ne8+ Rxe8 33.Qxf6+ Kxf6 34.Rxe8 h5 35.Re5 Bb8 36.Kf4 cxd4 37.cxd4 Bxe5+ 38.dxe5+ Rxe5 39.Be4 b6 40.Rc1 Rb5 41.Rc6+ Kg7 42.b3 a5 43.Rc7 Rb4 44.Re7 Kf6 45.Re8 a4 46.bxa4 Rxa4 47.Rb8 Rb4 48.a3 Ra4 49.Rxb6+ Kg7 50.Rb3 h4 51.Kxg4 Rxe4+ 52.Kxf3 Ra4 53.Kg2 Kg6 54.Kh2

f6 55.Kg2 Kg5 56.Kh2 f5 57.Rc3 Kg4 58.Rd3 f4 59.Rc3 h3 60.Rb3 f3 61.Rb4+ Kf5 62.Rxa4 Ke5 63.Kxh3 Kd5 64.Kg3 Kc6 65.Kxf3 Kb5 66.Re4 Kc5 67.Ke3 Kd5 68.f4 Kc5 69.f5 Kd6 70.f6 Kd5 71.f7 Kc6 72.f8Q Kb5 73.Qf5+ 1-0 (73) smihir6 (2697)-drawingchest (2561) Blitz 2024;

B) 13...Nh4 14.N1h2 Nxf3+ 15.Nxf3 Qf6 16.dxe5 Nxe5 17.Nxe5 Qxe5 18.Bxa7 Rxa7 19.Qd2 Raa8 20.f4 Qc5+ 21.Kh2 Bc6 22.b4 Qb6 23.a4 Rae8 24.a5 Qb5 25.Bd3 Qh5 26.Qf2 Qg6 27.Re3 Qf6 28.Bc2 g5 29.Rf1 Qxf4+ 30.Qxf4 gxf4 31.Rxf4 f5 32.Ref3 Rg8 33.Rxf5 Bxe4 34.Bxe4 Rxe4 35.Rf7 Re2 36.Rf2 Rxf2 37.Rxf2 Kg7 38.g4 Re8 39.Kg3 Re1 40.h4 d5 41.Kf4 Kf6 42.g5+ hxg5+ 43.Kg4+ Kg6 44.h5+ Kh6 45.Rf6+ Kg7 46.Rg6+ Kf7 47.Rh6 Kg7 48.Rg6+ Kh7 49.Rf6 Kg7 50.Rg6+ ½-½ (50) Niemann,H (2733)-Nakamura,H (2802) Paris FRA 2024]

[12...exd4 13.cxd4 Nce7 14.Nf1 f5 15.d5 fxe4 16.Bxe4 Nf5 17.Bxa7 Rxa7 18.Bxf5 Bxf5 19.Nd4 Qg5 20.Ng3 Bd7 21.Ne6 Bxe6 22.dxe6 Raa8 23.Rc1 Qe7 24.Qb3 c6 25.Ne4 d5 26.Ng3 Rf6 27.Re3 Raf8 28.f3 Rxe6 29.Rxe6 Qxe6 30.Nf1 Nf4 31.Rc2 b5 32.Qa3 Re8 33.Qxa6 Rc8 34.Qb6 h5 35.h4 Qg6 36.Kh2 Qxc2 37.Qb7 Qxg2# 0-1 (37) KhatanbaatarGM (2706)-PaokUltras (2679) Blitz 2024]

13.exf5 Bxf5 14.Bxf5

[14.dxe5 Ngxe5 15.Bxa7 Rxa7 16.Nxe5 Nxe5 17.Bxf5 Rxf5 18.Ne4 Qg8 19.Ng3 Rf7 20.Qd4 Ra8 21.f4 Nc6 22.Qe4 Qf8 23.f5 Re7 24.Qf3 Rae8 25.Rxe7 Qxe7 26.Rf1 Qe3+ 27.Qxe3 Rxe3 28.Kf2 Re5 29.Re1 Rxe1 30.Kxe1 Kg8 31.Kd2 Kf7 32.Ke3 Ne5 33.b3 Kf6 34.Ke4 c6 35.Nh5+ Kf7 36.g4 g6 37.fxg6+ hxg6 38.Nf4 Kf6 39.Nd3 d5+ 40.Kd4 Nxd3 41.Kxd3 g5 42.Ke3 c5 43.Kf3 Ke5 44.Kg3 d4 45.cxd4+ cxd4 46.Kf3 a5 47.a3 b5 48.b4 a4 49.Kg3 Ke4 50.h4 gxh4+ 51.Kxh4 d3 0-1 (52) Zhigalko,S (2765)-Parakon1 (2675) Blitz 2023]

[14.Ne4 Nh4 15.Nxh4 Bxe4 16.Bxe4 Qxh4 17.Bxc6 bxc6 18.Qg4 Qxg4 19.hxg4 exd4 20.cxd4 Rab8 21.b3 Rb4 22.Red1 d5 23.Rac1 Rf6 24.g5 Re6 25.Rd3 Kg8 26.a3 Rb8 27.Rdc3 c5 28.dxc5 c6 29.g3 Kf7 30.Kg2 Re4 31.Rd3 Ke6 32.Rh1 Rh8 33.f3 Re5 34.g6 h5 35.Kf2 Kf5 36.Bd4 Re7 37.g4+ Kxg6 38.f4 Rhe8 39.Rxh5 Re2+ 40.Kf3 Ra2 41.Rg5+ Kh6 42.Rxg7 Bb8 43.g5+ Kh5 44.Rh7+ Kg6 45.Rh6+ Kf7 46.Rf6+ Kg8 47.Rxc6 Rf8 48.Rg6+ Kf7 49.Rf6+ Kg8 50.Rxf8+ Kxf8 51.b4 Kf7 52.f5 Rh2 53.g6+ Ke7 54.f6+ Ke6 55.f7 Rh3+ 56.Ke2 Rh2+ 57.Kd1 Rh1+ 58.Kc2 Rh2+ 59.Kb3 1-0 (60) Oparin,G (2660)-Dilanian,G (2191) chess.com INT 2025]

14...Rxf5 15.Qb3 exd4 16.cxd4 Rb5 17.Qc3 Qd7 18.Rad1 Rf8 19.a4 Rbf5 20.Qb3 Qc8 21.d5 Bxe3 22.dxc6 Bb6 23.Ne4 bxc6 24.Nd4 Bxd4 25.Rxd4 Nf4 26.Qg3 h6 27.Qg4 Qe8 28.Rdd1 Qf7 29.Ng3 Rg5 30.Qf3 Nxh3+ 31.Kf1 Qxf3 32.gxf3 Rxf3 33.Kg2 Rxf2+ 34.Kxh3 Rxb2 35.Re3 Rb4 36.Rc1 c5 37.Rf1 Rxa4 38.Rf7 d5 39.Ree7 Ra3 0-1 (39) Yarebore (2872)-

Like_a_Gin (2705) Blitz 2021 Kuzmin, Alexey: 'In case of' **9.d5** Ribli,Zoltan: ' ± ' Kuzmin, Alexey: 'Black can sacrifice a pawn -'

9...Bxe3

[9...Nb8 10.Bc2 Bxe3 11.fxe3 d6 12.Nbd2 a5 13.Qe1 Na6 14.Qg3 h6 15.h4 Kh8 16.h5 Ne7 17.Nh4 Ng8 18.Nf5 Qg5 19.Qf3 Nf6 20.Ne7 Bg4 21.Qf2 Nxh5 22.Nf3 Bxf3 23.Qxf3 Ng3 24.Rf2 Qh4 25.Rff1 Nxf1 26.Nf5 Qh2+ 27.Kxf1 Qh1+ 28.Ke2 Qxa1 29.Qg3 Rg8 30.Qh4 Kh7 31.g4 Qxb2 32.Kd2 Nb4 33.cxb4 axb4 34.a4 b3 35.g5 Qxc2+ 36.Ke1 b2 0-1 (36) bomba_228 (2606)-Gabrielian (2687) Blitz 2024]

10.dxc6

[10.fxe3 Na5 11.Nbd2 b6 12.Qe1 d6 13.h4 f6 14.Qg3 Nh8 15.Rf2 Nf7 16.Raf1 Nb7 17.h5 Nc5 18.Bc6 Ra7 19.b4 Nd3 20.Re2 ½-½ (20) Ivanchuk,V (2604)-Cornette,M (2528) Reykjavik ISL 2025]

10...b5 11.fxe3 bxa4 12.Qxa4 Rb8 Kuzmin, Alexey: ' ⩲ ' Kuzmin, Alexey: 'Bodnaruk,A - Chigaev,M Chess.com INT 2021'

[Kuzmin, Alexey: 'or' 12...dxc6 13.Qxc6 Rb8 Kuzmin, Alexey: '⩲' Kuzmin, Alexey: 'In both cases Black has sufficient compensation for a pawn.']

9.Bxc6 dxc6 10.dxe5

[10.Qe2 Bg4 11.dxe5 Nxe5 12.Nbd2 Qd3 13.Qxd3 Nxd3 14.Bxa7 Rxa7 15.Rab1 Raa8 16.h3 Be6 17.Nb3 c5 18.Rfd1 Rfd8 19.Ne1 Nxe1 20.Rxe1 b6 21.Red1 a5 22.Ra1 a4 23.Nd2 Rd3 24.Kf1 Rad8 25.Ke2 g5 26.a3 h6 27.Rac1 f5 28.exf5 Bxf5 29.Nf1 c4 30.Ne3 Be6 31.Rxd3 cxd3+ 32.Kd2 Kf7 33.Re1 Kf6 34.Ng4+ Bxg4 35.hxg4 c5 36.Re3 c4 37.Re4 b5 38.f3 Rd5 39.Re8 Re5 40.Rxe5 Kxe5 41.Ke3 Kd6 42.g3 Ke6 43.f4 Kf6 44.f5 Ke5 45.Kd2 ½-½ (45) Lion-Al-Messi (2611)-ma_long_ma (2672) Blitz 2023]

10...Bxe3 11.fxe3 Qe7 12.Qb3 Nxe5 13.Nxe5 Qxe5 14.Nd2 b5 15.Rf4 Be6 16.Qc2 c5 17.Nf3 Qh5 18.b4 Rad8 19.Rh4 Qg6 20.bxc5 Bc4 21.Nd4 Qg5 22.Rf4 Qxc5 23.Qf2 g6 24.Qh4 Qe5 25.Rc1 Rd6 26.Qh6 c5 27.Nf3 Qg7 28.Qg5 Rfd8 29.Qxc5 Rd1+ 30.Rxd1 Rxd1+ 31.Kf2 Qxc3 32.Qc8+ Kg7 33.Qxa6 Be6 34.Qxb5 f6 35.Qb7+ Rd7 36.Qb6 Bf7 37.e5 fxe5 38.Qf6+ Kg8 39.Nxe5 1-0 (39) chechess888 (2617)-ViktorMMs (2685) Blitz 2021

[88] **9...Qf6** 10.Bxc6

[10.h3 h6 11.Nbd2 *(11.Bxc6 dxc6 12.dxe5 Nxe5 13.Bxa7 Nxf3+ 14.Qxf3 Qxf3 15.gxf3 Rxa7 16.Kg2 Be6 17.Nd2 Raa8 18.Nb3 Rad8 19.Nd4 Bc8 20.Rad1 c5 21.Ne2 Be6 22.b3 f6 23.Nf4 Bf7 24.c4 c6 25.Nd3 b6 26.Kf1 Rd4 27.Ke2 Rfd8 28.Nb2 b5 29.Rxd4 Rxd4 30.Rc1 Bh5 31.Ke3* 1-0 (31) SummerKiwi (2655)-FNC_Razork (2615) Blitz 2024 *)* 11...exd4 12.cxd4 Nxd4 13.e5 *(13.Rc1 Nxf3+ 14.Nxf3 Bxe3 15.Rxe3 Qd8 16.e5 d6 17.exd6 cxd6 18.Rd3 Be6 19.Rxd6 Qa5 20.Bb3 Bxb3 21.Qxb3 Rad8 22.Rxg6* 1-0 (22) mila2010 (2669)-TalkingShit (2647) Blitz 2025*)* 13...Nxf3+ 14.Nxf3 Qe7 15.Bc2 *(15.Qc2 Bxe3 16.Rxe3 d5 17.exd6 Qxd6 18.Rd1 Qb6 19.Bb3 Nf4 20.Qe4 Qf6 21.Ne5 Be6 22.Bxe6 Qxe6 23.Qxf4* 1-0 (23) Oleg114 (2629)-TheDayThatNeverCome

(2630) Blitz 2023) 15...Bxe3 16.Rxe3 d6 17.Bxg6 fxg6 18.Rc1 Rb8 19.exd6 Qxd6 20.Qxd6 cxd6 21.Rc7 Kh7 22.Ree7 Rg8 23.Nd4 Bf5 24.Rxb7 Rxb7 25.Rxb7 Rc8 26.Rb6 Bb1 27.Rxa6 Rc4 28.Rxd6 Bxa2 29.Nf3 Rb4 30.Rd2 g5 31.Nd4 Kg6 32.f3 h5 33.Kf2 Kf6 34.Nc6 Rb5 35.b4 Bb3 36.Ke3 g4 37.fxg4 hxg4 38.hxg4 Kg5 39.Rd7 g6 40.Rd4 Be6 41.Re4 Bd7 42.Ne5 Bc8 43.Nf3+ Kf6 44.Rc4 Bd7 45.Rf4+ Ke7 46.Re4+ Kd6 47.Kf4 Bc8 48.Ng5 Bb7 49.Rd4+ Ke7 50.Ne4 g5+ 51.Nxg5 Bxg2 52.Ne4 Ke6 53.Nc5+ Kf6 54.Nd3 Bf1 55.Ne1 Be2 56.Nf3 Kg7 57.Ne5 Rb8 58.Kf5 Bb5 59.Ng6 Rb7 60.Nh4 Bd7+ 61.Kg5 Kf7 62.Nf5 Ke6 63.Re4+ Kd5 64.Kf4 Ba4 65.b5 Ra7 66.b6 1-0 (66) Giri,A (2748)-Abdusattorov,N (2767) Zagreb CRO 2025]

[10.Bc2 h6 11.d5 Nce7 12.Bxa7 Rxa7 13.a4 d6 14.g3 Bg4 15.Nbd2 Nh8 16.a5 g6 17.Qe2 Qg7 18.Qc4 Rc8 19.b4 Bd7 20.Qb3 g5 21.Nc4 Rf8 22.Ne3 f5 23.exf5 Nxf5 24.Nxf5 Bxf5 25.Bxf5 Rxf5 26.c4 Ra8 27.Nd2 g4 28.b5 Nf7 29.bxa6 bxa6 30.Qb7 Rf8 31.Qxc7 Ng5 32.Qxg7+ Kxg7 33.Ne4 Nh3+ 34.Kg2 Rxf2+ 35.Nxf2 Rxf2+ 36.Kh1 Rd2 37.Re3 Rc2 38.Rb3 e4 39.c5 Rxc5 40.Rb6 Rxd5 41.Rxa6 Ng5 42.Rb6 Rd2 43.Rab1 Ra2 44.Rxd6 Rxa5 45.Rb7+ Nf7 46.Re6 Ra1+ 47.Kg2 Ra2+ 48.Kg1 e3 49.Rxe3 Kf6 50.Rb6+ Kf5 51.Rb5+ Kf6 52.Rb4 Ng5 53.Rf4+ Kg6 54.Rxg4 h5 55.Rh4 Rb2 56.Ra3 Rb6 57.Kf2 Nh7 58.Re4 Nf6 59.Re2 Rc6 60.Rea2 Rc4 61.Kg2 Kg7 62.Ra4 Rc5 63.Kh3 Rb5 64.Ra7+ Kg6 65.R7a6 Kg7 66.R2a5 1-0 (66) Tabatabaei,M (2686)-Dhulipalla,B (2440) Tashkent UZB 2024]

[10.dxe5 Ngxe5 11.Nbd2 Bxe3 12.Rxe3 d6 13.h3 Bd7 14.Qe2 Rfe8 15.Bc2 Ng6 16.Rd1 Nf4 17.Qf1 Ne5 18.Nxe5 dxe5 19.Nc4 Rad8 20.a4 Be6 21.a5 Rxd1 22.Bxd1 Rd8 23.Bg4 Bxg4 24.hxg4 Qe6 25.g3 Ng6 26.Rd3 Rxd3 27.Qxd3 Qxg4 28.Nxe5 Qc8 29.Nc4 h6 30.Ne3 Qe8 31.Nf5 Ne5 32.Qd5 c6 33.Qd1 Kh7 34.Kg2 g6 35.Ne3 Qe6 36.Qd4 Ng4 37.Nxg4 Qxg4 38.f3 Qe6 39.b4 Qa2+ 40.Kh3 Qe2 41.g4 Qxf3+ 42.Kh2 Qf4+ 43.Kg2 Qxg4+ 44.Kf2 Qf4+ 45.Ke2 g5 46.Qb6 Kg6 47.Qxb7 Qxe4+ 48.Kd2 Qd5+ 49.Kc2 Qb5 50.Qe7 f5 51.Qe8+ Kf6 52.Qh8+ Ke6 53.Qxh6+ Ke5 54.Qxg5 Qe2+ 55.Kb3 Qd1+ 56.Ka3 Qd5 57.Qg7+ Ke4 58.Qf8 Qd3 59.Qe8+ Kf3 60.Qd8 f4 61.Qxd3+ Kf2 62.Qd4+ Ke2 63.Qc5 Kd3 64.Qxc6 f3 65.Qd6+ Ke3 66.Qxa6 Kf2 67.Qf6 Kg3 68.Qxf3+ Kxf3 69.a6 Ke2 70.Kb3 Kd2 71.b5 Kc1 72.b6 Kd2 73.Kc4 Ke1 Time forfeit ½-½ (73) ModernDefence (2628)-Herzog2012 (2515) Blitz 2024]

10...exd4

[10...dxc6 11.Nxe5 Nxe5 12.dxe5 Qxe5 13.Bxa7 Rxa7 14.Nd2

A) 14...Rd8 1:37:05 (%eval 0.19 %clk 15.Qe2 38:11 %eval 0.05 %clk Ra8 1:35:59 %eval 0.0 %clk 16.Nb3 32:07 %eval 0.0 %clk Be6 1:29:37 %eval 0.0 %clk 17.Rad1 28:08 %eval -0.08 %clk h6 1:26:03 %eval -0.1 %clk 18.Nd4 16:20 %eval 0.0 (%clk Bd7 1:25:06 %eval 0.0 %clk 19.Rd2 9:07 %eval -0.09 %clk c5 1:24:45

%eval -0.14 %clk 20.Nf3 8:11 (%eval -0.08 %clk Qe7 1:24:30 %eval -0.13 %clk 21.Red1 8:26 %eval -0.17 %clk Be6 1:19:36 %eval 0.0 %clk 22.Rxd8+ 6:21 %eval 0.0 %clk Rxd8 1:19:55 %eval 0.0 %clk 23.Rxd8+ 6:48 %eval -0.03 %clk Qxd8 1:20:20 %eval 0.0 %clk 24.a3 6:42 %eval 0.0 %clk a5 1:20:43 %eval 0.0 %clk 25.h3 5:38 %eval 0.0 %clk b6 1:20:49 %eval -0.03 %clk 26.Qd2 5:20 %eval -0.01 %clk Qe8 1:20:17 %eval 0.1 %clk 27.Qf4 3:35 %eval 0.0 (%clk Qb5 1:19:57 %eval 0.0 %clk 28.Qd2 4:04 %eval 0.0 %clk Qe8 1:17:08 %eval 0.08 %clk 29.Qf4 4:28 (%eval 0.0 %clk Qc6 1:17:32 %eval 0.0 %clk 30.Qe3 2:39 %eval -0.03 %clk Kf8 1:17:10 %eval 0.0 %clk 31.Qd3 2:23 %eval -0.06 %clk Ke7 1:16:42 %eval 0.0 %clk 32.Ne5 2:08 %eval 0.0 %clk Qd6 1:14:29 %eval 0.0 (%clk 33.f4 1:37 %eval 0.0 %clk g5 1:14:40 %eval 0.0 %clk 34.Qxd6+? 36 %eval -1.6Mistake. Kf2 was best. %clk *(34.Kf2 gxf4 35.Qxd6+ Kxd6 36.Nd3 c4 37.Nxf4 Bc8 38.Ke3 Ke5 39.Nh5 Bb7 40.Ng3 Bc6)* 34...cxd6 1:14:24 %eval -1.26 %clk 35.Nd3?? 35 %eval -3.64Blunder. f5 was best.%clk *(35.f5 Bxf5 36.Nxf7 Bxh3 37.Nxh6 Be6 38.Kf2 Kf6 39.Kf3 Ke5 40.Ke3 d5 41.exd5 Kxd5)* 35...Bc4 -3.51 %eval 36.Nf2 33 %eval -4.16 %clk gxf4 1:15:17 %eval -4.2 %clk 37.Ng4 32 %eval -4.24 %clk h5 1:14:16 %eval -4.1 %clk 38.Nf2 32 %eval -4.48 %clk Ke6 1:14:09 %eval -4.27 %clk 0-1 (38) Huschenbeth,N (2605)-Mamedyarov,S (2734) Deizisau GER 2024;

B) 14...Ra8 15.Nf3 Qe7 16.Qd2 c5 17.Qf4 h6 18.b3 a5 19.c4 a4 20.Rad1 Be6 21.h3 Rfd8 22.Qe5 b6 23.Qc3 Rd6 24.Rd2 Rxd2 25.Nxd2 Qd6 26.Nf3 Rd8 27.Kf1 axb3 28.axb3 Qd3+ 29.Qxd3 Rxd3 30.Rc1 Rxb3 31.Nd2 Ra3 32.Ke2 g5 33.Rc2 Kg7 34.Nf1 Ra2 0-1 (34) Hansen,E (2609)-Baidetskyi,V (2498) Pasching AUT 2025]

11.Bxd4 Bxd4 12.Qxd4 Qxd4 13.Nxd4 dxc6 14.Nd2 c5 15.Nf5 Be6 16.Nf3 Rad8 17.g3 Rfe8 18.Kg2 f6 19.Re3 Nh8 20.h3 g6 21.N5h4 Nf7 22.g4 Bd7 23.Rae1 Bc6 24.Kg3 Re6 25.b3 Kf8 26.c4 a5 27.a4 b6 28.Ng2 g5 29.R1e2 Rd1 30.Nfe1 Red6 31.Rc3 Nd8 32.Ne3 R1d2 33.Rxd2 Rxd2 34.Nf3 Rb2 35.Nd5 Bxd5 ½-½ (35) Carlsen,M (2830)-Nakamura,H (2794) Stavanger NOR 2024

9...d6 10.Bxc6 bxc6 11.dxe5 Bxe3

[11...dxe5 12.Qxd8 Rxd8 13.Bxa7 Rxa7 14.Nbd2 Be6 15.Nb3 Rb7 16.Nfd2 c5 17.Rad1 c4 18.Nxc4 Rxd1 19.Rxd1 Bxc4 20.Na5 Rxb2 21.Nxc4 Rxa2 22.Nxe5 f6 23.Nxg6 hxg6 24.g3 Rc2 25.Ra1 Rxc3 26.Rxa6 ½-½ (26) Fratz71 (2619)-Shramov,I (2433) Blitz 2024]

12.Rxe3 dxe5

[12...Nxe5 13.Nxe5 dxe5 14.Nd2 Be6 15.Qc2 a5 16.Rd1 Qe7 17.c4 Rfd8 18.b3 a4 19.h3 Qd6 20.Ree1 Qb4 21.Nf3 f6 22.Rxd8+ Rxd8 23.Rd1 Rd6 24.Rd3 Kf7 25.Kf1 Ke7

26.Ke2 Qa3 27.Ne1 h5 28.h4 axb3 29.axb3 Qa1 30.Rd1 Rxd1 31.Qxd1 Qb2+ 32.Qc2 Qd4 33.Qd3 Qb2+ 34.Qc2 Qd4 35.Qd3 Qb2+ 36.Nc2 c5 37.Kd2 Qb1 38.Qe3 Kd6 39.f3 Qf1 40.Qd3+ Qxd3+ 41.Kxd3 c6 42.Ne3 Bd7 43.g4 g6 44.gxh5 gxh5 45.Nf1 Be8 46.Ng3 Bg6 47.Ke3 Ke6 48.Ne2 Kd6 49.Nc1 Be8 50.Nd3 Bd7 51.Kd2 Bh3 52.Nf2 Bd7 53.Nh1 Be8 54.Ng3 Bg6 55.Kc3 Kc7 56.Kb2 Kb6 57.Ka3 Ka5 58.Ne2 Bf7 59.Nc3 Be6 60.Na4 Bh3 61.Nxc5 Bg2 62.Nd7 Bxf3 63.Nxf6 c5 64.Kb2 Kb4 65.Nd7 Bxe4 66.Nxe5 Ka5 67.Nd7 Kb4 68.Nf6 1-0 (68) Kamsky,G (2664)-Lobanov,S (2545) chess.com INT 2023]

13.Nbd2

[13.Qxd8 Rxd8 14.Nbd2

A) 14...Be6 15.Nb3 *(15.Kf1 Rab8 16.b3 f6 17.g3 Rd7 18.Ree1 Rbd8 19.Ke2 Bg4 20.Ke3 Rd3+ 21.Ke2 Rxd2+* 0-1 (21) AlexD64 (2626)-Calzonesdesuperman (2659) Blitz 2024*)* 15...Bxb3 16.axb3 a5 17.Ree1 f6 18.g3 Kf8 19.Kf1 Ke7 20.Ke2 Nf8 21.Red1 Ne6 22.Rxd8 Kxd8 23.Nd2 Kc8 24.b4 a4 25.b3 a3 26.Ra2 c5 27.b5 Ra5 28.Kd3 Rxb5 29.Rxa3 Kd7 30.Ra8 c4+ 31.Kxc4 Rb6 32.Kd3 Rd6+ 33.Kc2 Nc5 34.f3 Ne6 35.Nc4 Rc6 36.h4 h6 37.Ne3 Rc5 38.Kd3 Rb5 39.b4 c5 40.Ra7+ Kc6 41.Nd5 cxb4 42.cxb4 Nd4 43.Kc4 Rb8 44.Rc7+ Kd6 45.Rxg7 Nxf3 46.Rf7 Nd2+ 47.Kd3 Nf1 48.Rxf6+ 1-0 (48) Dom_Perignon_64 (2649)-MI-DTB (2677) Blitz 2023;

B) 14...f6 15.g3 Be6 16.Nb3 *(16.Kg2 a5 17.Nb3 Bf7 18.Nc5 a4 19.Re2 h5 20.Rd2 a3 21.b3 Rxd2 22.Nxd2 h4 23.Kf3 Rd8 24.Ke3 Nf8 25.c4 Bg6 26.Rc1 Kf7 27.Nb1 Ne6 28.Nxe6 Kxe6 29.Nc3 f5 30.f3 hxg3 31.hxg3 Rh8 32.Rc2 Rh3 33.exf5+ Bxf5 34.Rg2 Rh1 35.Kd2 Ra1 36.Re2 Bb1 37.Re1 Rxa2+ 38.Nxa2 Bxa2 39.Kc3* 1-0 (39) JelenaZ (2629)-alfredogto (2670) Blitz 2024*)* 16...a5 17.Nc5 Bg4 18.a4 Rab8 19.Rb1 Nf4 20.gxf4 exf4 21.Nd4 fxe3 22.fxe3 Rb6 23.b4 Ra8 24.Kf2 Kf7 25.Ke1 axb4 26.cxb4 Ra5 27.Rb3 Ra8 28.a5 Rbb8 29.Nxc6 Re8 30.b5 Be6 31.Rb4 Bc8 32.a6 g5 33.Rc4 h5 34.Nb4 f5 35.Kf2 fxe4 36.Nxe4 Kg6 37.Rc6+ Re6 38.Nc5 Rxc6 39.Nxc6 Kf7 40.Ne4 g4 41.Kg3 Bxa6 42.bxa6 Rxa6 43.Nd4 Ra2 44.Ng5+ Kg6 45.Nge6 Ra7 46.Nf4+ Kg5 47.Nde6+ Kh6 48.e4 Ra3+ 49.Kf2 Ra2+ 50.Kg3 Ra3+ 51.Kf2 c5 52.Nd5 c4 53.Nd4 Rd3 54.Nf5+ Kg5 55.Nfe3 Rd2+ 56.Ke1 Rxh2 57.Nxc4 h4 58.e5 Kf5 59.Nde3+ Ke6 60.Nxg4 Ra2 61.Kf1 h3 62.Kg1 Rg2+ 63.Kh1 Rxg4 64.Ne3 Re4 65.Nc2 Kxe5 66.Kg1 Kf4 67.Na3 0-1 (67) Hilary46 (2673)-kichot78 (2518) Blitz 2024]

13...Be6 14.Nb3 Qe7 15.Qc2 c5 16.c4 Rab8 17.Qc3 f6 18.Qa5 Bxc4 19.Qxc5 Qxc5 20.Nxc5 Rxb2 21.Rc3 Rxa2 22.Rxa2 Bxa2 23.Nxa6 Nf4 24.Rxc7 Ra8 25.Nc5 Bc4 26.h4 h5 27.g3 Ra1+ 28.Kh2 Ng6 29.Nb7 Bd3 30.Nd6 Be2 31.Ng1 Bd3 32.Nf5 Bxe4 33.Rxg7+ Kf8 34.Rxg6 Kf7 35.Rg7+

Kf8 36.Rg6 Kf7 37.Rg7+ Kf8 38.Rg6 ½-½ (38) ultraking1 (2797)-Calzonesdesuperman (2612) Blitz 2023

9...b5 23 10.Bc2 13

[10.Bb3 d6 11.h3 Kh8 12.a4 exd4 13.Nxd4 Nxd4 14.cxd4 f5 15.exf5 Bxf5 16.Qh5 Qh4 17.Qxh4 Nxh4 18.Nd2 Bd7 19.axb5 Bxb5 20.Rec1 Nf5 21.Rxc7 Nxd4 22.Rxa7 Rxa7 23.Bxd4 Re7 24.Be3 Rc8 25.Nf3 Rb7 26.Bd5 Rbb8 27.Nd4 Bc4 28.Bxc4 Rxc4 29.Rxa6 d5 30.Rd6 h6 31.Rxd5 Rxb2 32.h4 Rb7 33.h5 Rf7 34.g4 Kh7 35.Kg2 Ra4 36.Kg3 Ra3 37.Nf5 Rb3 38.Re5 Rbb7 39.Re6 Rbd7 40.Bf4 Rd3+ 41.f3 1-0 (41) SirJohn13 (2668)-Like_a_Gin (2723) Blitz 2021]

10...d6 14 11.a4

[11.Nbd2 2 Kh8 22 12.a4 19 Rb8 1 13.axb5 2 axb5 0 14.Nf1 7 Bb6 8 15.h3 21 b4 7 16.Ng3 7 bxc3 14 17.bxc3 0 Nh4 6 18.Nxh4 15 Qxh4 0 19.Qd2 3 f6 12 20.Reb1 23 Bd7 4 21.d5 25 Na5 3 22.Bd3 25 Kg8 46 23.Bxb6 14 cxb6 2 24.Qe3 1 Qg5 21 25.Qxg5 1 fxg5 1 26.Rb4 1 Rfc8 2 27.c4 3 Kf7 8 28.Rab1 2 Ke7 12 29.Nf1 1 Kd8 26 30.Ne3 42 Kc7 5 31.Be2 1 Rb7 43 32.Bg4 2 Rcb8 1 33.Bxd7 7 Kxd7 0 34.f3 3 Rc7 7 35.Kh2 3 Rbc8 2 36.Rxb6 16 Nxc4 1 37.Nxc4 0 Rxc4 1 38.Ra6 1 Ke7 7 39.Rbb6 4 Rd8 7 40.Ra7+ 10 Rd7 2 41.Rbb7 1 Rxb7 13 42.Rxb7+ 0 Kf6 36 43.Rd7 1 g4 23 44.hxg4 4 g6 12 45.Kg3 19 h5 4 46.Rxd6+ 5 Kg5 1 47.gxh5 4 gxh5 0 48.Re6 1 h4+ 1 49.Kh3 5 Kf4 1 50.Rf6+ 4 Ke3 1 51.Kxh4 3 Kf2 4 52.g4 3 1-0 (52) Yu Yangyi (2714)-Matinian,N (2420) chess.com INT 2025]

[11.h3 h6 12.Nbd2 Bd7 13.Nf1 Nce7 14.Ng3 c5 15.Qd2 Kh7 16.Rad1 cxd4 17.cxd4 Bc6 18.Bb3 Qc7 19.Rc1 Qb7 20.d5 Bd7 21.Bc2 Bxe3 22.Qxe3 Rac8 23.Bd3 Rxc1 24.Rxc1 Rc8 25.Ne2 Rxc1+ 26.Qxc1 f5 27.Nd2 fxe4 28.Bxe4 Bf5 29.Ng3 Bxe4 30.Ndxe4 Qxd5 31.Qc7 Qe6 32.Qxd6 Qxd6 33.Nxd6 Nf4 34.Nge4 Nd3 35.b3 Nc1 36.Nc5 Nxa2 37.Nxa6 b4 38.Nc5 Nc6 39.Nc4 Kg6 40.Kf1 Kf5 41.f3 Nd4 42.Kf2 Nc1 43.Nd2 h5 44.g4+ hxg4 45.hxg4+ Kf6 46.Ke3 Ke7 47.Ke4 Kd6 48.Nd3 Ncxb3 49.Nxb4 Nxd2+ 50.Kd3 N2xf3 51.Ke3 Ng5 52.Nd3 Nge6 53.Ke4 g6 54.Nb4 Nc5+ 55.Ke3 Ke6 56.Na2 Kf6 57.Kf2 Kg5 58.Kg3 Ne4+ 59.Kh3 Kf4 60.Nc1 Ng5+ 61.Kh4 Ndf3# 0-1 (61) KhatanbaatarGM (2620)-spectraline (2527) Blitz 2024]

11...exd4 12.cxd4 Bg4 13.d5 Nce5 14.Bxa7 Bxf3 15.gxf3 Nf4 16.Kh1 Rxa7 17.Rg1 bxa4 18.Nc3 Rb7 19.Nxa4 Qf6 20.b3 Nh3 21.Rg2 Nxf3 22.Rb1 Nh4 23.Qg4 Nxf2+ 24.Rxf2 Qxf2 25.Bd3 Ng6 26.Bxa6 Ne5 27.Qg2 Qxg2+ 28.Kxg2 Rb4 0-1 (28) TrappedPiece (2771)-chess_lover2020 (2793) Blitz 2022

9...exd4 10.cxd4 d5

[10...Re8 11.Nc3 b5 12.Bc2 d6 13.h3 Bb7 14.Rc1 Nb4 15.Bb1 c5 16.d5 c4 17.Bxa7 Rxa7 18.a3 Nd3 19.Bxd3 cxd3 20.Qxd3 Ra8 21.Ne2 Qa5 22.b4 Qd8 23.Ned4 Qb6 24.Nf5 Rac8 25.Rxc8 Rxc8 26.Qd4 Qc7 27.Qxg7# 1-0 (27) KhatanbaatarGM (2668)-bojarin1982 (2560) Blitz 2024]

11.exd5

[11.Bxc6 bxc6 12.e5 f6 13.exf6

Qxf6 14.Nbd2 Nf4 15.Qa4 Nd3 16.Bg5 Qg6 17.Re7 Bg4 18.h4 h6 19.Ne5 Nxe5 20.Rxe5 hxg5 21.Rxg5 Qf6 22.f3 Qxd4+ 23.Qxd4 Bxd4+ 24.Kh2 Bf5 25.Nb3 Bxb2 26.Re1 g6 27.g4 Bd3 28.Re6 Bf6 29.Rxc6 Bxg5 30.hxg5 Rxf3 31.Nc5 Bb1 32.Kg2 Rf7 33.Ne6 Re8 34.Rxa6 Rfe7 35.Nd4 Re4 36.Nf3 Rxg4+ 37.Kh3 Rf4 38.Nd2 Re3+ 39.Kg2 Be4+ 40.Nxe4 dxe4 41.Rxg6+ Kf7 42.Rc6 Rff3 43.Rxc7+ Kg6 44.Rc5 Re2+ 45.Kg1 Rxa2 46.Rc6+ Kxg5 47.Rc5+ Kf4 48.Rc1 Rg3+ 49.Kh1 Rh3+ 50.Kg1 Kg3 51.Rc3+ Kg4 52.Rc1 e3 53.Rc4+ Kf3 54.Rc1 Rg2+ 55.Kf1 Rh1# 0-1 (55) chechess888 (2687)-IMFAR (2730) Blitz 2021]

11...Qxd5

[11...Nce7 12.Nc3 Nxd5 13.Nxd5 Qxd5 14.Bb3 Qd6 15.Rc1 Bf5 16.h3 Rad8 17.Bg5 Rd7 18.Ne5 Nxe5 19.dxe5 Qg6 20.Bd2 Rfd8 21.e6 fxe6 22.Qf3 Rxd2 23.Rf1 Be4 24.Qg4 Qxg4 25.hxg4 Bb6 26.Bxe6+ Kf8 27.b4 Rb2 28.Rc4 Rd4 29.a4 Bd3 30.Rxd4 Bxd4 31.Rd1 Bxf2+ 32.Kh2 Be4 33.Rd7 Bb6 34.Rf7+ Ke8 35.Rxg7 Rxg2+ 36.Kh3 Bd4 37.Rxc7 Be5 38.Rc8+ Ke7 39.Kh4 Bf4 40.g5 Rh2+ 41.Bh3 Bf5 42.Re8+ Kxe8 0-1 (42) anirudhha (2640)-Jakebr8 (2797) Blitz 2024]

12.Nc3 Qd6

[12...Qh5 13.d5 Nce5 14.Nxe5 1-0 (14) Yiyi1984 (2675)-spectraline (2555) Blitz 2023]

13.Ne4 Qd5 14.Nfg5 Nxd4 15.Bb3 Qd8 16.Qh5 h6 17.Qxg6 Bf5 18.Bxf7+ Kh8 19.Qh5 Nc2 20.Rad1 Qe7 21.Bxa7 Nxe1 22.Rxe1 Bxe4 23.Be3 Rad8 24.Bb3 Bd5 25.Bd2 Qf6 26.Nf3 Bxf3 27.Bc3 Bxh5 28.Bxf6 0-1 (28) Patetico (2726)-IMFAR (2769) Blitz 2021

89 **10...Qf6** 11.Nf1

[11.dxe5 Ncxe5 12.Bxa7 Rxa7 13.Nxe5 Nxe5 14.Nf1 d6 15.Ng3 Ra8 16.Bb3 Be6 17.Qd4 Rad8 18.Rad1 Bg4 19.Rd2 h5 20.Qe3 h4 21.Nf1 g5 22.h3 Be6 23.Nh2 Kg7 24.f3 Ng6 25.Bd5 c6 26.Bb3 Nf4 27.Ng4 Bxg4 28.hxg4 Qe5 29.Red1 f6 30.Qd4 Qxd4+ 31.cxd4 d5 32.Kf2 Rfe8 33.Bc2 Rd7 34.b4 Red8 35.a4 Ne6 36.e5 fxe5 37.dxe5 Nf4 38.b5 axb5 39.axb5 Re7 40.bxc6 bxc6 41.Ba4 c5 42.Re1 d4 43.Bb5 Rd5 44.e6 Rxe6 45.Ra1 Rde5 46.Bc4 Re7 47.Rda2 d3 48.Rd2 Re2+ 49.Rxe2 Rxe2+ 50.Kf1 Rxg2 51.Bxd3 Rg3 52.Be4 h3 53.Ra7+ Kf6 54.Rh7 Rg2 55.Rxh3 Nxh3 56.Kxg2 Nf4+ 57.Kf2 Ke5 58.Ke3 c4 59.Bf5 Nd5+ 60.Ke2 Kd4 61.Kd2 Nf4 0-1 (61) KhatanbaatarGM (2688)-slouuurps (2683) Blitz 2025]

[11.d5 Bxe3 12.dxc6 Bxd2 13.cxd7 Bxe1 14.Qxe1 Bxd7 15.Bxd7 Rad8 16.Bf5 Ne7 17.Bh3 Rd6 18.Nd2 b5 19.Nf1 Rfd8 20.Ne3 c6 21.g3 g6 22.a4 h5 23.axb5 axb5 24.Ra7 Nc8 25.Ra6 Kg7 26.Qe2 Rd2 27.Qe1 Rxb2 28.Nd5 Qd6 29.Qc1 Re2 30.Qg5 f6 31.Qc1 Qc5 32.Ne3 Rdd2 33.Bxc8 Rxf2 34.Qa3 Rg2+ 35.Kf1 Rdf2+ 36.Ke1 Qxe3+ 0-1 (36) Shivanujan,S (2620)-TheDayThatNeverCome (2636) Blitz 2023]

[11.Bxc6 dxc6 12.dxe5 Nxe5 13.Bxa7 Rxa7 14.Nxe5 Qxe5 15.Nf3

Qe7 16.Qd4 c5 17.Qe3 Ra8 18.Rad1 Be6 19.a3 Rad8 20.h3 Bb3 21.Rxd8 Rxd8 22.Re2 Bd1 23.Rd2 Bxf3 24.Rxd8+ Qxd8 25.gxf3 b6 26.Kg2 a5 27.f4 a4 28.e5 Qd5+ 29.Qf3 Qb3 30.f5 Kh7 31.Qe4 Kg8 32.e6 fxe6 33.fxe6 Kf8 34.Qf5+ Kg8 35.e7 1-0 (35) AlexD64 (2615)-TheDayThatNeverCome (2619) Blitz 2024]

11...d6

[11...exd4 12.Nxd4 Nxd4 13.Bxd4 Bxd4 14.Qxd4 Ne5 15.Ng3 d6 16.Bb3 Be6 17.Rf1 Nd7 18.Qxf6 Nxf6 19.f4 Rfe8 20.Rae1 Re7 21.Nf5 Bxf5 22.exf5 Rae8 23.Rxe7 Rxe7 24.h3 Re2 25.Rf2 Rxf2 26.Kxf2 Kf8 27.g4 Ke7 28.Ke3 Nd7 29.g5 f6 30.h4 c6 31.Be6 Nc5 32.Bc4 d5 33.Be2 Ne4 34.Bf3 Nd6 35.Bg4 Nc4+ 36.Kd4 Nxb2 37.Be2 Kd6 38.Ke3 Nc4+ 39.Kd4 c5+ 40.Kd3 b5 41.Bf3 a5 42.Bh5 b4 43.Be8 Nb6 44.Bb5 Nd7 45.Kc2 c4 46.Kb2 Nb8 47.a3 bxc3+ 48.Kxc3 Kc5 49.Be8 d4+ 50.Kd2 Nc6 51.Bd7 Ne7 52.Kc2 Nd5 Normal 0-1 (52) Lion-Al-Messi (2617)-thedaythatnevercome (2641) Blitz 2024]

12.h3 b5

[12...Nce7 13.Ng3 Nf4 14.Bxf4 exf4 15.Nh5 Qg6 16.Nxf4 Qf6 17.Qd2 Ng6 18.Nh5 Qd8 19.Rad1 b5 20.Bb3 Bb7 21.Re2 Kh8 22.Rde1 f5 23.Bd5 c6 24.exf5 Rxf5 25.Be4 Rxh5 26.Bxg6 1-0 (26) DeviousCat (2698)-Shramov,I (2579) Blitz 2024]

13.Bc2 Nf4 14.Ng3 Qg6

[14...Re8 15.d5 Ne7 16.Bxa7 Rxa7 17.Re3 Neg6 18.Qe1 Kh8 19.a4 Rb7 20.axb5 axb5 21.Ra8 Bd7 22.Rxe8+ Bxe8 23.Nf5 Bd7 24.Nh2 h5 25.Qf1 Ra7 26.g3 Nxd5 27.exd5 Bxf5 28.Rf3 Ne7 29.g4 Qg5 30.Bxf5 Qd2 31.Qb1 Nxd5 32.Rd3 1-0 (32) Fratz71 (2626)-Shramov,I (2579) Blitz 2024]

15.Bxf4 exf4 16.e5 f5 17.exf6 Qxf6 18.Nh5 Qf7 19.Nh4 g5 20.Ng6 Re8 21.Rxe8+ Qxe8 22.Nf6+ 1-0 (22) mick_chess (2725)-HowardShore (2690) Blitz 2024

[90] **12.Bc2** Nh4 13.a4 Bb6 14.Ra3 Nxf3+ 15.Nxf3 a5 16.Kh1 Qf6 17.Rb3 Ne7 18.dxe5 dxe5 19.Bxb6 cxb6 20.Re3 Rb8 21.Rd3 Ng6 22.Rd6 Be6 23.Rbxb6 Red8 24.Qd3 Bc4 25.Qd2 Qe7 26.b3 Rxd6 27.Qxd6 Qxd6 28.Rxd6 Be2 29.Ne1 b6 30.c4 Nf8 31.f3 Ne6 32.Kg1 Ra8 33.Kf2 Bxc4 34.bxc4 Rc8 35.Nd3 Rxc4 36.Bb3 Rd4 37.Rxd4 Nxd4 38.Bc4 Nc6 39.Bd5 Nb4 40.Nxb4 axb4 41.Ke3 Kf8 42.Kd3 Ke7 43.Kc4 b3 44.Kxb3 f6 45.Kc4 b5+ 46.Kxb5 Kd6 47.Kb6 f5 48.a5 g6 49.a6 g5 50.a7 g4 51.a8Q Ke7 52.Qb7+ Ke8 53.Kc6 gxf3 54.Qf7+ Kd8 55.Qf8# 1-0 (55) AquaFlame (2933)-bot_adario (2582) Blitz 2024

[91] **6...Ba7** 7.dxe5

[7.Nxe5 Nxe5 8.dxe5 0-0 *(8...Ng6 9.f4 0-0 10.h4 d6 11.h5 Ne7 12.h6 g6 13.exd6 cxd6 14.Nd2 d5 15.e5 Nf5 16.Nf3 Qb6 17.Rf1 Ng3 18.Nd4 Nxf1 19.Kxf1 f6 20.exf6 Qxf6 21.Be3 Qh4 22.Bb3 Qh1+ 23.Kf2 Qxh6 24.Bxd5+ Kh8 25.Kg1 Qg7 26.Qd2 Bf5 27.Rd1 Bg4 28.Rf1 Rad8 29.Bf3 Bxf3 30.Rxf3 Rd5 31.f5 gxf5 32.Bh6 Qf7 33.Bxf8 Qxf8 34.Qf2 Qd6 35.Rf4 b5 36.a3 a5 37.Kh1 b4 38.axb4 axb4 39.Nxf5*

Bxf2 40.Nxd6 Bg3 41.Nf7+ Kg7 42.Rf1 Rh5+ 43.Kg1 Bh2+ 44.Kh1 bxc3 45.bxc3 Bc7+ 46.Kg1 Bb6+ 0-1 (46) Alex_Muezersky (2646)-Fightbro (2575) Blitz 2023*)* 9.Bf4 Ng6 10.Bg3 Re8 11.f4 b5 12.Bb3 d6 13.Qh5 Be6 14.Bxe6 Rxe6 15.Qf3 dxe5 16.f5 Nh4 17.Qe2 Rd6 18.Nd2 Qg5 19.0-0-0 Rad8 20.Kc2 f6 21.Nb3 c5 22.Rxd6 Rxd6 23.Rd1 Rxd1 24.Kxd1 c4 25.Nd2 Be3 26.Bxh4 Qxh4 27.Qxe3 Qxh2 28.Qf2 h6 29.Kc2 h5 30.b3 h4 31.Qf3 Qg1 32.bxc4 bxc4 33.Nxc4 Qa1 34.Nb2 a5 35.Qh5 Qf1 36.Qe8+ Kh7 37.Qh5+ Kg8 38.Qxh4 Qxg2+ 39.Kb3 a4+ 40.Nxa4 Qe2 41.Nb2 Qb5+ 42.Kc2 Qc6 43.a4 Qb6 44.Nc4 Qa6 45.Kd3 Qxa4 46.Qh5 Qd7+ 47.Ke3 Qf7 48.Kf3 Qxh5+ 0-1 (48) MothAndTheFlame (2812)-Rikikits (2762) Blitz 2022]

[7.d5

A) 7...Nb8 8.c4 *(8.Nxe5 0-0 9.d6 Nec6 10.dxc7 Qxc7 11.Nf3 Re8 12.Bc2 d5 13.0-0 dxe4 14.Ng5 Bf5 15.Re1 Nd7 16.Nxe4 Rad8 17.Qf3 Bg6 18.Bf4 Nde5 19.Qg3 Qb6 20.b3 Bb8 21.Nbd2 Qa5 22.b4 Qa3 23.Bb3 Rd3 24.Re3 Red8 25.Rae1 Qb2 26.h4 h5 27.Nf3 Qxc3 28.Nxe5 Nxe5 29.Bxe5 Qxe5 30.Qxg6 Qh2+ 31.Kf1 Rxb3 32.Nf6+ Kf8 33.Re8+* 1-0 (33) ChessDama2021 (2623)-Hard-Training (2618) Blitz 2023*; 8.d6 cxd6 9.0-0 Qc7 10.c4 0-0 11.Nc3 Nbc6 12.Bg5 h6 13.Be3 Bc5 14.a3 b6 15.Rc1 Bb7 16.Nd5 Qd8 17.b4 Bxe3 18.Nxe3 Nc8 19.c5 bxc5 20.bxc5 dxc5 21.Rxc5 Nb6 22.Bxc6 Bxc6 23.Nxe5 Qe7 24.Qc1 Bb5 25.Rd1 d6 26.Nf5 Qe6 27.Rxd6* 1-0 (27) NikaGh (2617)-mocaspoke (2603) Blitz 2021*)* 8...0-0 9.0-0 Ng6 10.b4 d6 11.Qd3 Nd7 12.Nc3 Nf6 13.Be3 Nh5 14.Bxa7 Rxa7 15.Qe3 Ra8 16.c5 Nhf4 17.Rac1 f5 18.Nd2 Qg5 19.Qg3 Nh3+ 20.Qxh3 Qxd2 21.Qe3 Qxe3 22.fxe3 f4 23.exf4 exf4 24.Ne2 Bg4 25.Nd4 Rae8 26.Bxe8 Rxe8 27.Rfe1 Ne5 28.Rc3 Re7 29.h3 Bd7 30.Nf3 Nf7 31.Kf2 g5 32.cxd6 cxd6 33.Rc7 b5 34.e5 dxe5 35.d6 Nxd6 36.Nxe5 Nc4 37.Rxd7 Rxe5 38.Rxe5 Nxe5 39.Ra7 Nd3+ 40.Kf3 Nxb4 41.Kg4 Nxa2 42.Rxa6 Nc3 43.Kxg5 b4 44.Rb6 Nd5 45.Rb5 Ne3 46.Kxf4 Nc2 47.Kg5 Kf7 48.Rb6 Kg7 49.Rb7+ Kf8 50.Kh6 Kg8 51.g4 Kf8 52.g5 Kg8 53.h4 Ne3 54.Rxb4 Nf5+ 55.Kh5 Kg7 56.Rb7+ Kg8 57.Kg4 Ne3+ 58.Kf4 Ng2+ 59.Ke5 Nxh4 60.Kf6 h6 61.Rb8+ Kh7 62.gxh6 Ng6 0-1 (62) OCS-terminator (2640)-drawingchest (2567) Blitz 2024;

B) 7...Na5 8.Nxe5 0-0 9.b4 d6 10.bxa5 dxe5 11.0-0 Ng6 12.g3 f5 13.Nd2 f4 14.Qh5 Qf6 15.Ba3 Rd8 16.Bb3 Kh8 17.Nf3 fxg3 18.Ng5 Bxf2+ 19.Kh1 g2+ 20.Kxg2 Nf4+ 21.Kxf2 Nxh5+ 22.Nf3 Bg4 23.Bd1 Bxf3 24.Bxf3 Qf4 25.Bc1 Qxh2+ 26.Ke3 Nf4 27.Bd2 Rf8 28.Rh1 Ng2+ 29.Kf2 Rxf3+ 30.Kxf3 Rf8+ 31.Kg4 h5+ 32.Kg5 Qg3+ 33.Kxh5 Nf4+ 34.Bxf4 Rxf4 35.Rag1 Rh4+ 36.Rxh4 Qxg1 37.Rg4 Qh2+ 38.Kg6 Qxa2 39.Kf7 Qf2+ 40.Ke8 Qf3 41.Rh4+ Kg8 42.Kd8 Qf6+

43.Kxc7 Qxh4 44.d6 Qxe4 45.d7 Qc6+ 46.Kd8 Qxc3 47.Ke7 Qd4 48.d8Q+ Qxd8+ 49.Kxd8 e4 50.Kc7 e3 51.Kxb7 e2 0-1 (51) Builder16 (2626)-AlishSK (2662) Rapid 2024;

C) 7...b5 8.Bc2 Na5 *(8...Nb8 9.Nxe5 d6 10.Nf3 Ng6 11.Be3 0-0 12.Bxa7 Rxa7 13.0-0 Bg4 14.Nbd2 Nd7 15.h3 Bxf3 16.Nxf3 Re8 17.Qd4 Ra8 18.Rae1 Nde5 19.Nxe5 dxe5 20.Qc5 Qg5 21.g3 a5 22.Qxb5 Rab8 23.Qa4 Red8 24.Bb3 Rb6 25.Qxa5 Nf4 26.d6 Rbxd6 27.Qxc7 Rh6 28.Qxf7+ Kh8 29.Rd1 Nxh3+ 30.Kg2 Nf4+ 31.Kf3 Nd3 32.Ke2 Rhd6 33.Bc4 Qg4+ 34.f3 R6d7 35.fxg4 Rxf7 36.Rxf7 Rc8 37.Rxd3 h6 38.Bb3 Kh7 39.Rdd7 Kg6 40.Rxg7+ Kf6 41.Rdf7#* 1-0 (41) FuegoAbrumador (2605)-Stammargg (2581) Blitz 2024 *)* 9.Nxe5 d6 10.Nf3 Ng6 *(10...0-0 11.0-0 Bg4 12.h3 Bh5 13.Bg5 h6 14.Bh4 Qd7 15.Nbd2 Ng6 16.Bg3 Rae8 17.b4 Nb7 18.a4 Bb6 19.c4 Kh8 20.cxb5 axb5 21.a5 Bd4 22.Ra3 c5 23.dxc6 Qxc6 24.Nxd4 Bxd1 25.Nxc6 Bxc2 26.Rc1 Ba4 27.Nc4 Rxe4 28.Nb6 f5 29.a6 Nd8 30.Bxd6 Rfe8 31.Nxd8 Rxd8 32.a7 Ree8 33.Bb8 Rxb8 34.axb8Q Rxb8 35.Rc8+ Rxc8 36.Nxc8 Ne5 37.Nb6 Bc2 38.Rc3 Be4 39.Rc5* 1-0 (39) apollothedog (2732)-tt99326 (2673) Blitz 2024*)* 11.0-0 0-0 12.a4 *(12.Nd4 Qh4 13.b3 Bg4 14.f3 Bd7 15.Kh1 c5 16.Nf5 Bxf5 17.exf5 Ne5 18.h3 Rae8 19.Nd2 c4 20.f4 Nd3 21.Bxd3 cxd3 22.Nf3 Qg3 23.Qxd3 Nb7 24.b4 Re7 25.Bd2 Rfe8 26.Rae1 Bf2 27.Rxe7 Rxe7 28.a4 Bb6 29.axb5 a5 30.Ne5 Qxd3 31.Nxd3 axb4 32.Nxb4 Re2 33.Be1 h5 34.f6 gxf6 35.Bh4 Kg7 36.Nc6 Nc5 37.Nd4 Ne4 38.Nxe2 Nd2 39.Ra1* 1-0 (39) chargemax23 (2695)-stammargg (2553) Blitz 2024 *)* 12...Nc4 13.axb5 axb5 14.Nd4 Bd7 15.Nd2 Bxd4 16.Rxa8 Bxf2+ 17.Rxf2 Qxa8 18.Nb3 c5 19.dxc6 Bxc6 20.Qe1 Re8 21.Re2 h6 22.Nd4 Bd7 23.h3 Qa7 24.Kh2 b4 25.Bb3 bxc3 26.bxc3 Qc5 27.Qg3 Rc8 28.Ra2 Qe5 29.Ra7 Qxg3+ 30.Kxg3 Nge5 31.Bf4 g5 32.Bc1 Kg7 33.h4 Kg6 34.hxg5 hxg5 35.Bc2 f6 36.Nf5 Bxf5 37.exf5+ Kh6 38.Be4 Nb6 39.Bd2 d5 40.Bb1 Nbc4 41.Be1 Nd6 42.Ra6 Rc6 43.Rxc6 Nxc6 44.Kf3 d4 45.Bg3 Nc4 46.Ke2 dxc3 47.Be4 N6e5 48.Be1 Nd6 49.Bc2 Nb5 50.Ba4 Nd4+ 51.Kd1 Nxf5 52.Bxc3 Ne3+ 53.Ke2 Nxg2 54.Bxe5 fxe5 55.Kf3 Nf4 56.Ke4 Ng6 57.Kf5 Nh4+ 58.Kxe5 g4 59.Kf4 g3 60.Kxg3 ½-½ (60) Firouzja,A (2759)-Grigoriants,S (2543) chess.com INT 2024]

[7.Be3 Ng6 8.Nbd2 0-0 9.h4 Nf4 10.Bxf4 exf4 11.h5 h6 12.Qe2 d6 13.0-0-0 b5 14.Bc2 b4 15.Rh4 bxc3 16.bxc3 Qf6 17.e5 dxe5 18.dxe5 Qe7 19.Qe4 f5 20.Qxc6 Rb8 21.Bb3+ Kh8 22.Nc4 Bxf2 23.Rxf4 Be6 24.Kc2 Rb5 25.Nd4 Bxd4 26.Rfxd4 Rc5 27.Qxa6 f4 28.Qb7 Qg5 29.Qf3 Bg4 30.Qf2 Bxd1+ 31.Rxd1 Rc6 32.Rd7 Qxh5 33.Qd4 Qg6+ 34.Kb2 Qxg2+ 35.Nd2 f3 36.e6 f2 37.e7 f1Q 38.exf8Q+ Qxf8 39.Rd8 Rf6 40.a4 c5 41.Qd7 Rf2

42.Rxf8+ Rxf8 43.Qd5 Qxd5 44.Bxd5 Rd8 45.c4 h5 46.a5 Rd6 47.Nb3 h4 48.Bb7 h3 49.a6 h2 50.a7 Rd8 51.a8Q Rxa8 52.Bxa8 g5 53.Nxc5 Kg7 54.Nd3 g4 55.Nf2 g3 56.Nd3 Kf6 1-0 (56) Tulachessroom (2706)-Dynamikus (2680) Blitz 2024]

7...0-0

[7...b5 8.Bb3 Ng6 9.Bg5 Nce7 10.h4 h6 11.Bc1 Bb7 12.h5 Nf8 13.Qe2 Ne6 14.Be3 Bxe4 15.Nbd2 Bb7 16.0-0-0 c5 17.Rh4 Nf5 18.Rg4 Nxe3 19.fxe3 c4 20.Bc2 Qc7 21.Ne4 Bxe4 22.Bxe4 Rd8 23.Bd5 Bc5 24.Bxe6 dxe6 25.Rxg7 Rxd1+ 26.Kxd1 Kf8 27.Rg4 Rg8 28.Rxg8+ Kxg8 29.Qc2 Qc6 30.Ke2 Qd5 31.Qd2 Qe4 32.b4 cxb3 33.axb3 a5 34.Qd8+ Kh7 35.Qxa5 Qxe3+ 36.Kd1 Qd3+ 37.Kc1 Qf1+ 38.Kb2 Qxg2+ 39.Kb1 Qxf3 0-1 (39) habitualthinker (2666)-chess_lover2020 (2831) Blitz 2022]

[7...Ng6 8.Bg5 Nce7 *(8...f6 9.exf6 gxf6 10.Bh6* 1-0 (10) Poirot_Hercule (2630)-YOUPLAYCHESS (2688) Blitz 2023 *)* 9.0-0 h6 10.Bh4 Nxh4 11.Nxh4 0-0 12.Bb3 Nc6 13.Ng6 Re8 14.Qf3 Re7 15.Nxe7+ Qxe7 16.Nd2 Nxe5 17.Qg3 d6 18.h3 Kh7 19.Nc4 Ng6 20.Rae1 a5 21.Ne3 Qxe4 22.Bxf7 Ne5 23.Bb3 Qc6 24.Ng4 Bxg4 25.hxg4 Rf8 26.g5 hxg5 27.Qxg5 Rf6 28.Re2 Qc5 29.Qh5+ Rh6 30.Qf5+ g6 31.Qf8 1-0 (31) Corre_por_tu_vida (2642)-CQQQ30 (2737) Blitz 2021]

8.Bf4 Ng6 9.Bg3 b5 10.Bb3 Qe7 11.Bd5 Bb7 12.h4 Rab8 13.Bxc6 Bxc6 14.h5 Nh8 15.h6 g5 16.Nbd2 Ng6 17.Qe2 b4 18.Nd4 bxc3 19.bxc3 Rb2 20.0-0 Bxd4 21.cxd4 Qb4 22.Rfd1 Ba4 23.Qe3 Bxd1 24.Rxd1 Rxa2 25.Qxg5 f6 26.Qe3 fxe5 27.dxe5 Qb6 28.Qc3 Qe6 29.Nf3 Ra4 30.Ng5 Rc4 31.Qb3 Qc6 32.Rd4 d5 33.exd6 1-0 (33) Iqevsll (2851)-SaxKaiGoal (2696) Blitz 2023

92 **7.Nxd4** 0-0 8.0-0

[8.Be3 Nxd4 9.cxd4 Bb4+ 10.Nc3 d5 11.f3 c5 12.dxc5 Qa5 13.0-0 Bxc5 14.Bxc5 Qxc5+ 15.Kh1 Be6 16.Bb3 Rad8 17.Qc1 d4 18.Nd5 Qd6 19.Rd1 Bxd5 20.Bxd5 Nxd5 21.Rxd4 Qb6 22.Rxd5 Rxd5 23.exd5 Qd4 24.Qd1 Qxb2 25.Rb1 Qxa2 26.Rxb7 Re8 27.h3 Qf2 28.d6 Re1+ 29.Kh2 h5 30.Qd3 Qg1+ 31.Kg3 Re8 32.Qf5 h4+ 33.Kxh4 Qf2+ 34.g3 Qd4+ 35.f4 Rf8 36.Qe5 Qd3 37.f5 Qd2 38.d7 f6 39.Qf4 Qxf4+ 40.gxf4 Rd8 41.Ra7 Kf7 42.Kh5 a5 43.h4 a4 44.Kg4 a3 45.h5 Kg8 46.h6 gxh6 47.Kh5 Kh7 48.Rxa3 Rxd7 49.Ra6 Kg7 50.Ra2 Kh7 51.Re2 Ra7 52.Re6 Kg7 53.Kg4 Rb7 54.Re1 Ra7 55.Rg1 Kf7 56.Rc1 Kg7 57.Rc2 Rb7 58.Rg2 Kf7 59.Rc2 Kg7 60.Kh5 Kh7 61.Rc6 Kg7 62.Rc1 Kh7 63.Ra1 Rc7 64.Kg4 Kg7 65.Rg1 Kf7 66.Rg2 Rb7 67.Rg3 Ra7 68.Rb3 Kg7 69.Kh5 Kh7 ½-½ (69) Niemann,H (2667)-Petrov,N (2561) Samarkand UZB 2023]

8...Ng6

[8...h6 9.Be3 Bxd4 10.cxd4 d5 11.Nc3 dxe4 12.Nxe4 Qd5 13.Nc3 Qd6 14.d5 Ne5 15.Bf4 N7g6 16.Bg3 f5 17.Bxe5 Qxe5 18.Re1 Qf6 19.Bb3 Kh8 20.Qd2 f4 21.Ne4 Qe5 22.Nc5 Qh5 23.f3 Nh4 24.Re2 Bh3 0-1 (24) EdwardFerrars (2829)-NewLife2023 (2681) Blitz 2023]

[8...d6 Kuzmin, Alexey: 'The position reminds one of the Scotch game by its pawn structure.' 9.Bg5 Bd7 *(9...Ne5 10.Nd2 h6 11.Bh4* Kuzmin, Alexey: 'Vishnu,P - Nabaty,T Biel 2019' *Bg4* Kuzmin, Alexey: '!?' *12.f3 Bd7* Kuzmin, Alexey: '⇄' *)* 10.Bxc6 *(10.Nxc6 Bxc6 11.Bxc6 bxc6 12.Nd2 a5* Kuzmin, Alexey: '⇄' *)* 10...bxc6 11.Nd2 f6 12.Bh4 Ng6 13.Bg3 Re8 14.Re1 Rb8 15.N2b3 Bb6 16.Qd3 c5 17.Nc2 Be6 18.Ne3 Ne5 19.Bxe5 dxe5 20.Qxa6 c4 21.Nxc4 Qd3 22.Nbd2 Bxf2+ 23.Kxf2 Rxb2 24.Qc6 Rxd2+ 25.Nxd2 Qxd2+ 26.Re2 Qf4+ 27.Kg1 Re7 28.a4 h5 29.a5 1-0 (29) EdwardFerrars (2794)-NewLife2023 (2667) Blitz 2023]

9.Be3 Nce5 10.Nc6 bxc6 11.Bxc5 d6 12.Be3 Qh4 13.f3 f5 14.Bb3+ Kh8 15.Nd2 f4 16.Bf2 Qg5 17.Kh1 Rf6 18.Nc4 Nxc4 19.Bxc4 Ne5 20.Be2 Rh6 21.Qa4 Bd7 22.Qa5 Qd8 23.c4 c5 24.a3 Nc6 25.Qd2 Qf6 26.b4 cxb4 27.axb4 Ne5 28.c5 Rh5 29.cxd6 cxd6 30.b5 a5 31.Rxa5 Rf8 32.b6 Qe7 33.b7 Bc6 34.Ra7 Rb8 35.Rb1 g5 36.Ra8 Qd8 37.Rxb8 Qxb8 38.Ba7 1-0 (38) Caviar2068 (3042)-IMFAR (2782) Blitz 2022

7.0-0 dxc3 8.Ng5

[8.Nxc3 0-0 9.Bc2 d6 10.h3 Ng6 11.Re1 Be6 12.Ng5 Qd7 13.Nd5 Rae8 14.Qh5 h6 15.Nf3 Nce5 16.Nxe5 dxe5 17.Be3 Bxe3 18.Rxe3 Bxd5 19.exd5 Nf4 20.Qf3 Nxd5 21.Rd1 c6 22.Bb3 e4 23.Rxe4 Rxe4 24.Qxe4 Rd8 25.Rd3 Qe6 26.Qxe6 fxe6 27.f4 Kf7 28.g3 Kf6 29.Kf2 Rd7 30.Rd2 Nb6 31.Re2 Rd6 32.h4 Nd7 33.h5 Nc5 34.Bc2 Nd3+ 35.Kf3 Nxb2 36.g4 Nc4 37.Rg2 Rd2 38.g5+ Ke7 39.Rxd2 Nxd2+ 40.Ke3 Nc4+ 41.Kd4 Na3 42.Bd3 Kd6 43.Ke4 c5 44.f5 exf5+ 45.Kxf5 c4 46.Be4 c3 47.Kg6 Ke5 48.Bd3 c2 49.Bxc2 Nxc2 50.Kxg7 Nd4 51.gxh6 Nf5+ 52.Kg6 Nxh6 53.Kxh6 Kf6 54.Kh7 Kf7 55.h6 b5 56.Kh8 a5 57.h7 b4 58.a4 b3 ½-½ (58) Brenjos (2630)-mocaspoke (2578) Blitz 2021]

8...h6 9.Nxf7 Kxf7 10.Qh5+ Kf8 11.Qxc5 d6 12.Qxc3 Be6 13.f4 Kg8 14.Be3 Kh7 15.Bc2 Rf8 16.f5 Bd7 17.f6 gxf6 18.e5+ Ng6 19.exf6 Nce5 20.Nd2 Rxf6 21.Ne4 Rxf1+ 22.Rxf1 Bc6 23.Nf6+ Kg7 24.Bxh6+ 1-0 (24) kinosaji (2658)-thedaythatnevercome (2661) Blitz 2024

[93] **7...Ba7** 8.d5 b5 9.Bc2

[9.Bb3 Na5 10.Bc2 d6 11.h3 0-0 12.0-0 Ng6 13.Nbd2 Re8 14.Re1 Qf6 15.Nf1 Nc4 16.Rb1 h6 17.Ng3 Nh4 18.b4 Bxh3 19.Nh5 Nxf3+ 20.Qxf3 Qxf3 21.gxf3 Ne5 22.Rb3 Bd7 23.Rc3 Rac8 24.f4 Ng6 25.Rg3 Kf8 26.f5 Bxf5 27.Bb2 Bd7 28.Bxg7+ Ke7 29.Bxh6 Rh8 30.Bg5+ Kf8 31.Nf6 Be8 32.Kg2 c5 33.bxc5 Bxc5 34.Bd1 Bd4 35.Bg4 Rc2 36.Re2 Bxf6 37.Rxc2 Bxg5 38.Rc8 Ke7 39.Rgc3 Bf4 40.R3c7+ Kf6 41.Rb8 Rh4 42.Bf5 Rh2+ 43.Kf3 Be5 44.Bxg6 Rh3+ 45.Ke2 Ra3 46.Rxe8 Rxa2+ 47.Kf1 Kxg6 48.Kg2 Ra1 49.Rg8+ Kf6 50.Rf8 Ra2 51.Rfxf7+ Kg6 52.Rf5 Bd4 53.Re7 b4 54.Re6+ Kg7 55.Rf3 b3 56.Rxd6 Rxf2+ 57.Rxf2 b2 58.Rd7+ Kg6 59.Rxb2 Kg5 60.Rd6 Bf2 61.Rxa6 Kf4 62.Ra5 Ke3 63.Ra4 Kd3 64.Rc2 Be3 65.Rcc4 Bd2

0-1 (65) srinathbaggins (2627)-nihalsarin2004 (2699) Blitz 2020]

9...Na5 10.0-0 0-0 11.Nc3

[11.d6 Ng6 12.Bg5 Qe8 13.dxc7 Bb6 14.Nc3 Bxc7 15.Nd5 Bd8 16.Bd2 Nc4 17.Bb4 Nxb2 18.Qd4 Nc4 19.Bxf8 Qxf8 20.Bb3 Na5 21.Rac1 Bb7 22.Nc7 Bxc7 23.Rxc7 Bc6 24.Bd5 Nf4 25.Qd2 Ne6 26.Bxe6 fxe6 27.Qxa5 Qd6 28.Rxc6 dxc6 29.Qd2 Qxd2 30.Nxd2 c5 31.Nb3 c4 32.Nd4 Rd8 33.Nxe6 Rd2 34.Re1 c3 35.Nc5 Rxa2 36.e5 Kf8 37.f4 Rd2 38.Ne4 Rd3 39.Kf2 b4 40.Ke2 Rd8 41.Nd6 a5 42.Ra1 Ra8 43.Kd3 Ke7 44.Kc4 Ke6 45.Ra2 g5 46.g3 gxf4 47.gxf4 Rf8 48.Rxa5 Rxf4+ 49.Kb3 Rh4 50.Nc4 c2 51.Ra6+ Kd5 52.Ne3+ Kxe5 53.Nxc2 Rxh2 54.Nxb4 h5 55.Ra5+ Ke4 56.Kc4 h4 57.Ra8 h3 58.Re8+ Kf3 59.Nd3 Rc2+ 60.Kd4 Rd2 61.Rf8+ Kg2 62.Ke3 Rxd3+ 63.Kxd3 h2 64.Rg8+ Kf2 65.Rh8 Kg2 66.Ke3 h1Q 67.Rxh1 Kxh1 ½-½ (67) Chess_Ark (2734)-doreality1991 (2745) Blitz 2023]

11...d6 12.b3 Ng6 13.Bb2 f6 14.Ne2 Bg4 15.Nfd4 Qe8 16.f3 Bd7 17.Kh1 Ne5 18.Qd2 Rc8 19.Qxa5 1-0 (19) satlan (2751)-Punchen (2636) Blitz 2024

94 **8.Kf1** d5 9.e5

[9.exd5 Qxd5 10.Nc3 Qh5 11.Bf4 0-0 12.h3 Bg4 13.Bc2 Bxf3 14.gxf3 Rad8 15.Be3 Nf5 16.Bxf5 Qxf5 17.Kg2 Qg6+ 18.Kf1 Qf5 19.Kg2 Rfe8 20.Ne2 Bd6 21.Qb1 Qh5 22.Qc2 Nb4 23.Qb3 Nd5 24.Rae1 Nxe3+ 25.fxe3 Qg5+ 26.Kf2 Qh4+ 27.Kg2 Re6 28.Reg1 Rde8 29.e4 Qh6 30.Qd3 f5 31.e5 Be7 32.f4 Bh4 33.Qf3 Rg6+ 34.Kh2 Rd8 35.Qxb7 Qh5 36.Rg2 h6 37.Rhg1 Rxg2+ 38.Qxg2 Rd7 39.d5 g5 40.Nd4 Qg6 41.Qf3 Kh7 42.Ne6 c6 43.fxg5 cxd5 44.Nf4 Qg7 45.g6+ Kh8 46.Qh5 Qxe5 47.Qxh4 1-0 (47) Plaskett7 (2644)-killermania (2580) Blitz 2021]

9...Bf5

[9...Bg4 10.a3 Ba5 11.Bg5 0-0 12.Bxc6 bxc6 13.h3 Bh5 14.Nbd2 h6 15.Bh4 g5 16.g4 Bg6 17.Bg3 Bxd2 18.Qxd2 Be4 19.Qe3 f6 20.Rg1 Bxf3 21.Qxf3 fxe5 22.Qc3 e4 23.h4 Rf3 24.Qc5 Qd7 25.hxg5 hxg5 26.Rg2 Ng6 27.Rh2 Kg7 28.Rc1 Rf6 29.Be5 Nxe5 30.dxe5 Re6 31.Rh5 Rg6 32.Qd4 Qe6 33.Rxc6 Qxg4 34.e6+ Rf6 35.Rxc7+ Kg6 36.Rh6+ 1-0 (36) EchiquierChalonnais (2770)-spectraline (2604) Blitz 2022]

10.Nc3 0-0 11.Bb3 f6 12.exf6 Rxf6 13.Bg5 Rd6 14.Ne5 h6 15.Bh4 Bxc3 16.bxc3 Qf8 17.Qf3 Kh7 18.Re1 Ng6 19.Bg3 Be4 20.Qxf8 Rxf8 21.f3 Na5 22.Ke2 Nxb3 23.axb3 Bf5 24.Kd2 Nxe5 25.Rxe5 Rd7 26.Rhe1 Kg6 27.h4 h5 28.Bf4 Kh7 29.Bg5 b6 30.Re7 Rf7 31.Re8 c5 32.R1e5 cxd4 33.cxd4 Rc7 34.Kd1 Bc2+ 35.Ke1 Bxb3 36.Bd8 Rc6 37.Rxh5+ 1-0 (37) dauANHbac (2875)-TheMachine64 (2834) Blitz 2025

8.Nbd2 d5 9.e5

[9.0-0 0-0 10.e5 Bg4 11.h3 Bh5 12.a3 Bxd2 13.Qxd2 Bxf3 14.gxf3 Nf5 15.Bxc6 bxc6 16.Qf4 Qd7 17.Bd2 f6 18.Rac1 fxe5 19.dxe5 Rae8 20.Rfe1 Re6 21.Kh2 Rh6 22.e6 Rxe6 23.Rxe6 Qxe6 24.Qxc7 Nd4 25.Bc3 Nxf3+ 26.Kg2 Qg6+ 27.Kh1 d4 28.Bb4 Qh5 29.Qg3 Re8

30.Qg4 Qd5 31.Qg2 Re6 32.Qf1 Rg6 33.Rc5 Qe4 0-1 (33) secretaccounthabibi (2611)-Calzonesdesuperman (2627) Blitz 2024]

9...0-0 10.a3

[10.h3 f6 11.0-0 Bf5 12.exf6 Rxf6 13.Bc2 Bd6 14.Nb3 h6 15.Re1 Qd7 16.Bxf5 Nxf5 17.Ne5 Bxe5 18.dxe5 Rg6 19.Bf4 b6 20.Rc1 Nd8 21.g4 Ne6 22.Bh2 c5 23.Kf1 Nfd4 24.Nxd4 Nxd4 25.f4 h5 26.f5 Rf8 27.e6 Rxe6 28.Kg2 Rxe1 29.Qxe1 hxg4 30.hxg4 g6 31.Be5 Nc6 32.Qg3 Re8 33.Bf4 gxf5 34.gxf5+ Qg7 35.Bg5 Re5 36.Rf1 Nd4 37.Qg4 Re4 38.Qg3 Re2+ 39.Kg1 Re5 40.Qg4 Kf7 41.b4 Re4 42.Qg3 Qe5 43.Qh3 Re2 44.Qh5+ Kg8 45.Qg6+ Qg7 0-1 (45) JelenaZ (2608)-train_account (2620) Blitz 2024]

10...Ba5 11.0-0 Bb6 12.Nb3 Bg4 13.Be3 f6 14.exf6 Rxf6 15.h3 Bxf3 16.gxf3 Qd6 17.f4 Ng6 18.Bxc6 bxc6 19.Kh1 Nxf4 20.Qg4 Raf8 21.Rg1 Qe7 22.Rae1 Qf7 23.Nc1 Rg6 24.Qf3 Rxg1+ 25.Rxg1 Ne6 26.Qxf7+ Rxf7 27.Nb3 Nf4 28.Rc1 Nxh3 29.Kg2 Nf4+ 30.Kf1 Rf6 31.Bxf4 Rxf4 32.Rxc6 Bxd4 33.Nxd4 Rxd4 34.Rxa6 c5 35.Rc6 c4 36.Ke2 h5 37.a4 c3 38.bxc3 Rxa4 39.Rc5 d4 40.cxd4 Rxd4 41.Rxh5 ½-½ (41) Saric,I (2685)-Danov,L (2297) Zagreb CRO 2023

[95] **9.e5** Bg4

[9...0-0

A) 10.a3

A1) 10...Bxc3+ 11.bxc3 f6 12.exf6 Rxf6 13.Bg5 *(13.h3 Re6+ 14.Be3 Nf5 15.0-0 Nxe3 16.fxe3 Rxe3 17.Qd2 Re8 18.Bxc6 bxc6 19.Ne5 c5 20.Qf4 Be6 21.dxc5 Rf8 22.Qd4 Qg5 23.c6 h6 24.Rae1 Bxh3 25.Qxd5+ Kh7 26.Nf7 Qxd5* 0-1 (26) JelenaZ (2619)-BossHubDotCom (2660) Blitz 2023 *)* 13...Re6+ 14.Kf1 Qf8 15.Qd2 Bd7 16.h4 Be8 17.h5 Na5 18.Bc2 Nc4 19.Qd3 Ne3+ 20.Kg1 Nxc2 21.Bxe7 Ne1 22.Nxe1 Qxe7 23.Nf3 Bb5 24.Qb1 Rf8 25.Ne5 Rxe5 26.dxe5 Rxf2 27.Qb4 Qxb4 28.axb4 Re2 29.h6 Rxe5 30.Kf2 gxh6 31.Rxh6 Re2+ 32.Kg1 Bd3 33.Rf6 Be4 34.Rf2 Re3 35.Rc1 c6 36.c4 Rb3 37.cxd5 Bxd5 38.Rf4 Rb2 39.Re1 Rxg2+ 40.Kf1 Kh8 41.Re7 ½-½ (41) Alekseenko,K (2699)-Riazantsev,A (2631) Sochi RUS 2021;

A2) 10...Ba5

A2a) 11.h3 Bf5 *(11...b5 12.Bc2 f6 13.exf6 Rxf6 14.Bg5 Rf7 15.0-0 Bf5 16.Re1 Bxc2 17.Qxc2 h6 18.Bxe7 Nxe7 19.Ne5 Rf6 20.Rad1 c6 21.b4 Bc7 22.Ne2 Qd6 23.f4 Raf8 24.Rc1 Bb6 25.Kh1 Nf5 26.Qd3 Ne7 27.Rc3 a5 28.Rb3 axb4 29.axb4 Ra8 30.Rc1 Ra2 31.g4 Rxe2 32.Qxe2 Rxf4 33.Nxc6 Nxc6 34.Qe8+ Rf8 35.Qxc6 Qf4 36.Qxd5+ Kh8 37.Rd1 Bc7 38.Rb2 Rd8 39.Qg2 Rxd4 40.Rf1 Qd6 41.Rbf2 Kh7 42.Re2 Rd1 43.Rxd1 Qxd1+* 0-1 (43) JelenaZ (2621)-BossHubDotCom (2658) Blitz 2023 *)* 12.0-0 b5 13.Bb3 h6

14.Ne2 Bb6 15.Ng3 Be4 16.Be3 Qd7 17.Nh4 Bh7 18.Rc1 Na5 19.Ba2 Nc4 20.Bxh6 gxh6 21.Nh5 f5 22.Nf6+ Rxf6 23.exf6 Ng6 24.Qh5 Nxh4 25.Qxh4 Qf7 26.Rc3 Rf8 27.Rg3+ Kh8 28.Qxh6 Qxf6 29.Rg6 Qxg6 30.Qxf8+ Bg8 31.Rd1 Nd6 32.Bb1 Qg7 33.Qd8 Kh7 34.Rd3 Ne4 35.Rf3 Qh6 36.Rxf5 Bxd4 37.Bxe4 Qg7 38.Rh5# 1-0 (38) Svidler,P (2714)-Gukesh,D (2578) chess24.com INT 2021;

A2b) 11.b4 Bb6 12.Be3 Bg4 13.Ne2 *(13.Qd3 Bxf3 14.gxf3 f6 15.f4 fxe5 16.fxe5 Kh8 17.Bxc6 bxc6 18.Rg1 Nf5 19.Rg4 a5 20.b5 Qd7 21.bxc6 Qxc6 22.Ke2 a4 23.Rg5 Ba5 24.Rxf5 Rxf5 25.Qxf5 Qxc3 26.Rg1 Qc4+ 27.Kf3 Bb6 28.Qf7 Rg8 29.Rg4 Qb3 30.Kg2 Qxa3 31.Bh6 Qf8 32.Qxf8 Rxf8 33.Bxg7+ Kg8 34.Bh6+ Kf7 35.Rf4+ Kg6 36.Bxf8* 1-0 (36) Hanskai (2770)-spectraline (2595) Blitz 2024*; 13.Bb3 Nf5 14.Nxd5 Bxd4 15.Bf4 Bxf3 16.gxf3 Bxa1 17.Qxa1 Nfd4 18.Ba2 Nc2+* 0-1 (18) Corre_por_tu_vida (2654)-zvonokchess (2829) Blitz 2023*; 13.Bc2 f6 14.exf6 Rxf6 15.Bxh7+ Kh8 16.Bc2 Nf5 17.Qd3 Bxf3 18.gxf3 Ncxd4 19.Bxd4 Bxd4 20.0-0-0 c5 21.bxc5 Rc8 22.Ne2 Bxc5 23.Nf4 Qa5 24.Nxd5 Bxa3+ 25.Kb1 Rc5 26.Nxf6 Rb5+ 27.Bb3* 1-0 (27) Cryptochess (2621)-mocaspoke (2614) Blitz 2021*)* 13...f6 14.exf6 Rxf6 15.Bxc6 Nxc6 16.Bg5 Bxf3 17.gxf3 Qd6 18.Bxf6 Qxf6 19.0-0 Qxf3 20.Ng3 Qf7 21.Qh5 g6 22.Qg4 Nxd4 23.Kh1 Rf8 24.f4 Nc2 25.f5 Nxa1 26.Rxa1 Kh8 27.Rf1 c6 28.Kg2 gxf5 29.Rxf5 Qg7 30.Rxf8+ Qxf8 31.Qd7 Qd8 32.Qxb7 d4 33.Qxc6 d3 34.Qc3+ Qd4 35.Qxd4+ Bxd4 36.Kf3 Bb2 37.a4 Ba3 38.b5 axb5 39.axb5 Bc5 40.Ne4 Bb6 41.Nf6 Kg7 42.Nd7 Bd8 43.b6 Kg6 44.b7 Bc7 45.b8Q Bxb8 46.Nxb8 d2 47.Ke2 Kf5 48.Nc6 Kg4 49.Nd4 Kh3 50.Nf3 Kg2 51.h4 d1Q+ 52.Kxd1 Kxf3 53.h5 Kg4 54.h6 Kh5 55.Ke2 Kxh6 56.Kf3 Kg5 57.Kg3 h5 58.Kh3 h4 59.Kh2 Kg6 60.Kg2 h3+ 61.Kh2 Time forfeit ½-½ (61) vistagausta (2883)-thedaythatnevercome (2693) Blitz 2024;

B) 10.h3

B1) 10...Bf5 11.0-0

B1a) 11...h6 12.Be3 *(12.Bf4 Qd7 13.Qd2 Bh7 14.Rac1 Nf5 15.a3 Be7 16.Ne2 b5 17.Bb3 Rac8 18.g4 Nh4 19.Nxh4 Bxh4 20.Bxh6 Ne7 21.Bg5 Bxg5 22.Qxg5 Be4 23.Ng3 Bh7 24.Nh5 Bg6 25.Nf4 c6 26.Rfe1 Bh7 27.Nh5 Ng6 28.Bc2 Qd8 29.Qxd8 Rfxd8 30.Bf5 Rc7 31.f4 Nf8 32.Bxh7+ Kxh7 33.f5 Kg8 34.Kf2 Rdc8*

35.Nf4 Rd8 36.h4 a5 37.h5 b4 38.a4 Rdc8 39.Rc5 Nd7 40.Rxa5 Nb6 41.b3 c5 42.Rb5 Rc6 43.dxc5 Nd7 44.Nxd5 Re8 45.e6 fxe6 46.Rxe6 Rexe6 47.fxe6 Rxe6 48.a5 Ne5 49.Nxb4 Nxg4+ 50.Kg3 Ne5 51.Rb8+ Kh7 52.a6 Re7 53.Rb7 Re8 54.a7 Ra8 55.c6 Kh6 56.c7 Nd7 57.Rb8 Rxa7 58.c8Q Nf6 59.Qh8+ Nh7 60.Qc8 Rf7 61.Qc1+ g5 62.hxg6+ Kxg6 63.Rb6+ Kg7 64.Qc3+ Rf6 65.Qc7+ Kg6 66.Rb7 Rf3+ 67.Kxf3 Ng5+ 68.Kg2 Ne4 69.Qg7+ Kf5 70.Qh7+ Ke5 71.Qxe4+ Kxe4 72.Rb5 Kd4 73.Rd5+ Kc3 74.Rd3+ Kb2 75.Rf3 Ka3 76.Kf2 Kb2 ½-½ (76) Hamisandwich (2637)-Calzonesdesuperman (2619) Blitz 2024*; 12.Re1 Bxc3 13.bxc3 Ng6 14.Bb3 Nce7 15.a4 c6 16.Ba3 Re8 17.Nd2 Nf4 18.Nf1 Be4 19.f3 Bg6 20.Qd2 Ne6 21.g4 h5 22.f4 hxg4 23.hxg4 Be4 24.Ng3 Bh7 25.f5 Nc7 26.Kf2 Qd7 27.Rh1 Nxf5 28.gxf5 Bxf5 29.Qf4 Bg6 30.Qh4 f6 31.Raf1 Qe6 32.Kg1 Kf7 33.Qf4 Rac8 34.Bd6 Na8 35.exf6 gxf6 36.Be5 f5 37.Qh6 Rg8 38.Kf2 Nb6 39.Ne2 Nd7 40.Nf4 Qe8 41.Qh7+ Bxh7 42.Rxh7+ Rg7 43.Rxg7+ Kf8 44.Ng6+* 1-0 (44) JimHacker (2632)-Calzonesdesuperman (2607) Blitz 2023 *)*

B1a1) 12...b5 13.Bb3 Bxc3 *(13...Qd7 14.Ne2 Ba5 15.Ng3 Bh7 16.Nh5 Bg6 17.Nh4 Bxh5 18.Qxh5 Qe6 19.Bc2 Bb6 20.Rad1 Rae8 21.f4 f5 22.g4 Nb4 23.gxf5 Qc6 24.Bb1 Qc4 25.Rc1 Nc2 26.Rxc2 Qb4 27.f6 Bxd4 28.Bxd4 Qxd4+ 29.Kh1 Nc8 30.Rg2 Rf7 31.Rxg7+* 1-0 (31) nickVet (2648)-Calzonesdesuperman (2653) Blitz 2024*)* 14.bxc3 Na5 15.Nh4 Bh7 16.Qg4 Kh8 17.f4 Nc4 18.Bxc4 dxc4 19.f5 Nd5 20.f6 Rg8 21.Bd2 gxf6 22.Qh5 Qd7 23.exf6 Rae8 24.Rae1 Rxe1 25.Rxe1 Nxf6 26.Qe5 Qd6 27.Bf4 Rd8 28.Qe3 Qc6 29.Be5 Re8 30.Qxh6 Re6 31.Nf5 1-0 (31) nickVet (2666)-Calzonesdesuperman (2660) Blitz 2024;

B1a2) 12...Ba5 13.Rc1 Bb6 14.Bc2 Qd7 15.Na4 Ba7 16.Bxf5 Nxf5 17.Nc5 Bxc5 18.Rxc5 Nce7 19.Qc2 c6 20.b4 Ng6 21.a4 f6 22.exf6 Rxf6 23.b5 axb5 24.axb5 Raf8 25.bxc6 bxc6 26.Rc1 Nge7 27.Ne5 Qe8 28.Qd3 Nxe3 29.fxe3 Qa8 30.e4 Qd8 31.Nxc6 Nxc6 32.Rxc6 R6f7 33.e5 Qg5 34.R6c2 Rf4 35.Re1 Qh4 36.Rce2 Rxd4 37.Qg6 Qe7 38.e6 Rdf4 39.Qh5 R4f5 40.Qg4 R8f6 41.Qd4 Rg5 42.Kh1 Rgf5 43.Re5 Rf1+ 44.Rxf1 Rxf1+ 45.Kh2 Rf6 46.Qxd5 Kh7 47.Qe4+ Kg8 48.Qd5

Rg6 49.Qd7 Qh4 50.Re2 Qf4+ 51.Kg1 Qc1+ 52.Kh2 Qf4+ 53.Kg1 Qf5 54.Qd8+ Kh7 55.e7 Qb1+ 56.Kh2 Qf5 57.Kg1 Qb1+ 58.Kh2 Qb5 59.e8Q Qxe8 60.Qxe8 Rg5 61.Qe4+ Rg6 62.Rc2 h5 63.Rc6 Kg8 64.Qxg6 Kf8 65.Rc7 1-0 (65) GBHeraklinosK (2667)-Calzonesdesuperman (2613) Blitz 2024;

B1b) 11...f6 12.exf6 Rxf6 13.Re1 b5 14.Bb3 h6 15.a3 Bxc3 16.bxc3 Na5 17.Ba2 Qd6 18.a4 Ng6 19.Ba3 Qd8 20.axb5 axb5 21.Ne5 Nc4 22.Bxc4 bxc4 23.f3 Rfa6 24.Bb2 Rxa1 25.Bxa1 Nf4 26.Nc6 Qg5 27.Ne7+ Kh8 28.g4 Bd3 29.Re5 Qh4 30.Bb2 Qg3+ 0-1 (30) nickVet (2623)-Train_account (2660) Blitz 2024;

B1c) 11...b5 12.Bc2 Qd7 13.Re1 Ba5 14.a3 Bb6 15.Be3 Rad8 16.Rc1 Rfe8 17.Ne2 Bxc2 18.Qxc2 Na5 19.Ng3 Nc4 20.Ng5 Ng6 21.b3 Nxe3 22.fxe3 Qe7 23.Nf3 Qxa3 24.h4 h6 25.Ra1 Qe7 26.Nf5 Qd7 27.Rxa6 Ne7 28.Nxe7+ Rxe7 29.b4 Qg4 30.Qf2 Re6 31.Kh2 Rc6 32.Qg3 Qe4 33.Ra2 Rg6 34.Qh3 Re8 35.Rf2 Qg4 36.Nd2 Ree6 37.Nb3 Qxh3+ 38.Kxh3 f6 39.exf6 Rgxf6 40.Rxf6 Rxf6 41.Kg3 h5 42.Nc5 c6 43.Nd7 Bc7+ 44.Kh3 Rf2 45.Ra1 Re2 46.Ra3 Bd6 47.Nc5 Re1 48.g3 Rg1 49.e4 Bxc5 50.bxc5 dxe4 51.Re3 b4 52.Rxe4 b3 53.Re8+ Kf7 54.Rb8 Rd1 55.Rxb3 Ke6 56.Rb6 Kd5 57.Rb7 Rxd4 58.Rxg7 Kxc5 59.g4 Rd3+ 60.Kg2 hxg4 61.h5 Rd5 62.h6 Rh5 63.h7 Kd4 64.Kg3 Rh1 65.Kxg4 c5 66.Kf3 c4 67.Kg2 Rh6 68.Kg3 Kc3 69.Rg4 Kc2 70.Rh4 Rg6+ 71.Kh2 Rf6 72.h8Q Rf2+ 73.Kh3 Rd2 74.Kg4 Rd3 75.Qh7 Kc3 76.Rh2 Rd4+ 77.Kf5 Rd3 78.Ke6 Rd5 79.Qh6 Rd4 80.Qg7 Kd3 81.Qg8 Re4+ 82.Kd7 Ke3 83.Kc7 Rd4 84.Kc8 Kd3 85.Kb8 Kc3 0-1 (85) SiroglanTalibov (2721)-MCanonim (2769) Blitz 2023;

B2) 10...Ng6 11.0-0 Nce7 12.Bc2 Bf5 13.Bxf5 Nxf5 14.Qb3 Bxc3 15.bxc3 b5 16.a4 c6 17.Bg5 f6 18.exf6 gxf6 19.Bd2 Nd6 20.Rfe1 Nc4 21.Bh6 Re8 22.Qc2 Qd7 23.Nh2 f5 24.Nf1 f4 25.Nh2 Rxe1+ 26.Rxe1 Re8 27.Ra1 Qf7 28.axb5 axb5 29.Ng4 f3 30.Bg5 Kf8 31.Nf6 Rc8 32.Qf5 Nd6 33.Bh6+ Ke7 34.Ra7+ Kd8 35.Rd7+ 1-0 (35) Sjugirov,S (2663)-Galperin,P (2474) chess.com INT 2021;

B3) 10...h6 11.0-0 Be6 12.Ne2 b5 13.Bc2 Ng6 14.Nf4 Nxf4 15.Bxf4 Ne7 16.a3 Ba5 17.Rc1 Bf5 18.Bxf5 Nxf5 19.Qd3 Ne7 20.Rc2 Qd7 21.Rfc1 Qe6 22.b4 Bb6 23.Nd2 Nf5 24.Nb3 Qg6 25.Rc6 Qh7 26.R1c3 Ne7

27.Qxh7+ Kxh7 28.Rxc7 Bxc7 29.Rxc7 Ng6 30.Be3 Rac8 31.Rxc8 Rxc8 32.Nc5 Rc6 33.f4 f5 34.g4 Ne7 35.Kf2 h5 36.gxf5 Nxf5 37.Kf3 Nxe3 38.Kxe3 Kg6 39.e6 Kf6 40.Kf3 g6 41.Kg3 Rc8 42.Kf3 Ra8 43.Kg3 a5 44.Kh4 axb4 45.axb4 Ra3 46.f5 gxf5 47.Nd7+ Kxe6 48.Kxh5 Rxh3+ 49.Kg5 Kxd7 0-1 (49) Fratz71 (2653)-Simba_Abessimba (2582) Blitz 2024;

B4) 10...f6

B4a) 11.a3 Bxc3+ 12.bxc3 fxe5 13.dxe5 Bf5 *(13...b5 14.Bb3 Na5 15.Ba2 Nc4 16.0-0 c5 17.a4 Rb8 18.axb5 axb5 19.Bg5 Be6 20.Bb1 h6 21.Bh4 Qd7 22.Bxe7 Qxe7 23.Qd3 Bf5 24.Qxd5+ Kh8 25.Bxf5 Rxf5 26.Rfe1 Re8 27.Ra8 Rxa8 28.Qxa8+ Rf8 29.Qc6 Rb8 30.e6 Qf6 31.Qxc5 Qxc3 32.Qc7 Re8 33.Qd7* 1-0 (33) AfricanJo (2658)-Fightbro (2635) Blitz 2023*)* 14.0-0 Be4 15.Ng5 Nxe5 16.Ne6 Qd6 17.Nxf8 Rxf8 18.Bc2 Nf3+ 19.gxf3 Qg6+ 20.Kh2 Bxc2 21.Qd4 Rxf3 22.Rg1 Rxh3+ 23.Kxh3 Qxg1 0-1 (23) diamond2021 (2738)-difficultteenager (2853) Blitz 2022;

B4b) 11.0-0

B4b1) 11...Bxc3 12.bxc3 Bf5 *(12...Ng6 13.exf6 Qxf6 14.Bg5 Qf7 15.Ne1 b5 16.Bb3 Na5 17.Nd3 Nc4 18.Re1 h6 19.Be3 Nh4 20.Ne5 Be6 21.Nxf7 Rxf7* 1-0 (21) Zeveraar-Glen (2615)-Fightbro (2611) Blitz 2023 *)* 13.Re1 Be4 14.Bb3 Bxf3 15.Qxf3 fxe5 16.Qg4 exd4 17.cxd4 Nf5 18.Ba3 Rf7 19.Rad1 Qd7 20.Qf3 Rd8 21.Qd3 Ncxd4 22.g4 Nh4 23.Re3 Nxb3 24.Qxb3 c6 25.Rde1 h6 26.Re7 Nf3+ 27.Kh1 Nxe1 28.Rxd7 Rdxd7 29.Qe3 Nf3 30.Qe8+ Kh7 31.Bc5 d4 32.Qe4+ g6 33.h4 Nxh4 34.Bxd4 Nf3 35.Bc3 Rd1+ 36.Kg2 Rg1+ 37.Kh3 Ng5+ 0-1 (37) Corre_por_tu_vida (2660)-FraDoNicks (2752) Blitz 2021;

B4b2) 11...fxe5 12.Nxe5 *(12.dxe5 h6 13.a3 Ba5 14.Be3 Be6 15.b4 Bb6 16.Bxb6 cxb6 17.Bb3 Kh8 18.Re1 Qd7 19.Nd4 Nxd4 20.Qxd4 Nf5 21.Qxb6 Qf7 22.Rad1 Rad8 23.Ne4 dxe4 24.Bxe6 Rxd1 25.Rxd1 Qg6 26.Qc5 Re8 27.Bxf5 Qxf5 28.Rd5 Kh7 29.Qd4 Re7 30.a4 Re6 31.Rd7 Qxe5 32.Qxe5 Rxe5 33.Rxb7 e3 34.fxe3 Rxe3 35.Rb6 Rb3 36.a5 Rb2 37.h4 h5 38.Kf1 Kg8 39.g3 Rb3 40.Kf2 Kf7 41.Ke2 Ke7 42.Rxa6 Rxb4 43.Rg6 Kf7 44.Rg5 g6 45.Kd3 Kf6 46.Kc3 Ra4 47.Kb3 Ra1 48.Kb4 Rb1+ 49.Kc5 Rc1+ 50.Kb6 Rb1+ 51.Ka7 Rb2 52.Ka6 Rb1 53.Rb5 Rg1 54.Rb3 Ra1 55.Kb6 Kf5 56.a6 Kg4*

57.Kb7 g5 58.hxg5 Kxg5 59.a7 Kg4 60.a8Q Rxa8 61.Kxa8 h4 62.gxh4 Kxh4 63.Kb7 Kg4 64.Kc6 Kf5 65.Kd5 Kf4 66.Rd3 Kf5 67.Rf3+ Kg4 68.Ke4 Kh4 69.Kf5 Kh5 70.Rh3# 1-0 (70) berval (2607)-BohmianMechanics (2555) Blitz 2022*)* 12...Nxe5 13.dxe5 c6 14.Bc2 Bf5 15.f4 Bxc2 16.Qxc2 Nf5 17.Qb3 a5 18.a3 Bc5+ 19.Kh2 Qe7 20.Bd2 Kh8 21.Rae1 h6 22.Na4 Ba7 23.Bc3 b5 24.g4 bxa4 25.Qxa4 Ne3 26.Rf3 d4 27.Bd2 Rab8 28.b4 axb4 29.axb4 c5 30.Bxe3 dxe3 31.Rexe3 Rxb4 32.Qc6 Rbxf4 33.Rxf4 Rxf4 34.Kg3 Rf8 35.e6 Bb8+ 36.Kg2 Qf6 37.Rf3 Qxf3+ 38.Qxf3 Rxf3 39.e7 Re3 0-1 (39) tulachessroom (2736)-the_great_evil (2815) Blitz 2024;

B4c) 11.exf6 Rxf6 *(11...Bxc3+ 12.bxc3 Rxf6 13.0-0 Bf5 14.Bg5 Rf7 15.Bxc6 bxc6 16.Ne5* 1-0 (16) JimHacker (2707)-ma_long_ma (2631) Blitz 2023 *)* 12.0-0 h6 *(12...Qd6 13.Re1 Bf5 14.Ne5 Raf8 15.Bg5 Re6 16.Nxc6 Nxc6 17.Rxe6 Bxe6 18.Qd2 h6 19.Be3 Na5 20.a3 Nc4 21.Qd3 Nxb2 22.Qg6 Bxc3 23.Bxh6 Bxd4 24.Bc2 Bf5 25.Qxd6 cxd6 26.Bxf5 Rxf5 27.Be3 Bxe3 28.fxe3 Nc4 29.Rb1 b5* 0-1 (29) JurgenSanchez97 (2713)-IMFAR (2763) Blitz 2021*)* 13.Ne5 *(13.Re1 Bf5 14.Ne5 Qf8 15.Bxc6 bxc6 16.Bd2 Bd6 17.Na4 Ng6 18.f4 Be4 19.g3 Ne7 20.Qb3 Rb8 21.Qe3 Qc8 22.Kh2 Nf5 23.Qf2 Bxe5 24.dxe5 Rg6 25.g4 h5 26.gxf5 Rg2+ 27.Qxg2 Bxg2 28.Kxg2 Qxf5 29.b3 Re8 30.Re2 Re6 31.Rh1 Qd3 32.Kf2 Rg6 33.Be3 d4 34.Rhe1 Qe4 35.Bxd4 Qxd4+ 36.Kf3 h4 37.Re3* 0-1 (37) JelenaZ (2611)-BruceLeecubano (2581) Blitz 2022*)* 13...Nxe5 14.dxe5 Rf7 15.Be3 c6 16.a3 Bxc3 17.bxc3 b5 18.Bc2 Bf5 19.Bc5 Qd7 20.f4 Qe6 21.g4 Bxc2 22.Qxc2 Re8 23.Rae1 d4 24.cxd4 Nd5 25.f5 Qc8 1-0 (25) schaakam (2743)-ma_long_ma (2566) Blitz 2023;

C) 10.Bc2 Bf5 11.Bxf5 *(11.0-0 f6 12.exf6 Rxf6 13.Bg5 Bxc2 14.Qxc2 Rxf3 15.gxf3 Nxd4 16.Qd3 Bxc3 17.bxc3 Ndf5 18.Rfe1 Qd6 19.Re2 h6 20.Bxe7 Nxe7 21.Rae1 Ng6 22.Qf5 Rf8 23.Re8 Nh4 24.Qg4 Qf6 25.Rxf8+ Kxf8 26.Qc8+ Kf7 27.Qe8#* 1-0 (27) JoeAssaad (2634)-CaptainSploosh (2577) Blitz 2022*)* 11...Nxf5 12.Qd3 Ncxd4 13.Nxd4 Nxd4 14.Qxd4 c5 15.Qg4 d4 16.Bh6 g6 17.0-0 dxc3 18.bxc3 Bxc3 19.Rad1 Qc8 20.Qf3 Bxe5 21.Bxf8 Kxf8 22.Rd5 Bd4 23.Re1 Qc6 24.Qe4 Kg7 25.h4 Qf6 26.Re2 h5 27.Rd7 Rb8 28.Rxb7

Rxb7 29.Qxb7 c4 30.g3 c3 31.Kg2 Qf5 32.Qf3 Qc5 33.Qe4 a5 34.Qd3 a4 35.Qe4 a3 36.Qd3 Qc6+ 37.Qf3 Qc4 38.Qe4 Qc5 39.Qd3 Bf6 40.Re4 c2 0-1 (40) Eyesless18 (2743)-Creep30 (2816) Blitz 2021;

D) 10.0-0 Bg4 *(10...Bf5 11.Be3 f6 12.exf6 Rxf6 13.Bg5 Rg6 14.Bh4 Bg4 15.Nxd5 Bd6 16.Bxc6 bxc6 17.Ne3 Be6 18.Bg3 Nd5 19.Nc4 Bg4 20.Qd3 Qf6 21.Nfe5 Bf5 22.Qb3* 1-0 (22) Nadigraj (2731)-khvichachess (2593) Blitz 2025 *)*

D1) 11.Be3

D1a) 11...Nf5 12.Bc2 *(12.Bxc6 bxc6 13.Na4 f6 14.a3 fxe5 15.dxe5 Nxe3 16.fxe3 Be7 17.Qc2 Qe8 18.Nd4 Rxf1+ 19.Rxf1 c5 20.Nf3 c4 21.Nc3 c6 22.h3 Bh5 23.Qf5 Bc5 24.Nd4 Bg6 25.Qf4 Rb8 26.Rf2 Rb7 27.e6 h6 28.Qg4 Re7 29.Nce2 Bd3 30.Nf4 Be4 31.Nh5 Qg6 32.Qh4 Bxd4 33.exd4 Qxe6 34.Nf4 Qd6 35.Nh5 Rf7 36.Rxf7 Kxf7 37.Qg4 Bg6 38.Nf4 Qf6 39.Qd7+ Kg8 40.Ne6 Bf5 41.Qe8+ Kh7 42.Nf8+ Kg8 43.Ng6+ Kh7 44.Nf8+ Kg8 45.Ng6+ Kh7 46.Nf8+* ½-½ (46) emperorswatchman (2649)-TheDayThatNeverCome (2625) Blitz 2023*; 12.h3 Bxf3 13.Qxf3 Nfxd4 14.Bxd4 Nxd4 15.Qxd5 Bxc3 16.Qxd8 Raxd8 17.bxc3 Ne2+ 18.Kh2 Nxc3 19.Bb3 b5 20.a3 a5 21.f4 c5 22.Rf3 Ne2 23.Re1 Nd4 24.Rg3 c4 25.Bd1 b4 26.Re4 c3 27.Re1 c2 28.Bg4 b3* 0-1 (28) JoeAssaad (2617)-Tonnytonnychopper (2528) Blitz 2024*)* 12...Bxf3 13.gxf3 *(13.Qxf3 Ncxd4 14.Bxd4 Nxd4 15.Bxh7+ Kxh7 16.Qd3+ Nf5 17.Qxf5+ g6 18.Qg4 Bxc3 19.bxc3 Qc8 20.Qh4+ Kg7 21.Rae1 Qe6 22.f4 Rh8 23.Qg3 Rh5 24.h3 b5 25.Qe3 Rah8 26.Rf3 Rf5 27.Qc5 g5 28.Rg3 Rh5 29.fxg5 Rfxg5 30.Rxg5+ Rxg5 31.Re3 Rxe5 32.Rg3+ Kf6 33.Qxc7 Re1+ 34.Kh2 Qe5 35.Qd8+ Kf5 36.h4 Rh1+ 37.Kxh1 Qxg3 38.Qxd5+ Kg6 39.h5+ Kh6 40.Qxf7 Qe1+ 41.Kh2 Qe5+ 42.Kh3 Qxc3+ 43.g3 Qd3 44.Kh4 Qe4+ 45.g4 Qh1+ 46.Kg3 Qg1+ 47.Kh3 Qh1+ 48.Kg3 Qg1+ 49.Kh3 Qe3+ 50.Kg2 Qe2+ 51.Kg3 Qe1+ 52.Qf2 Qc3+ 53.Kh4 Kg7 54.Qa7+ Kh6 55.Qxa6+ Kg7 56.Qb7+ Kf8 57.Qb8+ Ke7 58.Qb7+ Kf8 59.Qe4 Qf6+ 60.g5 Qf2+ 61.Kg4 b4 62.Qf4+ Qxf4+ 63.Kxf4* 1-0 (63) sergolvz (2675)-CaptainSploosh (2651) Blitz 2022 *)* 13...Nxe3 14.fxe3 Qg5+ 15.Kh1 Bxc3 16.f4 Qh4 17.bxc3 f5 18.Rb1 b5 19.a4 Rab8 20.Bd3 b4 21.c4 Ne7 22.cxd5 Nxd5 23.Qb3 c6 24.Bxa6 Kh8 25.Bc4 Nc3 26.Rbe1 g5 27.fxg5 Qe4+ 28.Kg1 Qg4+ 29.Kh1 Qe4+ 30.Kg1 f4 31.exf4 Qxd4+ 32.Kh1 Rxf4 33.Rxf4 Qxf4

34.Bf1 Qf2 35.Ra1 Rd8 36.Qe6 Qf3+ 37.Kg1 Qe3+ 38.Kh1 Ne4 39.Qf5 Nf2+ 40.Kg2 Ne4 41.Ra2 Rg8 42.h4 Qg3+ 43.Kh1 Qxh4+ 44.Rh2 Ng3+ 45.Kg2 Nxf5 46.Rxh4 Nxh4+ 47.Kg3 Ng6 48.e6 b3 49.a5 b2 50.Bd3 Ne5 51.Bb1 Ra8 52.e7 Kg7 53.Kf4 Kf7 54.Kxe5 Kxe7 55.Kd4 Rxa5 56.Kc3 Rxg5 57.Bd3 Rc5+ 58.Kxb2 Rd5 59.Bxh7 Kd6 60.Kc3 c5 61.Be4 Rd4 62.Bg6 Ke5 63.Be8 Kd6 64.Bf7 Ke5 65.Bg8 Kd6 66.Bh7 Kc7 67.Bg6 Kd6 68.Bd3 Ke5 69.Bc4 Kd6 70.Bb3 Kc6 71.Bc4 Kd6 72.Bd3 Ke5 73.Bc4 Kd6 ½-½ (73) EleKtRoMaGnIt (2832)-zvonokchess (2833) Blitz 2022;

D1b) 11...f6

D1b1) 12.e6 Bxe6 *(12...Qd6 13.h3 Bxe6 14.Rc1 Nf5 15.Bc2 Rfe8 16.Qd3 g6 17.Bd2 Ba5 18.Rfd1 Nb4 19.Qf1 Nxc2 20.Rxc2 Bb6 21.Bc1 c6 22.Na4 Bc7 23.Nc5 Nh4* 0-1 (23) bodoque50 (2604)-MihailRodin (2559) Blitz 2022 *)* 13.Re1 Bxc3 14.bxc3 Qd7 15.h3 b5 16.Bb3 Na5 17.Bc1 Rfe8 18.Ba3 Nc4 19.Bc5 Ng6 20.Kh2 Bf5 21.Rxe8+ Rxe8 22.a4 Nb2 23.Qd2 Nxa4 24.Bb4 c6 25.Kg1 Be4 26.Nh2 Nb6 27.f3 Bf5 28.Rxa6 Nc4 29.Bxc4 bxc4 30.Qa2 Bd3 31.Ra8 h5 32.Rxe8+ Qxe8 33.Qd2 Kh7 34.Bd6 Qa8 35.g4 Qa1+ 36.Kf2 h4 37.Kg2 Qb1 38.Ba3 Qb3 39.Bc1 Qb8 40.Qf2 Kg8 41.Bd2 Qd6 42.f4 Be4+ 43.Kg1 f5 44.g5 Qb8 45.Nf1 Qb1 46.Kh2 Qd1 47.Be3 Kf7 48.Bd2 Kg8 49.Be3 Nf8 50.Bd2 Ne6 51.Qe1 Qf3 52.Ne3 Qxf4+ 53.Kg1 Qf3 54.Qxh4 Nf4 55.g6 Ne2+ 56.Kh2 Qh1# 0-1 (56) Vachier Lagrave,M (2758)-Makarian,R (2502) chess.com INT 2022;

D1b2) 12.h3 Bxf3 13.Qxf3 fxe5 14.Qg4 exd4 15.Bxd4 Nxd4 16.Qxd4 Bxc3 *(16...c5 17.Qe5 Bxc3 18.bxc3 Ng6 19.Qe6+ Kh8 20.Rad1 Nf4 21.Qe5 Qa5 22.Bb3 Qxc3 23.Rfe1 Qxe5 24.Rxe5 c4 25.Bc2 Rad8 26.g3 Ng6 27.Re6 d4 28.Rb6 d3 29.Ba4 Rf7 30.h4 Rc7 31.Re6 Nf8 32.Re3 g6 33.Kg2 Kg7 34.Kf3 Nd7 35.Re7+ Kf6 36.Rxh7 b5 37.Re1 bxa4 38.Kf4 d2 39.Ree7 Ne5 40.Rxc7 d1Q 41.g4 Rd4+ 42.Kg3 Qxg4+ 43.Kh2 Qf4+ 44.Kg2 Qf3+ 45.Kg1 Rd1+ 46.Kh2 Rh1#* 0-1 (46) schaakam (2634)-GildardoGarcia (2561) Blitz 2023 *)* 17.bxc3 b5 18.Bb3 Qd6 19.Rae1 c6 20.Re2 a5 21.Rfe1 Nf5 22.Qg4 Rf6 23.Re8+ Rxe8 24.Rxe8+ Rf8 25.Rxf8+ Qxf8 26.a4 bxa4 27.Bxa4

Ne7 28.Qe6+ Qf7 29.Qd7 g6 30.Qd8+ Kg7 31.Qxa5 Qe6 32.Qc5 h5 33.h4 Qe1+ 34.Kh2 Qe5+ 35.g3 Kf6 36.Kg2 Qe4+ 37.Kg1 Qxa4 38.Qd6+ Kf7 0-1 (38) hungzhao (2667)-spectraline (2537) Blitz 2024;

D1b3) 12.exf6 Rxf6 13.Qd3 *(13.Bxc6 bxc6 14.Qb3 Bxf3 15.Qxb4 Rg6 16.g3 Qd7* Normal 0-1 (16) couchpotato123 (2620)-Hard-Training (2618) Blitz 2024 *)* 13...Bxf3 14.gxf3 Qd7 15.Ne2 Nf5 16.Bf4 Nh4 17.Bg3 Nxf3+ 18.Kg2 Raf8 19.Ng1 Ng5 20.Bxc6 Qxc6 21.Be5 Rg6 22.Kh1 Ne4 23.f3 Nf6 24.Rac1 Qe6 25.Rxc7 Bd6 26.Bxd6 Qxd6 27.Rxb7 Rh6 28.Qd2 Ne4 0-1 (28) JelenaZ (2648)-SaxKaiGoal (2726) Blitz 2023;

D1b4) 12.Bxc6 Nxc6

D1b41) 13.Qb3 Bxf3 14.gxf3 Bxc3 15.bxc3 fxe5 16.Qxb7 Qd6 17.dxe5 Nxe5 0-1 (17) kacper05 (2782)-voraylk (2612) Blitz 2024;

D1b42) 13.h3 Bh5 14.e6 *(14.Qb3 Bxf3 15.gxf3 Bxc3 16.Qxc3 fxe5 17.dxe5 d4 18.f4 dxc3* 0-1 (18) fire_water82 (2640)-spectraline (2581) Blitz 2022 *)* 14...Bxc3 15.bxc3 Qd6 16.c4 Qxe6 17.Ng5 Qe8 18.g4 Bg6 19.cxd5 Ne7 20.Ne6 Nxd5 21.Nxf8 Qxf8 22.Qb3 Qd6 23.Bf4 Qd7 24.Bxc7 Bf7 25.Rac1 b5 26.Qf3 Re8 27.Bg3 Bg6 28.Rfe1 Rd8 29.h4 h6 30.Rc5 Bf7 31.Qf5 Nb4 32.Rc7 Qxf5 33.gxf5 Nd5 34.Ra7 Bh5 35.Rxa6 Bf3 36.Ra7 Rc8 37.Kh2 Rc2 38.Re8+ Kh7 39.Raa8 g5 40.Ra7+ Nc7 41.Re7+ Kg8 42.Raxc7 Re2 43.Rc8# 1-0 (43) EdwardFerrars (2755)-Calzonesdesuperman (2625) Blitz 2023;

D1b43) 13.exf6 Bxc3 14.bxc3 Qxf6 15.Qb3 Bxf3 16.gxf3 Qxf3 17.Qxb7 Rab8 18.Qxc6 Rb6 19.Qxc7 Rg6+ 20.Qg3 Rxg3+ 21.hxg3 Rf5 22.Rfb1 Rh5 23.Rb8+ Kf7 24.Rb7+ Kg6 25.Rb6+ Kf5 0 - 1 (2 5) AvoNSWFins0034 (2816)-alfredogto (2600) Blitz 2024;

D1c) 11...b5 12.Bc2 1-0 (12) vistagausta (2863)-CaptainSploosh (2616) Blitz 2022;

D2) 11.Bc2 f6 12.Qd3 Bf5 13.Qe2 Bg4 14.exf6 Rxf6 15.Qd3 Bf5 16.Qd2 Bxc2 17.Qxc2 Rxf3 18.gxf3 Nxd4 19.Qd3 Ndf5 20.Bg5 c6 21.a3 Bd6 22.Ne2 Qe8 23.Bxe7 Nxe7 24.Ng3 Qf7 25.Rfe1 Rf8

26.Re3 Ng6 27.Rae1 Nh4 28.Kh1 Nxf3 29.Rf1 Ne5 30.Qd2 Ng4 31.Rd3 Qf6 32.Kg2 Qh4 33.h3 Ne5 34.Re3 Nc4 35.Qe2 Nxe3+ 36.Qxe3 Qf4 37.Qxf4 Bxf4 38.Ne2 Bd6 39.f4 Re8 40.Kf3 Kf7 41.Rd1 g6 42.b4 Bc7 43.Nd4 Bd6 44.a4 Be7 45.b5 axb5 46.axb5 c5 47.Ne2 d4 48.Ng3 b6 49.f5 Bf6 50.Ne4 Be5 51.Nd6+ Kf8 52.fxg6 hxg6 53.Rf1 Re7 54.Ne8 Kxe8 55.Ke4 Kd7 56.Kd5 Bf6 57.Rxf6 Rf7 58.Rd6+ Ke7 59.Re6+ Kf8 60.Rd6 Kg7 61.Rxg6+ Kxg6 62.Kc6 Kg7 63.Kd5 Rf6 64.Kc4 Rg6 65.Kd5 Rh6 66.Kc4 Rxh3 67.Kd5 Re3 68.Kc4 Rc3+ 0-1 (68) Nadigraj (2751)-NeutralMonism (2556) Blitz 2021;

D3) 11.Bg5 h6 12.Bh4 g5 13.Bg3 Nf5 14.Bxc6 bxc6 15.Na4 Rb8 16.Rc1 Qd7 17.a3 Be7 18.b4 Bxf3 19.gxf3 h5 20.h3 Nxg3 21.fxg3 Qxh3 22.Qe1 f6 23.Rxc6 Rbe8 24.e6 Bd6 25.Nc5 Bxg3 26.Qe2 Bd6 27.Rxa6 Re7 28.Qc2 Kg7 29.Rf2 Rfe8 30.Re2 Qxf3 31.Qd3 Qg4+ 32.Rg2 Qh4 33.Qf5 Qxd4+ 34.Kh1 Qh4+ 35.Kg1 Be5 36.Nb3 Bd6 37.Qxd5 Rxe6 38.Nd2 Re1+ 39.Nf1 Rxf1+ 40.Kxf1 Re1# 0-1 (40) Dispecher (2662)-Dictator02 (2625) Blitz 2024;

D4) 11.h3 Bxf3 12.gxf3 Nf5 13.Ne2 Qh4 14.Bxc6 bxc6 15.Kh2 f6 16.Bf4 fxe5 17.dxe5 Qh5 18.Ng3 Nxg3 19.fxg3 Qg6 20.Rc1 Rae8 21.Qc2 Qxc2+ 22.Rxc2 Re6 23.h4 Be7 24.Rd1 h6 25.h5 Bg5 26.Bxg5 hxg5 27.Re1 Rxf3 28.Kg2 g4 29.Rc3 Rxc3 30.bxc3 Kh7 31.c4 d4 32.c5 Kh6 33.Re4 Kxh5 34.Kf2 Kg5 35.Ke2 Kf5 36.Rf4+ Kxe5 37.Kd3 Kd5 38.Rxd4+ Kxc5 39.Rxg4 g6 40.a3 Kd5 41.Rg5+ Kd6 42.Ra5 Rf6 43.Ke4 Rf1 44.Rxa6 Kc5 45.Ra5+ Kb6 46.Rg5 Ra1 47.Rxg6 Rxa3 48.g4 Ra4+ 49.Kd3 Ra1 50.g5 Rg1 51.Rg8 c5 52.g6 Rg3+ 53.Kc4 Kc6 54.g7 Rg4+ 55.Kc3 Rg6 56.Kd3 Rg5 57.Ke4 Rg1 58.Ke3 Rg2 59.Kd3 Rg6 60.Kc3 Rg3+ 61.Kc4 Rg4+ 62.Kc3 Rg3+ 63.Kc4 ½-½ (63) DLChess2018 (2603)-MihailRodin (2575) Blitz 2022;

D5) 11.Ne2 f6 *(11...Bxf3 12.gxf3 f6 13.f4 Qd7 14.Bc2 fxe5 15.fxe5 Qg4+ 16.Kh1 Qf3+ 17.Kg1 Qg4+ 18.Kh1 Qf3+ 19.Kg1 Nf5 20.Bxf5 Rxf5 21.Ng3 Qxd1 22.Rxd1 Rf3 23.Kg2 Raf8 24.Be3 Ba5 25.Rac1 Bb6 26.Ne2 Ne7 27.Ng1 R3f7 28.f4 Rxf4 29.Bxf4 Rxf4 30.Ne2 Re4 31.Kf3 Nf5 32.Rd3 Nh4+ 33.Kf2 Rxe5 34.Kf1 Rf5+ 35.Kg1 Nf3+ 36.Kg2 Ng5 37.h4 Ne4 38.Rf1 Rh5 39.Rdf3 h6 40.Rf8+ Kh7 41.R1f7 Rxh4 42.Kf3 Rh2 43.Nf4 Ng5+ 44.Kg3 Rxb2 45.Rd7 Ne4+ 46.Kf3 Bxd4 47.Ne6 Rf2+ 48.Kg4 Rxf8 49.Nxf8+ Kg8 50.Ng6 Nf6+* 0-1 (50) Kastorcito (2771)-IMFAR (2671) Blitz 2021*)*
12.exf6 Rxf6 13.Ne5 Nxe5

14.dxe5 Rg6 15.Bc2 Nf5 16.f3 Bc5+ 17.Kh1 1-0 (17) Kivurawnuru (2892)-L04d1ng (2866) Blitz 2021]

[9...b5 10.Bc2 Bg4 11.Be3 Nf5 *(11...Qd7 12.h3 Bf5 13.0-0* 1-0 (13) Fratz71 (2624)-Mr_fix_01 (2444) Blitz 2024*)* 12.h3 *(12.a3 Bxf3 13.gxf3 Nxe3 14.fxe3 Bxc3+ 15.bxc3 Qh4+ 16.Ke2 Ne7 17.Qg1 g6 18.Qg3 Qh5 19.Qf4 0-0 20.Rag1 c5 21.Rg5 Qh6 22.Rhg1 Kh8 23.R1g4 Qg7 24.Qf6 Ng8 25.Qd6 cxd4 26.cxd4 f6 27.exf6 Nxf6 28.Rh4 Rae8 29.Rxg6 Qf7 30.Rgh6 Re6 31.Qf4* 1-0 (31) jncool68 (2653)-mocaspoke (2613) Blitz 2021*)* 12...Bxf3 13.gxf3 Nxe3 14.fxe3 Qh4+ 15.Kf1 Bxc3 16.bxc3 0-0 17.Qe1 Qh6 18.e4 Ne7 19.Ke2 f6 20.exf6 Rxf6 21.e5 Rf4 22.Qg3 Raf8 23.Raf1 b4 24.h4 bxc3 25.Qg5 Rxd4 26.Qxh6 gxh6 27.Rhg1+ Kh8 28.Bd3 c5 29.Rd1 c4 30.Bc2 Rdf4 31.Rg3 d4 32.Be4 d3+ 33.Ke3 c2 34.Rdg1 Ng6 35.Bxg6 hxg6 36.Rxg6 Rxf3+ 37.Kd4 R3f7 38.Kc3 Kh7 39.R6g4 Rb8 40.e6 Re7 41.Rxc4 Rb1 42.Kxd3 Rxg1 43.Rxc2 Rg6 44.Kd4 Rgxe6 45.Rg2 Re4+ 46.Kd5 R4e6 47.h5 Re5+ 48.Kd6 R7e6+ 49.Kd7 Re8 50.Kd6 R5e7 51.Rb2 Rf7 52.Kc6 Rg8 53.Kd5 Rgg7 54.Ke6 Rf8 55.Rb4 Rfg8 56.Kf6 Rg5 57.Rb7+ R8g7 58.Rb8 Rxh5 59.Ke6 Rhg5 60.Rb7 R5g6+ 61.Kf5 h5 62.Kf4 1-0 (62) schaakam (2716)-bojarin1982 (2547) Blitz 2024]

10.Be3

[10.a3

A) 10...Bxc3+ 11.bxc3 0-0 12.Bc2 *(12.h3 Bxf3 13.Qxf3 b5 14.Bc2 Na5 15.Qh5 g6 16.Qh6 Qd7 17.Bg5 f6 18.exf6 Qe6+ 19.Kf1 Rxf6 20.Re1 Qf7 21.Bxf6 Qxf6 22.Qe3 Kf7 23.Bd3 Nc4 24.Bxc4 dxc4 25.Qe5 c6 26.Qxf6+ Kxf6 27.Ke2 Nd5 28.Kd2 a5 29.g3 b4 30.axb4 axb4 31.Ra1 Rxa1 32.Rxa1 Nxc3 33.Ra6 Ke6 34.Rb6 Ne4+ 35.Ke3 Kd5 36.Rxb4 c3 37.Kd3 Nxf2+ 38.Kxc3 Ne4+ 39.Kd3 Nxg3 40.Ra4 h5 41.Ra5+ Kd6 42.Rg5* 1-0 (42) Corre_por_tu_vida (2670)-solxe (2692) Blitz 2023*)* 12...Ng6 13.h3 Bxf3 14.Qxf3 f6 15.exf6 Rxf6 16.Qg4 Qd6 17.0-0 Raf8 18.a4 Qe6 19.Bg5 Qxg4 20.hxg4 Re6 21.Rfe1 Rfe8 22.Rxe6 Rxe6 23.Kf1 Kf7 24.Bf5 Re8 25.Bd7 Rb8 26.Rb1 Na5 27.Re1 Nc4 28.Be6+ 1-0 (28) Greenlight123 (2764)-spectraline (2614) Blitz 2023;

B) 10...Ba5

B1) 11.Be3

B1a) 11...0-0 12.h3 Bxf3 13.Qxf3 f6 14.exf6 Rxf6 15.Qd1 *(15.Qh5 Nf5 16.0-0 Ncxd4 17.Bxd4 Nxd4 18.Qxd5+ Qxd5 19.Nxd5 Rd6 20.Ne3 Rf8 21.Nc4 Rd5 22.Rad1 Ne2+ 23.Kh2 Rc5 24.b4 b5 25.Nxa5 bxa4 26.bxc5* 1-0 (26) wuzhaobing (2631)-spectraline (2574) Blitz 2023 *)* 15...Nf5 16.b4 Nxe3 17.fxe3 Nxb4 18.axb4 Bxb4 19.Qb3 Qd6 20.0-0-0 Bxc3 21.Qxc3 Rf2 22.Rd2 Raf8 23.Rhd1 Qg3 24.Rxf2 Rxf2 25.Rd2 Rf1+ 26.Bd1 Re1 27.Re2 Rxe2 28.Bxe2 Qxg2 29.Kd2 c6 30.Qb4 Qxh3

31.Qxb7 Qe6 32.Qxa6 g6 33.Bb5 Kg7 34.Qxc6 Qe7 35.Qxd5 Qb4+ 36.Ke2 Qb2+ 37.Kf3 Qb1 38.Qe5+ Kh6 39.Be2 Qe1 40.d5 g5 41.Qf6+ Kh5 42.Qf7+ Kh6 43.Qe6+ Kg7 44.d6 h5 45.Qe5+ Kg6 46.Bd3+ 1-0 (46) Firouzja,A (2767)-Nakamura,H (2802) Paris FRA 2024;

B1b) 11...b5 12.Bc2 Bb6 13.Ne2 *(13.h3 Bxf3 14.gxf3 Qd7 15.f4 g6 16.a4 0-0 17.h4 Nb4 18.a5 Ba7 19.Bb1 Rad8 20.Ne2 c5 21.Ra3 Nbc6 22.h5 b4 23.Ra1 Nf5 24.Bxf5 Qxf5 25.Ng3 Qd7 26.dxc5 d4 27.Ne4 f5 28.Nd6 dxe3 29.Qd5+ Kg7 30.hxg6 hxg6 31.e6 exf2+ 32.Kf1 Qe7 33.Rd1 Rh8 34.Rxh8 Rxh8 35.Qxc6 Qxe6 36.Qb7+ Kg8 37.Nxf5 Qc4+ 38.Kg2 f1Q+ 39.Rxf1 Qc2+ 40.Kf3 Qxf5 41.Qa8+ Kg7 42.Qxa7+ Kg8 43.Qa8+ Kg7 44.Qb7+ Kg8 45.Qb8+ Kf7 46.Qc7+ Kg8 47.Qb8+ Kg7 48.Qe5+ Qxe5 49.fxe5 Rh2 50.Ke4 Rxb2 51.e6 b3 52.c6 Rc2 53.Kd5 b2 54.e7 Rd2+ 55.Kc5 Rc2+ 56.Kd6 Rd2+ 57.Kc5 Rc2+ 58.Kd4 Rf2 59.Rb1 Kf7 60.Re1 Ke8 61.Kc3 Rf6 62.c7 Rc6+ 63.Kxb2 Rxc7 64.Re6 g5 65.Rxa6 Rc5 66.Re6 Rxa5 67.Kc3 Ra7 68.Kd4 Rxe7 69.Rxe7+ Kxe7 70.Ke5 g4 71.Kf4 g3 72.Kxg3* ½-½ (72) Firouzja,A (2767)-Nakamura,H (2802) Paris FRA 2024) 13...Qd7 14.Rc1 *(14.a4 0-0 15.0-0 Bxf3 16.gxf3 Nf5 17.axb5 Nh4 18.e6 Qd6 19.bxc6 Nxf3+ 20.Kg2 Qxh2+ 21.Kxf3 fxe6+ 22.Nf4 Rxf4+ 23.Bxf4 Rf8 24.Qd2 g5 25.Ke2 Rxf4 26.Qe3 Bxd4 27.Qxe6+ Kg7 28.Qe7+ Kh8* 1-0 (28) Firouzja,A (2767)-Nakamura,H (2802) Paris FRA 2024; *14.Ng3 Nf5 15.Nxf5 Bxf5 16.Bxf5 Qxf5 17.0-0 0-0 18.Rc1 Nd8 19.Qb3 c6 20.Qc2 Qh5 21.h3 Rc8 22.Kh2 Ne6 23.g4 Qg6 24.Qf5 c5 25.dxc5 Bxc5 26.Bxc5 Rxc5 27.Rxc5 Nxc5 28.Rd1 Na4 29.b3 Nc3 30.Rd3 Qc6 31.Nd4 Qc7 32.Qf4 a5 33.Nf5 b4 34.axb4 axb4 35.Re3 Ne4 36.Nd6 f6 37.Nxe4 fxe5 38.Qg3 dxe4 39.Rxe4 Qc2 40.Rc4 Qxf2+* ½-½ (40) Karthik,V (2609)-Jumabayev,R (2598) chess.com INT 2024) 14...Bxf3 15.gxf3 0-0-0 16.f4 f6 17.Bd3 Kb7 18.Rg1 g6 19.exf6 Nf5 20.Bxf5 Qxf5 21.a4 Qxf6 22.axb5 axb5 23.Qd3 Rhe8 24.Kf1 b4 25.Rg5 Ne7 26.Ng3 Nc6 27.Ne2 Ne7 28.Re5 Nf5 29.Qb5 Rf8 30.Qxb4 g5 31.Qb5 Qh6 32.Ke1 Nxe3 33.fxe3 gxf4 34.Nxf4 Rxf4 35.exf4 Qxf4 36.Qc6+ Kb8 37.Ra1 Qh4+ 38.Kd1 Qxd4+ 39.Kc2 Qc5+ 40.Qxc5 Bxc5 41.Ra5 Bd6 42.Rexd5 Rf8 43.Rd2 Rf6 44.Rh5 h6 45.Re2 Kb7 46.Rb5+ Kc6

47.Rb3 Kd7 48.h3 Rf5 49.Rd3 Rc5+ 50.Kb1 Rh5 51.Re4 Kc6 52.Kc2 Rf5 53.b3 Rf2+ 54.Kc3 Rf5 55.Kd2 Bf4+ 56.Ke2 Bd6 57.Rc4+ Kd7 58.Rh4 h5 59.Re4 Rb5 60.Red4 Ke6 61.Re3+ Kf6 62.Rde4 Be5 63.Rf3+ Ke6 64.Rd3 Kf5 65.Rc4 Bd6 66.Re3 Ra5 67.Kf3 Ra1 68.Kf2 Ra2+ 69.Kf3 Ra1 70.Ke2 Ra2+ 71.Kd3 Rh2 72.Rf3+ Kg5 73.Re4 Rh1 74.Kc4 Kg6 75.Kd5 Kg5 76.Ke6 Kg6 77.Rf6+ Kg5 78.h4+ Rxh4 79.Rf5+ 1-0 (79) Firouzja,A (2767)-Nakamura,H (2802) Paris FRA 2024;

B2) 11.b4 Bb6 12.Be3 Qd7 13.0-0 f6 14.h3 Bh5 15.exf6 gxf6 16.Ne5 Qf5 17.Ng4 0-0-0 18.b5 axb5 19.Bxb5 Qe6 20.Qa4 Bxg4 21.Qa8+ Nb8 22.hxg4 Qxg4 23.Na4 Nec6 24.Nxb6+ cxb6 25.Rfc1 Kc7 26.Bxc6 Nxc6 27.Rxc6+ bxc6 28.Qa7+ Kd6 29.Qxb6 Rc8 30.Re1 Rhg8 31.g3 Qf3 32.Bf4+ Qxf4 33.Qc5+ Kc7 34.Qe7+ 1-0 (34) CrazySage (2807)-NIndja64 (2879) Blitz 2022]

[10.h3 Bxf3 11.gxf3 0-0 12.Qd3 Ng6 13.h4 Ncxe5 14.dxe5 d4 15.Qe4 b5 16.Bc2 f5 17.exf6 Re8 18.Bb3+ Kh8 19.Kf1 Rxe4 20.fxg7+ Kxg7 21.Nxe4 Qf8 22.Rh3 Qf5 23.Rg3 Bd6 24.Nxd6 cxd6 25.Kg2 Kh8 26.Bg5 h6 27.h5 hxg5 28.hxg6 Kg7 29.Re1 Rf8 30.Re4 d3 31.Rd4 Rf6 32.Bd5 Qe5 33.Rxd3 Rxg6 34.Be4 Rf6 35.Rd5 Qxb2 36.Rdxg5+ Kf8 37.Bd5 Qd4 38.Rg8+ 1-0 (38) Vachier Lagrave,M (2766)-Nihal,S (2650) Riga LAT 2021]

10...0-0

[10...Qd7 11.h3 Bh5 12.a3 *(12.g4 Bg6 13.Rc1 f6 14.exf6 gxf6 15.Nh4 f5 16.a3 Bd6 17.Qf3 0-0-0 18.gxf5 Nxf5 19.Nxf5 Qxf5 20.Qxf5+ Bxf5 21.Bxc6 bxc6 22.Na4 Rhg8 23.Rxc6 Be4 24.Rf1 Bg2 25.Rxa6 Bxf1 26.Kxf1 Kb7 27.Ra5 Ra8 28.Rb5+ Kc6 29.Nc3 Rab8 30.a4 Rxb5 31.axb5+ Kb6 32.Nxd5+ Kxb5 33.Nf6 Rg7 34.Ke2 Kc4 35.Kf3 Rf7* 0-1 (35) Rumple_DarkOne (2618)-NIndja64 (2821) Blitz 2021*)* 12...Ba5 13.b4 *(13.Rc1 f6 14.g4 Bg6 15.b4 Bb6 16.Ne2 0-0-0 17.Nf4 Be4 18.Rg1 Kb8 19.exf6 gxf6 20.Nd2 f5 21.f3 Qd6 22.fxe4 Nxd4 23.exf5 Qe5 24.Nf1 Nexf5 25.gxf5 Nxf5 26.Nd3 Qe7 27.Nc5 Nxe3 28.Qe2 d4 29.Nxe3 dxe3 30.Qf3 c6 31.Nxa6+ bxa6 32.Rxc6 Ka7 33.Qf6 Qd7 34.Rg7* 1-0 (35) JelenaZ (2674)-NIndja64 (2888) Blitz 2021*)* 13...Bb6 14.g4 Bg6 15.Bb3 f6 16.exf6 gxf6 17.Nh4 0-0-0 18.Rc1 f5 19.Na4 Kb8 20.Nxb6 cxb6 21.Bf4+ Ka7 22.g5 Qe6+ 23.Kf1 Qe4 24.Ng2 Nxd4 25.Ba2 Nec6 26.Bb1 Qf3 27.Qxf3 Nxf3 28.h4 Bh5 29.Bxf5 Rdf8 30.Bd3 Nfd4 31.Rh3 Rf7 32.Be3 Rhf8 33.Rg3 Nf5 34.Bxf5 Rxf5 35.Rc2 d4 36.Bc1 Ne5 37.Ne1 Ng4 38.Nd3 Nh2+ 39.Kg2 Nf3 40.Bb2 Nxh4+ 41.Kf1 Nf3 42.Ne1 Nxg5 43.Bxd4 Ne4 44.Rh3 Bg6 45.Be3 R5f6 46.Rb2 Nd6 47.Rh4 Nf5 48.Rh3 h5 49.a4 h4 50.a5 Nxe3+ 51.Rxe3 bxa5 52.bxa5 R8f7 53.Ng2 Rh7 54.Rh3 Be4 55.Nxh4 Rfh6

56.Rb4 Rxh4 0-1 (56) Lunaticxxx (2821)-NIndja64 (2797) Blitz 2021]
11.h3 Bh5
[11...Bxf3 12.Qxf3 f6 13.exf6 Rxf6 14.Qg4 *(14.Qd1 Nf5 15.0-0 Nxe3 16.fxe3 Rxf1+ 17.Qxf1 Ne7 18.Bc2 Qd6 19.Qd3 Ng6 20.e4 Nf4 21.e5 Nxd3 22.exd6 Nxb2 23.Nxd5 Bxd6 24.Rb1 Nc4 25.Bb3 b5 26.Ne3 Kf8 27.Bxc4 bxc4 28.Nxc4 Ke7 29.Re1+ Kd7 30.Ne5+ Bxe5 31.Rxe5 Rb8 32.Ra5 Rb6 33.Kf2 Re6 34.Kf3 Kc8 35.Re5 Rxe5 36.dxe5 Kd7 37.Ke4 Ke6 38.g3 c5 39.h4 h5 40.a3 a5 41.a4 g6 42.Kf4 Kd5 43.Kg5 Kxe5 44.Kxg6 c4 45.g4 c3 46.gxh5 c2 47.h6 c1Q 48.h7 Qc8 49.Kg7 Qd7+ 50.Kg8 Qe8+ 51.Kg7 Qe7+ 52.Kg8 Qe6+ 53.Kg7 Qf6+ 54.Kg8 Qg6+ 55.Kf8 Qxh7* 0-1 (55) chessnotmaster_1 (2657)-solxe (2697) Blitz 2024*; 14.Qe2 Nf5 15.0-0-0 Bxc3 16.bxc3 Qd6 17.Kb1 b5 18.Bb3 Na5 19.Bg5 Rf7 20.Qe5 Nc4 21.Qxd6 Nfxd6 22.f3 Re8 23.Rhe1 Rff8 24.Be7 Rf5 25.Bxd6 Rxe1 26.Rxe1 cxd6 27.Re7 Rf7 28.Re8+ Rf8 29.Rxf8+ Kxf8 30.Kc2 Ke7 31.Kd3 Kf6 32.f4 Kf5 33.g3 h5 34.Bc2 Na3 35.Bb3 Nc4 36.Bc2 Na3 37.Bd1 h4 38.Bg4+ Kf6 39.gxh4 Nc4 40.Bf3 Nb6 41.Bg4 Nc4 42.Bc8 a5 43.Bd7 b4 44.cxb4 axb4 45.h5 Nb6 46.Bg4 Nc4 47.Kc2 Ne3+ 48.Kb3 Ng2 49.Kxb4 Nxf4 50.a4 Nd3+ 51.Kb5* 1-0 (51) khvichachess (2651)-spectraline (2543) Blitz 2025*) 14...Qd6 *(14...Nf5 15.0-0 Nce7 16.Bg5 Rf7 17.Rfe1 c6 18.Bc2 Qb6 19.Bxe7 Nxe7 20.Re3 Raf8 21.Rf1 Nf5 22.Bxf5 Rxf5 23.Ne2 Bd6 24.Rb3 Qc7 25.g3 Qf7 26.f4 Re8 27.h4 Rf6 28.Rf2 Rfe6 29.Kg2 R6e7 30.Ng1 h5 31.Qd1 Qg6 32.Nh3 Re3 33.Rxe3 Rxe3 34.Ng5 Be7 35.Nf3 Bd6 36.Ne5 Qxg3+ 37.Kf1 Bxe5 38.dxe5 Qh3+ 39.Rg2 Qh1+ 40.Rg1 Qf3+ 41.Qxf3 Rxf3+ 42.Ke2 Rxf4 43.Kd3 Rf5 44.Kd4 b6 45.e6 Kf8 46.Rg6 Ke7 47.Rxg7+ Kxe6 48.Rb7 Rf4+ 49.Ke3 Rb4 50.b3 Kd6 51.Kf3 Kc5 52.Kg3 Rg4+ 53.Kh3 Re4 54.Rh7 Re5 55.Kg3 d4 56.Kf2 d3 57.Rg7 d2 58.Rg1 Kd4 59.Rg6 d1Q 60.Rd6+ Rd5 61.Re6 Qd2+ 62.Re2 Qxe2+ 63.Kxe2 Ke4* 0-1 (63) Sarana,A (2635)-Csonka,B (2496) chess.com INT 2021 *)* 15.0-0 Raf8 16.Bb3 *(16.Rad1 Rg6 17.Qe2 Qd7 18.Kh1 Nf5 19.Nxd5 Nh4 20.Rg1 Bd6 21.f4 Nf5 22.Bf2 Kh8 23.Qf3 b5 24.Bc2 Nce7 25.Nxe7 Bxe7 26.g4 Nh4 27.Bxh4 Bxh4 28.Bxg6 hxg6 29.g5 Re8 30.Rg4 Re1+ 31.Rxe1 Bxe1 32.Qe4 Bf2 33.d5 Qf7 34.Kg2 Bc5 35.Qe6 Kg8 36.Rh4 Qxe6 37.dxe6 Kf8 38.Rh7 Ke7 39.Rxg7+ Kxe6 40.Rxg6+* 1-0 (40) ertras (2654)-spectraline (2615) Blitz 2023*)* 16...Bxc3 17.bxc3 Rg6 18.Qe2 Nf5 19.Qf3 Nce7 20.Bf4 Nh4 21.Bxd6 Nxf3+ 22.Kh1 cxd6 23.gxf3 Rxf3 24.Kh2 Rh6 25.Rae1 Rfxh3+ 26.Kg2 Kf7 27.Re3 Rh2+ 28.Kg1 Rh1+ 29.Kg2 R6h2+ 30.Kg3 Rxf1 31.Kxh2 Rxf2+ 32.Kg3 Rf6 33.Re1 g5 34.Bc2 h5 35.a4 Ng6 36.Rb1 b5 37.axb5 axb5 38.Rxb5 Nf4 39.Bb3 Ne2+ 40.Kg2 Nxc3 41.Rb7+ Kg6 42.Bc2+ Ne4 43.Bd3 Kf5 44.Rb5 Kf4 45.Rxd5 Rf5 46.Rxf5+ Kxf5 47.Kf3 d5 0-1 (47) Hanskai (2795)-spectraline (2622) Blitz 2023]
12.g4
[12.a3 Ba5

A) 13.Bc2 Bb6 14.Bxh7+ Kh8 15.Bc2 f6 16.g4 Bg6 17.exf6 Rxf6 18.Ng5 Qg8 19.Ne2 Raf8 20.0-0 Nd8 21.Rc1 Ne6 22.h4 Bxc2 23.Rxc2 Ng6 24.h5 Ngf4 25.Nxe6 Qxe6 26.Nxf4 Rxf4 27.Bxf4 Rxf4 28.f3 Rxd4 29.Kg2 Rxd1 30.Rxd1 c5 31.Rdd2 c4 32.Re2 Qd6 33.Re8+ Kh7 34.Rce2 Bc7 35.R2e7 d4 36.h6 Qg3+ 37.Kf1 Qxf3+ 38.Ke1 Bg3+ 39.Kd2 Qd3+ 40.Kc1 Bf4+ 41.Re3 Bxe3+ 0-1 (41) TAAnderson (2709)-zvonokchess (2829) Blitz 2021;

B) 13.b4 Bb6 14.g4 Bg6 15.0-0 f6 16.exf6 *(16.Bb3 Kh8 17.exf6 Rxf6 18.Ne5 Rf8 19.Nxg6+ Nxg6 20.Nxd5 Qh4 21.Kg2 Rad8 22.Rh1 Nxd4 23.Nxb6 Nxb3 24.Qxb3 cxb6 25.Rad1 Rde8 26.Rd4 h6 27.Qc3 Ne5 28.Rd6 b5 29.Rhd1 Nc4 30.Rxh6+* 1-0 (30) German308 (2611)-HorstBrack (2576) Blitz 2022*)* 16...Rxf6 17.Bg5 Re6 18.Bxc6 bxc6 19.Ne5 Qe8 20.f4 h6 21.Bxe7 Qxe7 22.Kg2 Be4+ 23.Nxe4 dxe4 24.Qb3 Kh7 25.Qe3 Rd8 26.Qxe4+ Kg8 27.Rad1 Qd6 28.f5 Ree8 29.f6 Rf8 30.f7+ Kh8 31.Ng6+ 1-0 (31) Ocinitram (2637)-Chessi9 (2607) Blitz 2022;

C) 13.0-0 f6 14.Bxc6 bxc6 15.exf6 Rxf6 16.g4 Bg6 17.b4 Bb6 18.Ne5 a5 19.f4 Qd6 20.Qb3 Rff8 21.f5 Bf7 22.Na4 Rfb8 23.Qc3 Be8 24.Nc5 axb4 25.axb4 Kh8 26.Kg2 Ng8 27.Bf4 Qe7 28.Ne6 Nf6 29.Nxc6 Bxc6 30.Qxc6 Rxa1 31.Rxa1 Qxb4 32.Rf1 Qc4 33.Qxc4 dxc4 34.Be5 Ra8 35.Rc1 Ra4 36.Nxg7 Kxg7 37.g5 Kf7 38.Bxf6 Ba5 39.Be5 c3 40.h4 Ra2+ 41.Kf3 c2 42.Ke3 Ra3+ 43.Ke2 Rh3 44.Rxc2 Rxh4 45.Kd3 Rh3+ 46.Ke4 Rh1 47.Ra2 Bb6 48.Kd5 Rf1 49.f6 Rg1 50.Rh2 Rxg5 51.Rxh7+ Kg8 52.Rd7 Rf5 53.Ke6 Rf2 54.f7+ Kh7 55.f8Q+ Kg6 56.Rg7+ 1-0 (56) LoveNewUniverse (2764)-mocaspoke (2590) Blitz 2021]

[12.Bc2 f6 13.exf6 Rxf6 14.Bxh7+ Kh8 15.g4 Kxh7 16.gxh5 Nf5 17.Qd3 Bxc3+ 18.bxc3 Kg8 19.Ng5 Qe8 20.0-0-0 Qxh5 21.Rhg1 Re8 22.Rg4 Na5 23.Rdg1 Nc4 24.Bf4 Re7 25.Be5 Nxe5 26.dxe5 Rxe5 27.Nf3 Re8 28.Nd4 Qh6+ 29.Kb1 Nxd4 30.Qxd4 c6 31.h4 Rf7 32.h5 Ree7 33.Rg5 Qf6 34.h6 Qxd4 35.cxd4 Kh7 36.hxg7 Rxg7 37.Rh5+ Kg8 38.Rgh1 Rh7 39.Rg5+ Reg7 40.Rhg1 Rxg5 41.Rxg5+ Rg7 42.Re5 Kf7 43.Kc2 Kf6 44.Re8 Re7 45.Kc3 Rxe8 0-1 (45) CrazySage (2762)-zvonokchess (2834) Blitz 2022]

[12.0-0 f6 *(12...Nf5 13.g4 Nxe3 14.fxe3 Bg6 15.Rc1 Ne7 16.Bc2 c6 17.Ne2 Qd7 18.Nf4 Rae8 19.a3 Ba5 20.b4 Bc7 21.Nh4 Bxc2 22.Qxc2 f6 23.e6 Qc8 24.Nf5 Bxf4 25.exf4 Qxe6 26.Rce1 Qd7 27.Nxe7+ Rxe7 28.Rxe7 Qxe7 29.Qc5 Re8 30.Qxe7 Rxe7 31.f5 Re3 32.a4 Rb3 33.b5 axb5 34.axb5 Rxb5 35.Re1 Kf7 36.Re6 Rb4 37.Rd6 Ke7 38.Re6+ Kd7 39.Kg2 Rxd4 40.Kg3 b5 41.h4 b4 42.g5 fxg5 43.hxg5 b3 44.Re2 c5 45.f6 gxf6 46.gxf6 Re4 47.Rh2 Ke6 48.Rxh7 Kxf6* 0-1 (48) AfricanJo (2630)-TheDayThatNeverCome

(2614) Blitz 2023) 13.exf6 Rxf6 14.g4 Bg6 15.Ne5 (*15.Bg5 Re6 16.Nxd5 Qxd5 17.Bb3 Qd6 18.a3 Ba5 19.d5 Bb6 20.dxc6 Qg3+ 21.Kh1 Qxh3+ 22.Nh2 Bxf2 23.Bxe6+ Kh8 24.Qf3* 1-0 (24) AfricanJo (2657)-Fightbro (2636) Blitz 2023) 15...Nxe5 16.dxe5 Rf8 17.f4 Bxc3 18.bxc3 Be4 19.f5 Nc6 20.Bxc6 bxc6 21.e6 Qh4 22.Kh2 Rab8 23.Rf2 Qe7 24.Qd4 Rb5 25.Raf1 c5 26.Qe5 Bd3 27.Rd1 c4 28.Bd4 c5 29.Be3 d4 30.Bf4 Ra5 31.Re1 dxc3 32.Qxc3 Rb5 33.Be5 Qb7 34.Bd6 Re8 35.e7 Rb1 36.Qe5 Rxe1 37.Qxe1 Qd7 38.Qe6+ Qxe6 39.fxe6 1-0 (39) tacticsman23 (2721)-alfredogto (2638) Blitz 2024]

12...Bg6 13.Nh4

[13.h4 f6 (*13...h5 14.Ng5 hxg4 15.Qxg4 Qc8 16.Qg2 Bh5 17.Rg1 Ng6 18.Bd1 Bxc3+ 19.bxc3 Bxd1 20.Kxd1 Qf5 21.h5 Nf4 22.Bxf4 Qxf4 23.Ne6 Qh6 24.Nxf8 Kxf8 25.Qg5 Qh7 26.Kd2 Na5 27.Rae1 Nc4+ 28.Kc1 Qd3 29.Qxg7+ Ke7 30.Qf6+ Kd7 31.Qxf7+ Kc6 32.Qg6+* 1-0 (32) QuennCris1188 (2648)-alfredogto (2593) Blitz 2024) 14.exf6 Rxf6 15.Ne5 Be4 16.Rg1 Nxe5 17.dxe5 Rf3 18.Bb3 Nc6 19.Ke2 Bxc3 20.bxc3 Nxe5 21.Qd4 Bd3+ 22.Kd2 Rxf2+ 23.Bxf2 Nf3+ 24.Kxd3 Nxd4 25.Bxd4 b6 26.Bf2 c5 27.Kd2 Kh8 28.Rae1 b5 29.Bxc5 Qxh4 30.Bd4 h6 31.Bxd5 Rd8 32.Be4 Qf2+ 33.Kd3 Qxa2 34.g5 h5 35.Rh1 Qc4+ 36.Ke3 Re8 37.Rxh5+ Kg8 38.Reh1 Rxe4+ 39.Kxe4 Qe6+ 40.Kf4 Qd6+ 41.Kf5 g6+ 42.Kg4 gxh5+ 43.Rxh5 Qe6+ 44.Kf4 Qf7+ 45.Kg4 Qe6+ 46.Kf4 Qd6+ 47.Kg4 Qd7+ 48.Kf4 Qc7+ 49.Kg4 Qc4 50.g6 Qe6+ 51.Kg5 Qe7+ 52.Kg4 Qe2+ 53.Kg5 Qg2+ 54.Kf5 Qd5+ 55.Kg4 Qe6+ 56.Kg5 Qe7+ 57.Kg4 Qe2+ 58.Kg5 Qd2+ 59.Kf5 Qc2+ 60.Kg5 Qg2+ 61.Kf5 Qd5+ 62.Kg4 Qe6+ ½-½ (62) JelenaZ (2669)-zvonokchess (2845) Blitz 2022]

13...f6

[13...b5 14.Bb3 Nxd4 15.Qxd4 c5 16.Qf4 d4 17.Rd1 Qc7 18.0-0 dxe3 19.Qxe3 c4 20.Nxg6 Nxg6 21.Nd5 Qxe5 22.Qxe5 Nxe5 23.Nxb4 cxb3 24.axb3 Rfc8 25.f4 Nc6 26.Nd5 Rd8 27.Nc7 Ra7 28.Rxd8+ Nxd8 29.Rd1 Ne6 30.Nxe6 fxe6 31.Rd6 Kf7 32.b4 Rc7 33.Rxa6 Rc4 34.Ra7+ Kf8 35.Ra8+ Kf7 36.Ra7+ Kf8 37.Ra8+ ½-½ (37) Aronian,L (2782)-Nihal,S (2650) Kolkata IND 2021]

14.exf6 Rxf6 15.0-0 Qd6

[15...Bxc3 16.bxc3 b5 17.Bb3 Na5 18.Bg5 Re6 19.Re1 Qd7 20.Rxe6 Qxe6 21.Qe1 Qxe1+ 22.Rxe1 Nxb3 23.axb3 Nc6 24.Nxg6 hxg6 25.Re6 Na5 26.b4 Nc4 27.Rxg6 a5 28.bxa5 Rxa5 29.Rc6 Ra3 30.Rc5 c6 31.Rxc6 Rxc3 32.Rc5 Rxh3 33.Rxb5 Rd3 34.Rxd5 Kf7 35.Kg2 Ke6 36.Rd8 Nd6 37.Bf4 Ne4 38.Be3 Nf6 39.Kf3 Rd1 40.g5 Nd5 41.Rg8 Kf7 42.Rd8 Ne7 43.Ke4 g6 44.d5 Nf5 45.Rd7+ Ke8 46.Ra7 Nd6+ 47.Ke5 Nf7+ 48.Ke6 Nd8+ 49.Ke5 Nf7+ 50.Kf6 Nd8 51.Kxg6 Rxd5 52.f4 Rd6+ 53.Kh5 Ne6 54.f5 Nf8 55.g6 Rd3 56.g7 Rxe3 57.Ra8+ Kd7 58.gxf8Q Rh3+ 59.Kg4 1-0 (59) JelenaZ (2611)-Betomarcico (2646) Blitz 2022]

16.Bb3 Raf8 17.Nxg6 Rxg6 18.Ne4 Qd7 19.a3 Kh8 20.Ng3 Bd6 21.f4 Re6 22.Qd3 Na5 23.Bc2 g6 24.f5

gxf5 25.Nxf5 Nxf5 26.Rxf5 Nc4 27.Bg5 Re4 28.Rxf8+ Bxf8 29.Qf3 Re8 30.b3 Nd6 31.Qxd5 Bg7 32.Rf1 Qc6 33.Qxc6 Bxd4+ 34.Kh1 bxc6 35.Bh6 Bg7 36.Bxg7+ Kxg7 37.Bd3 Re3 38.Bxa6 Rxh3+ 39.Kg2 Rxb3 40.Ra1 Rb6 41.Be2 c5 42.a4 c4 43.a5 Ra6 44.Kf3 Nb7 45.Rb1 Nxa5 46.Kg3 Re6 47.Bf3 Nb3 48.Rb2 Re3 49.Kf4 Rd3 50.Be4 Rd2 51.Rb1 Nc5 52.Bf5 c3 53.Rc1 Nd3+ 54.Bxd3 Rxd3 55.Ke4 Rg3 56.Kf4 Rd3 57.Rc2 Rd4+ 58.Kf3 Rc4 59.Ke3 Rc6 60.Kd3 Kg6 61.Re2 Rd6+ 62.Kxc3 Rc6+ 63.Kd4 Rd6+ 64.Ke5 Rf6 65.Rh2 Rf7 66.Rh5 Kg7 67.Rg5+ Kf8 68.Rh5 Rg7 69.Kf4 Kg8 70.Rd5 Rf7+ 71.Kg5 Rg7+ 72.Kh5 Kf7 73.Rd7+ Kg8 74.Rd5 Rf7 75.Rf5 Kg7 76.Rg5+ Kf8 77.Re5

1-0 (77) Alexander_Zubov (2976)-pozvonochek (2801) Blitz 2021

9.0-0 dxe4

[9...Bxc3 10.bxc3

A) 10...0-0

A1) 11.e5 Bg4 12.h3 Bh5 13.Ba3 *(13.Bc2 h6 14.Qd3 Bg6 15.Qe2 Qd7 16.Nh4 Bxc2 17.Qxc2 Na5 18.Ba3 Rfe8 19.Bxe7 Qxe7 20.Nf5 Qd7 21.Ne3 Nc6 22.f4 f6 23.Rf3 Rad8 24.exf6 Kh8 25.Qg6 Rg8 26.Nf5 Rdf8 27.fxg7+ Rxg7 28.Qxh6+ Kg8 29.Qxg7+ Qxg7 30.Nxg7 Kxg7 31.Re1 Kf6 32.g4 Rh8 33.Kg2 b5 34.g5+ Kf5 35.Re5+ Nxe5 36.fxe5+ Kxg5 37.Rf6 Ra8 38.Rc6 Kf4 39.Rxc7 Rg8+ 40.Kf2 Rh8 41.Rf7+ Ke4 42.Rf3 a5 43.e6 Re8 44.e7 b4 45.Re3+ Kf5 46.cxb4 axb4 47.Kf3 Kf6 48.Kf4 Kg6 49.Re6+ Kf7 50.Ke5 Kg7 51.Kd6 Kf7 52.Re5 Kf6 53.Kd7 Ra8 54.e8Q Ra7+ 55.Kc6 Ra6+ 56.Kb5 b3 57.Qe7+ Kg6 58.Rg5+*

1-0 (58) nobodybelive (2627)-Calzonesdesuperman (2625) Blitz 2023) 13...b5 14.Bc2 Re8 15.Qd2 Bxf3 16.gxf3 Ng6 17.Kh2 Na5 18.Bc1 h6 19.Rg1 Kh7 20.Qd3 Qh4 21.Be3 Nc4 22.Rg4 Qh5 23.Rag1 Nxe3 24.fxe3 Kh8 25.f4 Rg8 26.f5 Nf8 27.Qf1 Nd7 28.R1g2 Raf8 29.Qf4 g5 30.Qg3 f6 31.e6 Nb6 32.Qxc7 Nc4 33.Qg3 Qe8 34.Qf2 Qe7 35.e4 Qc7+ 36.Qg3 Qxg3+ 37.R4xg3 dxe4 38.Bxe4 Nd6 39.Bd3 Rc8 40.Rc2 Rge8 41.Re3 Rc7 42.d5 Kg7 43.Kg3 Rec8 44.e7 Kf7 45.Re6 Rd7 46.Rce2 Re8 47.R2e3 Nc8 48.d6 Rxd6 49.c4 b4 50.c5 Rxe6 51.Bc4 R8xe7 52.Bxe6+ Kf8 53.Kf3 Na7 54.Rd3 Nc6 55.Ke4 Rc7 56.Rd6 Ke7 57.Kd5 a5 58.Rxc6 Ra7 59.Rd6 a4 60.c6 Ra5+ 61.Kc4 Kxd6 62.Bd7 Rc5+ 63.Kxb4 Rxc6 64.Kxa4 Rc7 65.Be6 Ra7+ 66.Kb3 Re7 67.Kb4 Rxe6 68.Kc3 Re5 69.Kd4 Ra5 70.a4 Rxf5 71.Kc3 Ra5 72.Kb4 Rf5 73.a5 Rf4+ 74.Kb5 Rf5+ 75.Kb6 Rxa5 76.Kb7 g4 77.Kc8 g3 78.Kd8 g2 79.Ke8 g1Q 80.Kf7

1-0 (80) Elbece (2693)-Calzonesdesuperman (2567) Blitz 2023;

A2) 11.Re1 Bg4 12.h3 Bh5 13.e5 f6 14.exf6 Rxf6 15.g4 b5 16.Bg5 Rf7 17.Bc2 Bg6 18.Bxg6 hxg6 19.Qd3 Qd6 20.Bh4 Rff8 21.Re3 Nc8

22.Rae1 Nb6 23.Re6 Qf4 24.Kg2 Na5 25.Bg3 Qf7 26.Ng5 Qd7 27.Qxg6 1-0 (27) ILikeBlitz (2828)-Alfredo2345 (2603) Blitz 2025;

B) 10...dxe4 11.Ng5 *(11.Nd2 f5 12.Ba3 Be6 13.Rb1 b5 14.Bb3 Bxb3 15.Nxb3 0-0 16.Nc5 Qd5 17.Qb3 Rfd8 18.Ne6 Qxb3 19.axb3 Rd7 20.f3 exf3 21.Rxf3 b4 22.Bxb4 Nxb4 23.cxb4 g6 24.Rc1 Nd5 25.Rc6 Nxb4 26.Rxc7 Rd6 27.Ng5 h6 28.Nf7 Rxd4 29.Nxh6+ Kf8 30.Rg3 Rd6 31.Rf7+ Ke8 32.Re3+ Kd8 33.Rf8+* 1-0 (33) thewitcher2022 (2687)-Shramov,I (2482) Blitz 2024 *)*

B1) 11...0-0 12.Nxe4 *(12.Bb3 h6 13.Nxe4 Nd5 14.Qf3 Be6 15.Nc5 Qf6 16.Bxd5* 1-0 (16) JimHacker (2658)-spectraline (2578) Blitz 2023*)* 12...Bf5 *(12...Nd5 13.Bg5 Nxc3 14.Qd3 Qxd4 15.Qxc3 Qxa4 16.Nf6+ gxf6 17.Bxf6 Bf5 18.Rae1 Rfe8 19.Bh8 Qg4 20.Re3 Rxe3 21.fxe3 Be4 22.Rf2 Rd8 23.h3 Qg3* 0-1 (23) SF-46 (2791)-pozvonochek (2870) Blitz 2023 *)*

B1a) 13.Ng3 Bg6 14.Ba3 *(14.Re1 Nd5 15.Bd2 b5 16.Bb3 Na5 17.Qf3 Nc4 18.Bxc4 bxc4 19.Ne4 Rb8 20.Nc5 Rb2 21.Bf4 Rc2 22.Rec1 Rxc1+ 23.Rxc1 c6 24.Bd2 Qa5 25.a4 h6 26.Qe2 Bd3 27.Nxd3 cxd3 28.Qxd3 Qxa4 29.c4 Nf6 30.Qc2 Qxc2 31.Rxc2 Rb8 32.f3 Rb1+ 33.Kf2 Ra1 34.d5 c5 35.Be3 Nd7 36.Rb2 Ra4 37.d6 Kf8 38.Rb7 Ke8 39.Rc7 f6 40.Bxc5 Rxc4 41.Be3 Rb4 42.Ra7 Ra4 43.f4 f5 44.h3 g6 45.g4 a5 46.gxf5 gxf5 47.Kf3 Ra3 48.Ke2 Ra2+ 49.Kd3 Ra3+ 50.Kd4 Ra4+ 51.Kd5 Ra3 52.Bd4 Rd3 53.Kc4 Rd1 54.Rxa5 Kf7 55.Rxf5+ Ke6 56.Rh5 Kxd6 57.Rxh6+ Ke7 58.h4 Rc1+ 59.Kd5 Rd1 60.Ke4 Re1+ 61.Kf5 Rd1 62.Be5 Nxe5 63.Kxe5 Kf7 64.Kf5 Kg7 65.Re6 Rd5+ 66.Re5 Rd1 67.Re7+ Kh6 68.Kf6 Rd6+ 69.Re6 Rd5 70.f5 Kh5 71.Re5 Rd6+ 72.Ke7 Ra6 73.f6+ Kg6 74.Rg5+ Kh6 75.f7 Ra7+ 76.Ke6 Ra6+ 77.Kf5 Ra7 78.Kf6 Ra6+ 79.Ke5 Ra7 80.Rf5* 1-0 (80) yesview (2680)-zvonokchess (2887) Blitz 2023 *)* 14...b5 15.Bb3 Re8 16.Re1 Na5 17.Qf3 Nxb3 18.axb3 Rc8 19.h4 h6 20.h5 Bh7 21.Ra2 Nc6 22.Rxe8+ Qxe8 23.Re2 Qd7 24.d5 b4 25.dxc6 Qd1+ 26.Nf1 bxa3 27.Re8+ Rxe8 28.Qxd1 a2 29.Qa1 Bb1 30.Ne3 f5 31.Nd5 a5 32.Nxc7 Rc8 33.Nb5 Rxc6 34.c4 Re6 35.Nc3 Re1+ 36.Kh2 f4 37.Nxa2 f3 38.gxf3 1-0 (38) satlan (2728)-KKlie4 (2801) Blitz 2023;

B1b) 13.Re1

B1b1) 13...Nd5 14.Qf3 *(14.Bd2 b5 15.Bc2 Na5 16.Bg5 Qd7 17.Qf3 Bg6 18.h4 Rae8 19.h5 Bxe4 20.Bxe4 c6 21.h6 f5*

22.hxg7 Kxg7 23.Bxd5 Qxd5 24.Qh5 Re6 25.Re3 Rxe3 26.Bh6+ Kh8 27.Qg5 Rf7 28.Qxe3 Qd6 29.Qg5 Qg6 30.Qd8+ Qg8 31.Qxa5 Qg6 32.Qd8+ Qg8 33.Qg5 Qxg5 34.Bxg5 Kg8 35.Bf4 Rg7 36.Be5 Re7 37.a4 Re8 38.axb5 axb5 39.Ra6 Kf7 40.Rxc6 Ra8 41.Rc7+ Ke6 42.Rxh7 Ra1+ 43.Kh2 Rc1 44.Rh6+ Kd5 0-1 (44) khvichachess (2634)-slouuuurps (2687) Blitz 2025*)* 14...Bg6 15.Bd2 *(15.Bb3 Bxe4 16.Rxe4 Na5 17.Re5 Nxb3 18.Rxd5 Qe8 19.Re5 Qa4 20.Qd1 Nc5 21.Qe2 Nb3 22.Qd1 Nc5 23.Be3 Qxd1+ 24.Rxd1 Na4 25.c4 Nb2 26.Rb1 Nxc4 27.Rc5 Nd6 28.Rxc7 Rac8 29.Rd7 Rfd8 30.Rxd8+ Rxd8 31.Kf1 b5 32.Bf4 Nc4 33.Rd1 f6 34.g4 Kf7 35.d5 g5 36.Bg3 a5 37.Ke2 a4 38.d6 Ke6 39.Rb1 Na3 40.Rb2 Kd7 41.f4 Kc6 42.fxg5 fxg5 43.Kf3 Nc4 44.Rc2 Kd5 45.Rc1 b4 46.Rd1+ Kc6 47.Rc1 Kb5 48.Rd1 b3 49.axb3 axb3 50.Rb1 b2 51.Ke2 Kb4 52.Kd3 Kb3 53.h4 gxh4 54.Bxh4 Rxd6+ 55.Ke4 Nd2+ 56.Ke5 Nxb1 57.Kxd6 Nc3 58.Ke5 b1Q 59.Kf6 Qe4 60.Kg5 Nd5 61.Kh6 Qxg4 62.Bg5 Nf4 63.Bf6 Qg6#* 0-1 (63) SF-46 (2788)-pozvonochek (2872) Blitz 2023*)* 15...Na5 16.Nc5 *(16.Bb3 Nxb3 17.axb3 b5 18.Nc5 a5 19.c4 bxc4 20.bxc4 Nb6 21.Qc3 a4 22.d5 Qh4 23.f4 Rfe8 24.Be3 h6 25.g3 Qg4 26.Bd4 Bf5 27.Nd3 Qf3 28.Ne5 Qxc3 29.Bxc3 f6 30.Nc6 Kf7 31.Rxe8 Rxe8 32.Ba5 Nxc4 33.Rxa4 Ne3 34.Bxc7 Nxd5 35.Ra7 Kg6 36.Ba5 Re2 37.Nd4 Ra2 38.Bb6 Rxa7 39.Bxa7 h5 40.Kf2 Be4 41.Ne2 Kf5 42.Bd4 g5 43.fxg5 fxg5 44.Nc3 Nc7 45.Bb6 Ne6 46.Ba5 Bc6 47.Bb6 g4 48.Nd1 Ng5 49.Ne3+ Kg6 50.Ng2 Nf3 51.Nh4+ Nxh4 52.gxh4 Kf5 53.Kg3 Ke4 54.Bd8 Ke3 55.Bg5+ Ke2 56.Bf6 Be8 57.Bg5 Kd3 58.Bf6 Ke4 59.Bg5 Kf5 60.Bd8 Ke6 61.Bg5 Ke5 62.Bf4+ Kd5 63.Bg5 Ke4 64.Bf4 Kf5 65.Bg5 Ke6 66.Bf4 Kf5 67.Bg5 Ke4 68.Bf4 Bd7 69.Bg5 Bc6 70.Bf4 Bd5 71.Bg5 Be6 72.Bf4 Bd5 73.Bg5 Be6 74.Bf4 Bd5 ½-½* (74) Elbece (2704)-gmmitkov (2656) Blitz 2023*)* 16...c6 17.Bb3 b6 18.Ne4 Nxb3 19.axb3 a5 20.c4 Nb4 21.Bxb4 axb4 22.Rxa8 Qxa8 23.h4 Re8 24.h5 Bxe4 25.Rxe4 h6 26.Rxe8+ Qxe8 27.d5 Qe1+ 28.Kh2 Qe5+ 29.g3 cxd5 30.cxd5 Kf8 31.Kg2 Ke7 32.g4 b5 33.Kh3 Qc3

34.Qg3 Qxg3+ 35.Kxg3 Kd6 36.Kf4 Kxd5 37.Ke3 f5 38.gxf5 Ke5 39.f4+ Kxf5 40.Kf3 g6 0-1 (40) SF-46 (2801)-zvonokchess (2878) Blitz 2024;

B1b2) 13...b5 14.Bc2 Bg6 15.h4 h6 16.h5 Bh7 17.Bxh6 f5 *(17...Nd5 18.Bg5 Qc8 19.h6 f6 20.hxg7 Kxg7 21.Bd2 Bg6 22.Ng3 Rh8 23.Bxg6 Kxg6 24.Qf3 Nce7 25.Re4 Kf7 26.Rae1 Qg8 27.Nf5 Qh7 28.Rxe7+ Nxe7 29.Rxe7+ Kf8 30.Rxh7 Rxh7* 1-0 (30) testingforsummer (2660)-Calzonesdesuperman (2651) Blitz 2023*)* 18.Bb3+ Kh8 19.Ng5 gxh6 20.Ne6 Qd6 21.Nxf8 Rxf8 22.Re6 Qf4 23.Qe2 Bg8 24.Rxe7 Nxe7 25.Qxe7 Rb8 26.Qf6+ Kh7 27.Re1 1-0 (27) sf-46 (2809)-alfredogto (2609) Blitz 2024;

B2) 11...Bf5 12.Re1 *(12.f3 exf3 13.Qxf3 0-0 14.Ba3 h6 15.Bxc6 bxc6 16.Rae1* 1-0 (16) zorrita (2629)-Pusher_2005 (2598) Blitz 2024*)* 12...0-0 *(12...Qd5 13.Bb3 Qa5 14.Bxf7+ Kf8 15.Bb3 Rd8 16.Qh5 Bg6 17.Ne6+ Ke8 18.Nxg7+ Kf8 19.Qh6* 1-0 (19) ILikeBlitz (2855)-MirandelaOpen (2309) Blitz 2024 *)* 13.Ba3 Nd5 *(13...b5 14.Bb3 h6 15.Nxe4 Bxe4 16.Rxe4 Re8 17.Qh5 g6 18.Qxh6 b4 19.Rh4 bxa3* 1-0 (19) IMFAR (2754)-solxe (2559) Blitz 2023*)* 14.Bxc6 bxc6 15.Bxf8 Qxg5 16.Bc5 Nf4 17.g3 Nh3+ 18.Kf1 Bg4 19.Qc1 Qd5 20.c4 Qf5 21.Qe3 Bf3 22.Reb1 h6 23.Rb3 Ng5 24.Ke1 Rd8 25.Rab1 Kh7 26.Rb8 Rd7 27.h4 Ne6 28.Ba7 c5 29.d5 Nd4 30.Qf4 Qg6 31.Bxc5 e3 32.Bxd4 Re7 33.Qxf3 exf2+ 34.Kxf2 Qc2+ 35.Kg1 Re2 36.Rf1 f5 37.Qxf5+ Qxf5 38.Rxf5 Re4 39.Bb2 Kg6 40.Rf4 Re2 41.Rd8 Rxb2 42.d6 cxd6 43.Rxd6+ Kh5 44.Rd5+ g5 45.hxg5 hxg5 46.Rff5 Kg4 47.Rxg5+ Kf3 48.Rdf5+ Ke4 49.c5 Rxa2 50.Rf4+ Ke3 51.Re5+ Kd3 52.Rf2 Ra1+ 53.Kg2 Ra4 54.Rf3+ Kd2 55.Rd5+ Ke2 56.Rf4 Ra2 57.Re5+ Kd1+ 58.Rf2 Ra4 59.Rh5 Re4 60.Rh1+ Re1 61.Rff1 Ke2 62.Rxe1+ Kd3 63.Ra1 Kc4 64.Rxa6 Kd5 65.Raa1 Kc6 66.Rad1 Kxc5 67.Rde1 Kb6 68.Re2 Kc6 69.Rf2 Kd5 70.Rf4 Ke5 71.Kf3 Ke6 72.Rhh4 Ke5 73.Rhg4 Ke6 74.Rg5 Ke7 75.Ke4 Ke6 76.Rff5 Ke7 77.Kf4 Ke6 78.Kg4 Ke7 79.Kh5 Ke6 ½-½ (79) IMFAR (2864)-arystanner23 (2856) Blitz 2022]

[9...0-0

A) 10.Bxc6 bxc6

A1) 11.Ne5 f6 12.Nd3 Bxc3 13.bxc3 dxe4 14.Nc5 Qd5 15.Ba3 *(15.Qe2 f5 16.f3 Re8 17.fxe4 fxe4 18.Bb2 Bf5 19.c4 Qd6 20.Rae1 Bg6 21.Qg4 Rab8 22.Bc3 Nc8 23.Nd7 Rb7 24.Ne5 Nb6 25.c5 Qe6*

26.Qxe6+ Rxe6 27.cxb6 cxb6 28.Bb4 c5 29.dxc5 Rxe5 30.c6 Rb8 31.Bd6 Ree8 32.Bxb8 Rxb8 33.c7 Rc8 34.Rd1 h5 35.Rd8+ 1-0 (35) Naroditsky,D (2619)-Dilanyan,G (2191) chess.com INT 2024*)* 15...Re8 16.Rc1 Qxa2 17.Qa4 Qd5 18.Rfd1 a5 19.c4 Qf5 20.Re1 Ng6 21.Qxc6 Be6 22.Rxe4 Bf7 23.Rxe8+ Rxe8 24.d5 Nf4 25.Rf1 Qg4 26.g3 Ne2+ 27.Kg2 Qxc4 28.Rd1 Nc3 29.Rd2 Bxd5+ 0-1 (29) kazaks12 (2674)-MihailRodin (2617) Blitz 2022;

A2) 11.exd5 cxd5 12.h3 Bd6 13.Ne5 f6 14.Nd3 Bf5 15.Re1 Re8 16.Bf4 Rb8 17.b3 c6 18.Rc1 Bxd3 19.Bxd6 Qxd6 20.Qxd3 a5 21.Qa6 Qb4 22.Qd3 Ng6 23.g3 Re7 24.Rxe7 Nxe7 25.Qe3 Kf7 26.Ne2 Qd6 27.Nf4 Ng6 28.Nd3 Re8 29.Qd2 h5 30.Qxa5 h4 31.Qc5 Qb8 32.Qxc6 hxg3 33.Qc7+ Kg8 34.Qxb8 gxf2+ 35.Kxf2 Rxb8 36.Nc5 Ne7 37.a4 Nf5 38.a5 Nxd4 39.a6 Nb5 40.Ra1 Ra8 41.Ra5 Nc7 42.b4 Rb8 43.Nd3 Rb5 44.Rxb5 Nxb5 45.Nf4 Nc7 46.a7 d4 47.Ne6 Na8 48.Nxd4 Kf7 49.Kf3 Ke8 50.Ne6 g6 51.Nf4 Kf7 52.b5 g5 53.Nd5 Ke6 54.b6 Kxd5 55.b7 Kc6 56.bxa8Q+ Kc7 57.Qb8+ Kd7 58.a8Q Ke6 59.Qc6+ Kf7 60.Qbe8+ Kg7 61.Qcd7+ Kh6 62.Qf5 Kg7 63.Qfg6# 1-0 (63) Andreikin,D (2724)-Aradhya,G (2236) chess.com INT 2022;

B) 10.Bg5 f6 11.Bf4 *(11.exd5 fxg5 12.dxc6 Nxc6 13.Bxc6 Bxc3 14.Qb3+ Kh8 15.bxc3 bxc6 16.Ne5 Qf6 17.Rae1 Be6 18.Qa4 c5 19.dxc5 Rae8 20.Qc6 Bxa2 21.Qxc7 Bc4 22.Ng4 Qg6 23.Rxe8 Rxe8 24.Rd1 Be2 25.Ne5 Qe6* 0-1 (25) Egor-Kovalev (2623)-spectraline (2490) Blitz 2024 *)* 11...dxe4 12.Nxe4 Nd5 13.Bg3 Bf5 14.Bxc6 bxc6 15.Nc5 Re8 16.Rc1 Bg4 17.h3 Bh5 18.Qd3 Bg6 19.Qc4 Bf7 20.Qc2 Qe7 21.a3 Bxc5 22.Qxc5 Qxc5 23.Rxc5 Re6 24.Rfc1 Be8 25.Kf1 g5 26.Nd2 Rb8 27.b4 Rb5 28.Nb3 h5 29.R5c2 h4 30.Bh2 Re7 31.Re2 Rxe2 32.Kxe2 Bh5+ 33.Kd2 Be8 34.Na5 Rb6 35.Nb3 Kf7 36.Rc5 Rb5 37.Rc1 Ke6 38.Nc5+ Ke7 39.Nxa6 Kd8 40.Nc5 Bd7 41.Nb3 Be8 42.Na5 Ne7 43.Re1 Rf5 44.f3 Nd5 45.Re6 Bd7 46.Nxc6+ Bxc6 47.Rxc6 Kd7 48.Rc5 Nf4 49.Rxf5 Ke6 50.Rxf4 gxf4 51.Bxf4 c6 52.a4 Kd5 53.Kd3 f5 54.a5 c5 55.dxc5 Kc6 56.Kc4 Kb7 57.b5 Ka8 58.Kd5 Kb7 59.Ke5 Kc8 60.Kxf5 Kb7 61.Kg5 Ka8 62.Kxh4 Kb7 63.Kg5 Kc8 64.h4 Kd7 65.a6 Ke6 66.a7 Kd5 67.a8Q+ Kc4 68.Qc6 Kc3 69.b6 Kd3 70.b7 Ke2 71.Qd7 Kf1 72.c6 Kf2 73.g4 Kg1 74.h5 Kg2 75.Kf5 Kg1 76.g5 Kg2 77.Be5 Kf2 78.f4 Kf1 79.g6 Kf2 80.h6 Kf1 81.Kf6 Kf2 82.f5 Kf1 83.Ke6 Kf2 84.f6 Kf1 85.f7 Kf2 86.g7 Ke1 87.h7 Ke2 88.c7 Ke1 89.b8Q Ke2 90.c8Q Ke1 91.f8Q Ke2 92.Qc2+ Ke3 93.Qd4# 1-0 (93) SF-46 (2767)-VipPlayer3000 (2612) Blitz 2024] 10.Nxe4 0-0

[10...Bg4 11.a3 Bd6 12.h3 Bh5 13.d5 Nxd5 14.Nxd6+ Qxd6 15.Re1+ Nde7 16.Qxd6 cxd6 17.Bf4 0-0-0 18.Rad1 Bxf3 19.gxf3 Nf5 20.Rd5 g6 21.Rc1 Kc7 22.b4 b5 23.Bc2 Nfe7 24.Rd2 Rd7 25.Be4 Rc8 26.Rdc2 Kb6 27.Bg5 f5 28.Bxe7 fxe4 29.Bg5 exf3 30.Be3+ Kb7 31.Kh2 d5 32.Kg3 d4 33.Bg5 d3 34.Rd2 Ne5 35.Rxc8 Kxc8 36.Bf4 Nc4 37.Rd1 Nb2 38.Rd2 Nc4 39.Rd1 Nxa3 40.Kxf3 Nc2 41.Bd2 Kc7 42.Ke4 Kc6 43.Bc3 Na3 44.Rxd3 Rxd3 45.Kxd3 Kd5 46.Bg7 Nc4 47.Bf8 Nd6 48.h4 Nf5 49.h5 gxh5 50.Ke2 Ke4 51.f3+ Kf4 52.Bc5 h4 53.Kf2 h3 54.Bf8 h5 55.Kg1 Kxf3 56.Kh2 Kg4 57.Bc5 Nh4 58.Kg1 Nf3+ 59.Kh1 h4 60.Bd6 Kf5 61.Be7 Ke4 62.Bd6 Kd3 63.Bf8 Kc4 64.Be7 Kb3 65.Bd6 h2 66.Be7 h3 67.Bd6 Ka4 68.Be7 a5 69.bxa5 Kxa5 70.Bd6 Ka4 71.Be7 Kb3 72.Bd6 Kc4 73.Be7 Ne5 74.Bf8 Ng6 75.Kxh2 Nxf8 76.Kxh3 Ne6 77.Kg2 b4 78.Kf1 b3 79.Ke1 b2 80.Kd2 b1Q 81.Ke3 Qd3+ 0-1 (81) IMFAR (2831)-ikica77 (2745) Blitz 2022]

[10...Nd5 11.Ne5 Bd7 12.Nxc6 bxc6 13.a3 Ba5 14.Nc5 0-0 15.b4 Bb6 16.Bc2 Bxc5 17.dxc5 Qf6 18.Qd3 g6 19.Bd2 Bf5 20.Qb3 Bxc2 21.Qxc2 Rfe8 22.Rae1 h5 23.Qd3 h4 24.h3 Kh7 25.Rxe8 Rxe8 26.Qxa6 Qd4 27.Qxc6 Re2 28.Bg5 f6 29.Qd7+ Re7 30.Bxf6 Qe4 31.Bxe7 1-0 (31) Ac1000 (2607)-Nebonik (2488) Blitz 2024]

11.a3

[11.h3

A) 11...Bf5 12.Ng3 Bg6 13.Bb3 *(13.a3 Bd6 14.d5 Bxg3 15.dxc6 Qxd1 16.Rxd1 Bd6 17.cxb7 Rab8 18.Bg5 Rxb7 19.b4 h6 20.Bd2 Rbb8 21.Rac1 Rfd8 22.Be3 Ra8 23.Bc5 Be4 24.Bxd6 cxd6 25.Nd4 Ng6 26.f3 Bd5 27.Nf5 Be6 28.Nxd6 Nf4 29.Kh2 Nd5 30.Nb7 Rdb8 31.Nc5 Ne3 32.Re1 Nd5 33.Nxe6 fxe6 34.Rxe6 Nf4 35.Re7 Rd8 36.Rcc7 g5 37.Bb3+ Kf8 38.Rf7+ 1-0 (38) Navara,D (2665)-Schneider,I (2414) Skopje MKD 2024)* 13...Qd6 *(13...Bd6 14.d5 Nb4 15.a3 Bxg3 16.axb4 Bd6 17.Bd2 Bh5 18.g4 Bg6 19.Bc3 Qd7 20.Ne5 Bxe5 21.Bxe5 Rad8 22.Qd4 Nc6 23.dxc6 Qxd4 24.Bxd4 Rxd4 25.cxb7 Be4 26.Rxa6 Rxb4 27.Ra4 Rxb7 28.Rxe4 Rxb3 29.Rc1 Rxb2 30.Rxc7 g6 31.Kg2 Kg7 32.Kg3 Rb3+ 33.f3 Rb6 34.h4 Rd8 35.Rf4 Rf6 36.Rxf6 Kxf6 37.Kf4 h6 38.g5+ hxg5+ 39.hxg5+ Kg7 40.Ke5 Rd1 41.f4 Re1+ 42.Kd4 Kf8 43.Ra7 Re2 44.Kd3 Re7 45.Ra8+ Kg7 46.Kd4 Re1 47.Ra7 Kf8 48.Kd3 Ke8 49.Kd4 Re2 50.Kd5 Re3 51.Ra8+ Ke7 52.Ra7+ Kf8 53.Ra8+ Kg7 54.Ra7 Re1 55.Rb7 Rd1+ 56.Ke4 Re1+ 57.Kd4 Re6 58.Rc7 Re8 59.Rb7 Rd8+ 60.Ke5 Re8+ 61.Kd5 Kf8 62.Rb6 Ke7 63.Ke5 Ra8 64.Rb7+ Kf8 65.Rb5 Ra6 66.f5 gxf5 67.Kxf5 Kg7 68.Rc5 Rd6 69.Rb5 Rd1 70.Rb6 Rf1+ 71.Kg4 Rg1+ 72.Kf4 Rf1+ 73.Ke4 Rg1 74.Kf4 Rf1+ 75.Kg3 Rg1+ 76.Kh4 Rh1+ 77.Kg4 Rg1+ 78.Kh5 Rh1+ 79.Kg4 Rg1+ 80.Kf5 Rf1+ 81.Ke4 Rg1 82.Kf4 Rg2 83.Kf5 Rf2+ 84.Kg4 Rf1 85.Kh4 Rf4+ 86.Kh5 Rf1 87.Kg4*

Rh1 88.Kf4 Rg1 89.Kf5 Rf1+ Normal ½-½ (89) chessm3g1c (2673)-xiaochess (2840) Blitz 2024 *)* 14.a3 Ba5 15.d5 Na7 16.Qd4 Bb6 17.Qg4 Nxd5 18.Nf5 Bxf5 19.Qxf5 c6 20.Rd1 Rad8 21.Bg5 Rd7 22.Ne5 g6 23.Qe4 Re8 24.Nxd7 Rxe4 25.Nf6+ Qxf6 26.Bxf6 Nxf6 27.Re1 Kf8 28.Rad1 Rxe1+ 29.Rxe1 Nb5 30.Kf1 Nd4 31.Ba2 Nf5 32.g4 Nd4 33.f4 h6 34.Rd1 c5 35.Kf2 a5 36.Ke3 Bc7 37.a4 b6 38.Bc4 g5 39.fxg5 hxg5 40.b3 Bf4+ 41.Kd3 Ke7 42.Re1+ Kf8 43.Rf1 Nd7 44.h4 Ne5+ 45.Ke4 Nxg4 46.hxg5 Bxg5 47.Rg1 Nf6+ 48.Ke5 Bh4 49.Kd6 Nf3 50.Rh1 Bg3+ 51.Kc6 Nd4+ 52.Kxb6 Nd7+ 53.Kxa5 Bf2 54.Ka6 Ke7 55.a5 Ne5 56.Kb7 Nxc4 57.bxc4 Nf5 58.a6 Nd6+ 59.Kc6 Nxc4 60.a7 Ne5+ Time forfeit 0-1 (60) Bakayoyo (2695)-AgressiveMode (2771) Blitz 2024;

B) 11...h6 12.Bf4 Nd5 13.Bg3 Nce7 14.a3 Ba5 15.b4 Bb6 16.Bh2 c6 17.Re1 a5 18.b5 Bf5 19.Nd6 cxb5 20.Bxb5 Bc7 21.Nxf5 Bxh2+ 22.Kxh2 Nxf5 23.Qd3 Qd6+ 24.Kg1 Nfe7 25.Ne5 Rac8 26.Rac1 Nf4 27.Qe4 Ned5 28.Bf1 Ne6 29.Qg4 Nf6 30.Qf5 Rxc1 31.Rxc1 Nxd4 32.Qf4 Ne6 33.Qf5 Qxa3 34.Rb1 Qe7 35.Bd3 Rd8 36.Ng4 Kf8 37.Bc4 Nxg4 38.hxg4 Qf6 39.Qxa5 Ng5 40.Bf1 Ne4 41.Qe1 Nd6 42.g3 Qe7 43.Qb4 Ne4 44.Qxb7 Qxb7 45.Rxb7 Nf6 46.Bg2 Rd7 47.Rb8+ Ke7 48.Bf3 Rd8 49.Rb5 Rd7 50.Re5+ Kf8 51.Rf5 Rd6 52.Kg2 g5 53.Ra5 Kg7 54.Ra7 Rd7 55.Ra6 Re7 56.Be2 Re6 57.Rxe6 fxe6 58.f4 e5 59.fxe5 Nd7 60.e6 Nc5 61.Bc4 Kf6 62.Kf3 Nxe6 63.Bxe6 Kxe6 64.Ke4 Kf6 65.Kd5 Kg6 66.Ke5 h5 67.gxh5+ Kxh5 68.Kf5 g4 69.Kf4 Kh6 70.Kxg4 Kg6 71.Kf4 Kf6 72.Kg4 Kg6 73.Kf4 Kf6 74.g4 Kg6 75.g5 Kg7 76.Kg4 Kf7 77.Kf5 Kg7 78.g6 Kg8 79.Kg5 Kg7 80.Kh5 Kg8 81.Kh6 Kh8 82.Kg5 Kg8 83.Kf6 1-0 (83) estocastico (2723)-Dzastin_Biberi (2773) Blitz 2023]

[11.Bg5 Be6 12.Bxc6 bxc6 13.a3 Bd6 14.Re1 Qd7 15.Qd2 Nd5 16.Ne5 Qe8 17.Bh4 Rb8 18.Rac1 Bxe5 19.dxe5 Bf5 20.Nf6+ Nxf6 21.exf6 Qd7 22.Qf4 Bg6 23.fxg7 Rfe8 24.Bf6 Rxb2 25.Bxb2 1-0 (25) Shirov,A (2652)-Laddha,S (2303) chess.com INT 2025]

11...Ba5

[11...Bd6

A) 12.Bg5 f6 13.Bb3+ Kh8 14.Bh4 Bg4 15.Ba2 Nf5 16.Bg3 Nfxd4 17.Nxd6 cxd6 18.Bd5 Rc8 19.Bxc6 Nxc6 20.h3 Bxf3 21.Qxf3 Qe7 22.Rad1 Ne5 23.Qb3 Rc6 24.Rd5 h6 25.Rfd1 Rfc8 26.Kh2 b5 27.Qe3 Qc7 28.Qe4 Nc4 29.b3 Ne5 30.Qf5 Re8 31.Qh5 Re6 32.Qf5 Qe7 33.Bf4 Rc3 34.Qb1 Nf7 35.Bg3 Rc6 36.a4 bxa4 37.bxa4 Rc5 38.Bxd6 Rxd6 39.Qb8+ Kh7 40.Rxd6 Nxd6 41.Qxd6 Qe5+ 42.Qxe5 Rxe5 43.Rd6 a5 44.Rd4 g5 45.Kg3 ½-½ (45) Bacrot,E (2680)-Grischuk,A (2732) chess.com INT 2024;

B) 12.h3 Bf5 13.Re1 h6 *(13...Nd5 14.Bg5 Nce7 15.Bb3 Bxe4 16.Rxe4 c6 17.Qd3 Qd7*

18.Rae1 Ng6 19.Nh4 Ngf4 20.Qf3 Rfe8 21.Bxf4 Nxf4 22.Nf5 Ne6 23.Qg4 Bf8 24.Nh6+ Kh8 25.Nxf7+ Qxf7 26.Bxe6 Qf6 27.Rf4 Qh6 28.Rf7 b5 29.g3 Rad8 30.Re4 c5 31.d5 c4 32.Kg2 Bc5 33.Qf5 1-0 (33) Bernadskiy,V (2617)-Dionisi,T (2390) Sitges ESP 2022 *)* 14.Bd2 Nd5 15.Bxc6 bxc6 16.Rc1 Bxe4 17.Rxe4 Re8 18.Rxe8+ Qxe8 19.Qc2 Ne7 20.Ne5 c5 21.Nc4 cxd4 22.Nxd6 cxd6 23.Qe4 Ng6 24.Qxd4 Qd7 25.Bc3 Ne5 26.f4 Nf3+ 27.gxf3 1-0 (27) Navara,D (2665)-Le Tuan, M (2598) chess.com INT 2025;

C) 12.Bb3 Bf5 13.Re1 h6 14.h3 Ng6 15.Bc2 Kh8 16.Nxd6 Bxc2 17.Nxf7+ Rxf7 18.Qxc2 Nh4 19.Nxh4 Qxh4 20.Be3 Nxd4 21.Bxd4 Qxd4 22.Re3 Raf8 23.Rae1 Rxf2 24.Qxf2 Rxf2 25.Kxf2 Qxb2+ 26.R1e2 Qd4 27.Kf3 c5 28.Re4 Qd5 29.Ke3 Qb3+ 30.Kf4 Qxa3 31.Re8+ Kh7 32.Rc8 Qb4+ 33.Kg3 c4 34.Ree8 c3 35.Re3 Qd6+ 36.Kf2 Qd2+ 37.Kf3 c2 38.Rec3 b5 39.Rxc2 Qd5+ 40.Ke3 b4 41.R8c5 Qe6+ 42.Kd4 Qb6 43.Kc4 a5 44.Kb3 Qe6+ 45.Ka4 Qd7+ 46.Rb5 b3 47.Rb2 Qd4+ 48.Kxb3 a4+ 49.Ka3 Kg6 50.R5b4 Qc3+ 51.Kxa4 Kh7 52.Kb5 Qd3+ 53.Kc5 Qg3 54.Kd5 Qc7 55.Ke4 Qd7 56.Kf3 Qd6 57.Kf2 Qe5 58.Kg1 Qe1+ 59.Kh2 Qe5+ 60.Kh1 Qe3 61.Rb1 Qd3 62.R4b3 Qe4 63.Rf1 Qc4 64.Rbf3 Qe6 65.Kg1 Qb6+ 66.Kh2 Qc5 67.g3 Qc2+ 68.R1f2 Qc7 69.Kg2 Qc6 70.h4 Qd5 71.Kh3 Qe4 72.g4 Qe1 73.Kg3 Qg1+ 74.Rg2 Qd4 75.Kh3 Qd7 76.h5 Qd5 77.Kg3 Qg5 78.Rgf2 Qe7 79.Rf4 Qe5 80.Kf3 Qd6 81.Re2 Qc6+ 82.Ree4 Qc7 83.Rf5 Qc3+ 84.Kf4 Qc1+ 85.Ke5 Qd1 86.Kf4 Qc1+ 87.Kf3 Qc7 88.Rfe5 Qb7 89.Re8 Qf7+ 90.Kg3 Qc7+ 91.Kf3 1-0 (91) Player_06 (2754)-mutdpro (2781) Blitz 2024]

12.h3

[12.b4 Bb6 13.Bb2 Be6 *(13...Bg4 14.h3 Bh5 15.Ng3 Bg6 16.h4 h6 17.h5 Bh7 18.Re1 Nd5 19.Bb3 Kh8 20.Qd2 Nce7 21.Ne5 c6 22.Ng4 Qd6 23.Re5 f6 24.Re2 Rad8 25.Rae1 Bc7 26.Re6 Qd7 27.Nxh6 gxh6 28.Qxh6 Ng8 29.Qd2 Qg7 30.h6 Qxh6 31.Qe2 Nf4 32.Qf3 Nxe6 33.Rxe6 Rde8 34.d5 Rxe6 35.dxe6 Be5 36.Bxe5 fxe5 37.Qc3 Qf4 38.Kh2 Nf6 39.e7 Ng4+ 40.Kh3 Nxf2+ 41.Kh2 Ng4+ 42.Kh3 Qh6+ 43.Nh5 Qxh5+ 44.Kg3 Qh2+ 45.Kxg4 Rf4+ 46.Kg5 Qh4#* 0-1 (46) Ward-Tsh (2634)-ikica77 (2714) Blitz 2022*)* 14.Re1 Nf5 15.Nc5 Bxc5 16.dxc5 Qxd1 17.Raxd1 Rad8 18.h3 Rxd1 19.Rxd1 f6 20.g4 Nfe7 21.Bc2 Rd8 22.Rxd8+ Nxd8 23.Kh2 Bd5 24.Kg3 Ne6 25.h4 a5 26.bxa5 Nxc5 27.Nd2 Nc8 28.Bc3 h6 29.h5 Na6 30.Ne4 Kf8 31.Bb4+ Ne7 32.Nc5 Nxb4 33.axb4 Nc8 34.Bb3 Bxb3 35.Nxb3 Kf7 36.Kf4 Nd6 37.Nc5 b6 38.Ne4 Nb5 39.a6 Na7 40.Ng3 Kf8 41.Ke4 c6 42.Nf5 Kf7 43.Kd4 Kg8 44.Kc4 Kf7 45.Nd4 Ke7 46.b5 cxb5+ 47.Nxb5 Nc6 48.f4 Ke6 49.Nd4+ Kd7 50.Nxc6 Kxc6 51.Kb4 b5 52.a7 Kb7 53.Kxb5 Kxa7 54.Kc6 Kb8 55.Kd7 Ka7 56.Ke8 g5 57.hxg6 Kb6 58.g7 Ka7 59.g8Q h5 60.Qb3 hxg4

61.Kd7 Ka6 62.Kc6 g3 63.Qa3# 1-0 (63) Igel_Engine (2895)-bot_adario (2644) Rapid 2024]

12...Bb6 13.Be3 Be6

[13...Bf5 14.Nc5 Bxc5 15.dxc5 Qxd1 16.Raxd1 Rad8 17.Bf4 Nd5 18.Bg3 Na5 19.Rd4 b5 20.cxb6 cxb6 21.Rfd1 Be6 22.Bc7 Rc8 23.Bd6 Rfd8 24.Be7 b5 25.Bxd8 Rxd8 26.Bc2 Nc6 27.R4d2 Nce7 28.Be4 f6 29.Bxd5 Nxd5 30.Nd4 Bf7 31.Nf5 Be6 32.Rxd5 Bxd5 33.Rxd5 1-0 (33) Ocinitram (2677)-spectraline (2560) Blitz 2022]

14.Nc5 Bxc5 15.dxc5 Bd5 16.Bc2 Ng6 17.Ng5 h6 18.Ne4 Re8 19.Nc3 Bc4 20.Re1 Qh4 21.Qg4 Qxg4 22.hxg4 Nge5 23.f3 Bd3 24.Ba4 Nc4 25.Bf4 Nxb2 26.Bxc6 bxc6 27.Bxc7 Bg6 28.Bd6 Nc4 29.f4 f6 30.Na4 Rad8 31.Rxe8+ Rxe8 32.Nb6 Ne3 33.g5 Nc2 34.Rf1 Nxa3 35.f5 Bf7 36.g6 Ba2 37.Rf4 Nb5 38.Ra4 Bb1 39.g4 h5 40.gxh5 Bxf5 41.Rxa6 Bg4 42.Nc4 Bxh5 43.Rxc6 Bxg6 44.Rb6 Nd4 45.c6 Ne2+ 46.Kf2 Nc3 47.c7 Bd3 48.Rb8 Ne4+ 49.Kg2 1-0 (49) Herushkanamura (2954)-zvonokchess (2839) Blitz 2022

96 **9...Nxd5** 10.0-0

[10.Bxc6+ bxc6 11.Bd2 0-0 12.0-0 Bg4 13.h3 Bh5

A) 14.g4 Bg6 15.Ne5 Nxc3 *(15...Ne7 16.Qf3 Qxd4 17.Bf4 Bxc3 18.bxc3 Qe4 19.Qg3 Nd5 20.Bd2 Qc2 21.Rad1 Qxa2 22.c4 Nf6 23.Bb4 Rfe8 24.Ra1 Qb2 25.Nxc6 Be4 26.Bc3 Qb3 27.Na5 Qb6 28.c5 Qxc5 29.Bxf6 gxf6 30.Rfc1 Qe5 31.Rxc7 Qxa1+ 32.Kh2 Qxa5 33.Rc3 Qa1 34.f3 Qxc3 35.fxe4 Qxg3+ 36.Kxg3 Rxe4* 0-1 (36) Lucmatt (2620)-MihailRodin (2559) Blitz 2022*)* 16.Bxc3 Bd6 17.Qf3 c5 18.dxc5 Bxc5 19.Rad1 Bd6 20.Nc4 Re8 21.Nxd6 cxd6 22.Rd2 Be4 23.Qf4 d5 24.f3 Bg6 25.Rfd1 Qb6+ 26.Kg2 a5 27.Kg3 a4 28.a3 Rad8 29.h4 h5 30.Qd4 Qxd4 31.Rxd4 hxg4 32.Kxg4 Bc2 33.R1d2 Bb3 34.Kg3 f6 35.h5 Kf7 36.Rf4 Rh8 37.Rh2 Rde8 38.h6 Re6 39.hxg7 Rxh2 40.Kxh2 Kxg7 41.Kg3 Kg6 42.Rg4+ Kf7 43.Kf4 Re2 44.Rh4 Rg2 45.Rh7+ Rg7 46.Rh8 Rg8 47.Rh1 Ke6 48.Re1+ Kf7 49.Re2 Rg1 50.Rh2 Rg7 51.Bd4 Rg5 52.Rh1 Ke6 53.Re1+ Kf7 54.Rc1 Kg6 55.Rc6 Rf5+ 56.Ke3 Bd1 57.f4 Bb3 58.Rb6 Bd1 59.Rc6 Bb3 60.Kf3 Bd1+ 61.Kg3 Bb3 62.Rb6 Bd1 63.Bc3 Bb3 64.Rd6 Bc2 65.Bd4 Bb3 66.Be3 Bd1 67.Kh4 Rh5+ 68.Kg3 Rf5 69.Bd4 Bb3 70.Ra6 Bd1 71.Rc6 Bb3 72.Rc1 Rh5 73.Rg1 Kf5 74.Re1 Bc2 75.Re8 Rh6 76.Kf3 Be4+ 77.Ke3 Rh3+ 78.Ke2 Rh2+ 79.Ke1 Kxf4 80.Bxf6 Ke3 81.Bg5+ Kd3 82.Bf6 Rh1+ 83.Kf2 Rh2+ 84.Kg3 Rg2+ 85.Kf4 Rf2+ 86.Kg4 Rxf6 0-1 (86) ThunderWarrior (2751)-Svallap (2728) Blitz 2023;

B) 14.Ne4 Bxd2 15.Nexd2 Rb8 16.Qc2 Qd6 17.b3 Bg6 18.Qc4 Nf4 19.Rfe1 Bd3 20.Qa4 Rb4 21.Qa5 Rb5 22.Qa4 Qg6 23.Nh4 Nxh3+ 24.Kh2 Qg4 25.d5 Nf4 26.g3 Qh3+ 27.Kg1 Ne2+ 28.Rxe2 Bxe2 29.Qe4 Qg4 30.Qxg4 Bxg4 31.dxc6 Rc5 32.Nc4 Be6 33.Ne3 Rxc6 34.Nf3 Rd8 35.Re1 f6 36.Ng2 Bd5

37.Nd4 Rcd6 38.Nf5 R6d7 39.Nf4 Bf3 40.Ne3 Rd2 41.a4 Rb2 42.Ne6 Rdd2 43.Nf4 Rxf2 44.Nc4 Ra2 45.Ne3 Rh2 46.Neg2 Raxg2+ 47.Nxg2 Rxg2+ 48.Kf1 Rb2 49.Re7 Bd5 50.Rxc7 Bxb3 51.a5 Ba4 52.Ke1 Bb5 53.Kd1 Re2 54.Rb7 Re8 55.Kd2 Kf8 56.Kc3 Re7 57.Rb6 Kf7 58.Kb4 Rc7 59.Rd6 Rc4+ 60.Kb3 Rg4 61.Rd3 Kg6 62.Re3 h5 63.Rc3 Rg5 64.Kb4 Rg4+ 65.Kc5 Rc4+ 66.Kb6 Rxc3 0-1 (66) AttackingBeast (2657)-pozvonochek (2758) Blitz 2021;

C) 14.Rc1 Re8 15.g4 Bg6 16.Ne5 Ne7 17.Ne2 Bd6 18.Bf4 Rb8 19.b3 Rb5 20.Nxc6 Nxc6 21.Rxc6 Qh4 22.Bxd6 Be4 23.Rc3 cxd6 24.Ng3 Ba8 25.Re1 Rbb8 26.Rxe8+ Rxe8 27.Qe2 Qd8 28.Qxa6 h5 29.gxh5 Qh4 30.Rc8 1-0 (30) MothAndTheFlame (2820)-gmmitkov (2621) Blitz 2022]

[10.Qe2+ Be6 11.Bd2 0-0 12.0-0 Re8 *(12...Nb6 13.Bc2 Bc4 14.Qe4 f5 15.Qf4 Bxf1 16.Rxf1 Bd6 17.Qe3 Qf6 18.Bb3+ Kh8 19.Qd3 Nb4 20.Qb1 c6 21.Bg5 Qg6 22.Qc1 N4d5 23.Ne2 h6 24.Bh4 Rae8 25.Nc3 Qh5 26.Bc2 g5 27.Nxg5 hxg5 28.Bxg5 Qxh2#* 0-1 (28) EleKtRoMaGnIt (2777)-zvonokchess (2768) Blitz 2021*)* 13.Bxc6 bxc6 14.Qd3 *(14.Rfe1 Qd7 15.Ne5 Qc8 16.Nxc6 Bd6 17.Qf3 Qd7 18.Ne5 Bxe5 19.Rxe5 Nb4 20.d5 Bxd5 21.Rxd5 Nxd5 22.Qxd5 Qxd5 23.Nxd5 Rad8 24.Nxc7 Re2 25.Bc3 a5 26.a4 h5 27.h4 Rd7 28.Nb5 f5 29.Nd4 Re5 30.Nf3 Red5 31.g3 Re7 32.Kg2 Re4 33.Ng5 Rc4 34.Ne6 Re4 35.Nf4 Rc5 36.Nxh5 Rcc4 37.Rd1 Rxa4 38.Rd7 Re2 39.Rxg7+ Kf8 40.Ra7 Rc2 41.Rd7 Re4 42.Bg7+ Ke8 43.Nf6#* 1-0 (43) PatzerInDisguise (2655)-Roiname (2537) Blitz 2025*)* 14...c5 *(14...Bd6 15.Ng5 g6 16.Nxe6 Rxe6 17.Ne4 Bxh2+ 18.Kxh2 Qh4+ 19.Kg1 Qxe4 20.Qc4 Nf4 21.Bxf4 Qxf4 22.Rad1 Rd8 23.Qxa6 Rd5 24.a4 Qh4 25.Rd3 Rg5 26.Qc8+ Kg7 27.Qxc7 Qe4 28.Rg3 Rh5 29.Rf3 Rf6 30.Rxf6 Kxf6 31.a5 Qh4 32.Qd8+ Kg7 33.Qxh4 Rxh4 34.a6 Rxd4 35.Ra1 Rd8 36.a7 Ra8 37.Kf1 Kf6 38.Ke2 Ke5 39.Kd3 Kd5 40.b4 c5 41.Ra5 Kd6 42.bxc5+ Kc6 43.Kc4 h5 44.Kd4 Kb7 45.Ke5 Rxa7 46.Rxa7+ Kxa7 47.Kf6 Kb8 48.Kxf7 g5 49.Kg6 Kc7 50.Kxg5 Kc6 51.Kxh5 Kxc5 52.g4 Kd4 53.g5 Ke4 54.g6 Kf3 55.Kh6 Ke2 56.g7 Kf1 57.f4 Ke2 58.f5 Kf1 59.f6 Ke2 60.f7 Ke3 61.f8Q Kd4 62.g8Q Ke5 63.Qgf7 Kd4 64.Qd7+ Kc4 65.Qfc8+ Kb4 66.Qdb7+ Ka5 67.Qca8#* 1-0 (67) GoodBoyBishop (2611)-killermania (2563) Blitz 2021*)* 15.Ng5 Nf6 16.Nxe6 Rxe6 17.d5 Bxc3 18.Bxc3 Qxd5 19.Qg3 Qd6 20.Qg5 h6 21.Qf5 Ne4 22.Rad1 Nxc3 23.Rxd6 Ne2+ 24.Kh1 cxd6 25.h3 Nd4 26.Qd5 Rb8 27.b3 a5 28.f4 g6 29.Rf2 Rb4 30.Kh2 a4 31.Qa8+ Kg7 32.bxa4 Re3 33.a5 Ra4 34.Qd5 Nf5 35.g4 Rd4 36.Qb7 Nh4 37.f5 gxf5 38.gxf5 Rdd3 39.f6+ Kg6 40.Qc8 Nf3+ 41.Kg2 Nh4+ 42.Kg1 Rg3+ 43.Kh2 Rg5 44.Qg8+ Kh5 45.Qxf7+ Rg6 46.Qb7 Rgg3 47.Qc8 Rg6 48.f7 Nf3+ 49.Rxf3 Rxf3 50.f8Q 1-0 (50) LoveNewUniverse (2777)-mocaspoke (2641) Blitz 2021]

[10.Bd2 0-0 11.0-0 Nf6 *(11...Bg4*

12.Bb3 Bxf3 13.Qxf3 Nxc3 14.bxc3 Nxd4 15.Qxb7 Bxc3 16.Bxc3 Ne2+ 17.Kh1 Nxc3 18.Rac1 Nb5 19.Rfd1 Qh4 20.g3 Qg4 21.Rc4 Qe2 22.Rf4 Rae8 23.Rd7 Re7 24.Rd1 Nd6 25.Qb4 Ne4 26.Kg2 Nd6 27.Rd2 Qe5 28.Rc2 a5 29.Qc5 Qxc5 30.Rxc5 Ra8 31.Ra4 Nb7 32.Rb5 c6 33.Rb6 Nc5 34.Rxa5 Rd8 35.Rxc5 h5 36.Rbxc6 Rd2 37.Rc2 Rd4 38.Rc8+ Kh7 39.R8c4 Rd6 40.R4c3 g6 41.h4 Rb6 42.Rf3 Kg7 43.Rc4 f5 44.Rcc3 Kf6 45.Rfe3 Rxe3 46.Rxe3 Rb4 47.Rc3 f4 48.Rc4 f3+ 49.Kxf3 Rb8 50.Rf4+ Kg7 51.Re4 Kh6 52.Ke3 Ra8 53.f4 Rb8 54.Re5 Ra8 55.Ke4 Rb8 56.f5 Rb4+ 57.Ke3 g5 58.Re6+ Kg7 59.hxg5 h4 60.Rg6+ Kh7 61.Rh6+ Kg7 62.f6+ Kf8 63.Rh8# 1-0 (63) kacper05 (2700)-Metra93 (2677) Blitz 2024*; 11...Bxc3 12.bxc3 Bg4 13.h3 Bh5 14.c4 Nb6 15.g4 Nxa4 16.Qxa4 Bg6 17.d5 Be4 18.Qa3 Bxf3 19.Qxf3 Ne5 20.Qc3 Ng6 21.f4 f6 22.Rae1 b5 23.Qd4 bxc4 24.Qxc4 Kh8 25.Bb4 Rf7 26.Qc6 Rd7 27.Rd1 Rb8 28.Bc5 Rb5 29.d6 cxd6 30.Rxd6 Rxd6 31.Qxd6 Qxd6 32.Bxd6 f5 33.gxf5 Rxf5 34.Rc1 h6 35.Rc4 Rd5 36.Bc7 Rd2 37.a4 Kh7 38.Rc6 Nh4 39.Rc3 Ra2 40.a5 Kg6 41.Be5 Kf5 42.Bxg7 Kxf4 43.Kf1 Ke4 44.Bxh6 Nf3 45.Rc4+ Kd3 46.Rc6* 1-0 (46) Horus_Luperkal (2644)-kartoGM (2714) Blitz 2022*)*
12.Bxc6 bxc6 13.Na4 Bd6 14.Rc1 Bg4 15.h3 Bh5 16.Bg5 h6 17.Bh4 Rb8 18.b3 Bf4 19.Rxc6 Qd5 20.Rc5 Bxf3 21.Qxf3 Qxf3 22.gxf3 Bd6 23.Rc6 Nd5 24.Rxa6 Nb4 25.Ra7 Nxa2 26.Nc5 Nc3 27.Ne4 Ne2+ 28.Kg2 Nxd4 29.Nxd6 cxd6 30.Rd1 Nf5 31.Bg3 Rxb3 32.Rd7 Re8 33.Rd5 g6 34.Ra7 h5 35.Rd7 Re2 36.Ra5 Rbb2 37.Raa7 h4 0-1 (37) Anuar_Is (2752)-Storm89 (2683) Blitz 2021]

10...0-0
[10...Be6 11.Ne5 Bxc3 12.Nxc6 Qf6 13.Ne5+ b5 14.bxc3 Nxc3 15.Qc2 1-0 (15) schaakam (2604)-Pachdud (2499) Blitz 2024]

11.Qd3
[11.Nxd5 Qxd5 12.Bb3
A) 12...Qh5
A1) 13.d5 Ne5 14.Nxe5 Qxe5 15.Qf3 Bd6 16.g3 h6 *(16...Bh3 17.Rd1 Rae8 18.Be3 Qxb2 19.Qh5 Bd7 20.Rab1 Qf6 21.Bc4 Rxe3 22.fxe3 b5 23.Bd3 g6 24.Qe2 Re8 25.Kg2 Qg5 26.e4 Bg4 27.Qd2 Qh5 28.Re1 Bf3+ 29.Kg1 Bc5+ 30.Re3 Bxe4 31.Bxe4 Rxe4* 0-1 (31) jaime_sonho01 (2661)-MR_HW (2699) Blitz 2025*)*
17.Rb1 Bf5 18.Bf4 Qe4 19.Qxe4 Bxe4 20.Rbc1 Rac8 21.Rfe1 Bf5 22.Bxd6 cxd6 23.f3 Rxc1 24.Rxc1 Rc8 25.Rxc8+ Bxc8 26.Kf2 Kf8 27.Ke3 Ke7 28.f4 f6 29.Bc2 g5 30.Kd4 b6 31.b4 a5 32.a3 axb4 33.axb4 Bd7 34.h4 Be8 35.Bf5 Bb5 36.Ke4 Ba4 37.Kd4 Bd1 38.Be4 Bg4 39.Bd3 Bd7 40.Be4 Bb5 41.Bc2 Bd7 42.Be4 Bb5 43.Bc2 Bd7 44.Be4 Normal ½-½ (44) Capadjo (2729)-zvonokchess (2879) Blitz 2024;
A2) 13.Bf4 Bg4 14.d5 Na5 15.Bxc7 Nxb3 16.Qxb3 Bc5 17.Rac1 b6 18.h3 Bd7 19.Ne5 Bb5 20.Rfd1 Rac8 21.g4 Qg5

22.Nf3 Qh6 23.d6 Qxh3 24.Nh2 Bxf2+ 25.Kh1 Bg3 26.Rd2 Qh4 27.Rg2 Bxh2 28.Rxh2 Qxg4 29.Rg1 Bc6+ 30.Rgg2 Rfe8 31.Kg1 Re1+ 32.Kf2 Re2+ 33.Kf1 Bxg2+ 34.Rxg2 Qxg2# 0-1 (34) KingKong_bro2006 (2699)-Samira_Chess2010 (2695) Blitz 2024;

A3) 13.Ne5 Qxd1 14.Rxd1 Na5 15.Bc2 f6 16.Nd3 Bd6 17.Bf4 Rd8 18.b4 Nc6 19.Bb3+ Kf8 20.d5 Bxf4 21.Nxf4 Ne5 22.Rac1 c6 23.f3 Bd7 24.d6 a5 25.b5 cxb5 26.Rc7 a4 27.Be6 b4 28.Rxb7 Rab8 29.Bxd7 Rxb7 30.Ne6+ Kg8 31.Nxd8 Rxd7 32.Ne6 b3 33.axb3 axb3 34.Nc5 Rd8 35.Nxb3 Nc4 36.d7 Kf7 37.Nc5 Ne5 38.f4 1-0 (38) MikeGScarn (2765)-pozvonochek (2787) Blitz 2021;

B) 12...Qd6 13.d5 Ne5 14.Bf4 Nxf3+ 15.Qxf3 Qd8 16.Qg3 Bd6 17.Rac1 Qf6 18.Bxd6 cxd6 19.Rc7 b5 20.Re1 Bf5 21.h3 Bg6 22.Rc6 Rfd8 23.Qc3 Qxc3 24.bxc3 Kf8 25.c4 bxc4 26.Bxc4 a5 27.Bb5 a4 28.a3 Ra5 29.Bc4 f6 30.Re6 Bf7 31.Rexd6 Rxd6 32.Rxd6 Ke7 33.Rb6 Bxd5 34.Bxd5 Rxd5 35.Rb7+ Kf8 36.Ra7 Rd4 37.Kf1 f5 38.Ke2 f4 39.Kf3 Rd3+ 40.Kxf4 Rxa3 41.g4 h6 42.f3 Kg8 43.h4 Kh7 44.h5 Ra1 45.Kf5 a3 46.f4 a2 47.Ra4 Rb1 48.Rxa2 Rb5+ 49.Ke4 Rb4+ 50.Kf3 Rb3+ 51.Kg2 Rb4 52.Kg3 Rb3+ 53.Kh4 Rb4 54.Rf2 Rc4 55.Kg3 Rc3+ 56.Rf3 Rc4 57.g5 hxg5 58.fxg5 Rb4 59.Rf4 Rb3+ 60.Kg4 Rb1 61.Rf3 Rb4+ 62.Rf4 Rb1 63.Re4 Rg1+ 64.Kf5 Rf1+ 65.Rf4 Rh1 66.Rg4 Rxh5 67.Kf4 Rh1 68.g6+ Kh6 69.Rg2 Ra1 70.Ke3 Ra6 71.Kf4 Ra4+ 72.Kf5 Ra5+ 73.Kf4 Ra6 74.Kf5 Rf6+ 75.Ke4 Rxg6 76.Rh2+ Kg5 77.Ke5 Ra6 78.Rg2+ Kh6 79.Kf5 Ra5+ 80.Kg4 g5 81.Rd2 Ra4+ 82.Kg3 Kh5 83.Rd5 Ra3+ 84.Kg2 Rb3 85.Rd4 g4 86.Rd8 Rb6 87.Kg3 Rb3+ 88.Kg2 Kg5 89.Rg8+ Kf5 90.Rf8+ Ke6 91.Rg8 Rb4 92.Kg3 Kf5 93.Rf8+ Kg5 94.Rg8+ Kh5 95.Rh8+ Kg6 96.Rg8+ Kf6 97.Rxg4 Rb3+ 98.Kh4 Rb1 99.Rg3 Kf5 100.Kh3 Kf4 101.Kg2 Rb2+ 102.Kh3 Ra2 103.Rg4+ Kf5 104.Rg3 Ra1 105.Rg2 Rh1+ 106.Kg3 Ra1 107.Kf2 Kf6 108.Kg3 Ra3+ 109.Kh2 Ra4 110.Rf2+ Kg5 111.Kg2 Kh4 112.Kf3 Ra3+ 113.Ke2 Ra4 114.Kf1 Kg3 0-1 (114) EleKtRoMaGnIt (2866)-Rikikits (2789) Blitz 2021]

[11.Bg5

A) 11...Qd6 12.Ne4 *(12.Rc1 Nxc3 13.bxc3 Ba3 14.Rb1 b5 15.Bc2 h6 16.Bh4 f5 17.Qd3 Be6 18.Bg3 Qd7 19.Rfe1 Bxa2 20.Rbd1 Bc4 21.Qd2 Rae8 22.Ne5 Nxe5 23.Bxe5 Bd6 24.f4 a5 25.Bb1 a4 26.g4 Bxe5 27.fxe5 fxg4 28.Qc2 g5 29.e6 Qg7 30.d5 Rf3 31.Qe4 Rf4 32.Qe3 Qf6 33.e7 Rxe7 34.Qxe7 Rf1+ 35.Rxf1 Qxe7 36.Rfe1 Qc5+ 37.Kg2 Bxd5+ 38.Kg3 Qd6+ 39.Kxg4 Qf4+ 40.Kh5 Bf7+ 41.Kxh6 Qh4#* 0-1 (41) Lixie1903 (2645)-kartoGM (2698) Blitz 2022*)* 12...Qg6 13.Bc2 f5

A1) 14.Nc5 h6 15.Bc1 Kh8 *(15...Re8 16.Nd3 Bd6 17.Re1 Rxe1+ 18.Qxe1 Be6 19.Bd2 Re8 20.Qf1 Qf6 21.Bc3 b5 22.a3 a5 23.Nde5 b4 24.Qb5 bxc3 25.Qxc6 Rb8 26.bxc3 Rb2 27.Bd3 Nf4 28.Bc4 Bxc4 29.Qxc4+ Kh7 30.Nd3 Ne2+ 31.Kh1 Rc2 32.Nde1 Rb2 33.Nd3 Rc2 34.Nde1 Rb2 35.Qd3 Nf4 36.Qf1 Ne2 37.Nd3 Rc2 38.Qd1 Rxc3 39.Qxe2 g5 40.Nfe5 g4 41.Qd2 Rb3 42.Rc1 Rxa3 43.Re1 a4 44.Nf4 Rb3 45.Nd5 Qh4 46.g3 Qd8 47.Qc2* 1-0 (47) LaVoieLactee (2605)-MihailRodin (2588) Blitz 2022*)* 16.Nd3 Bd6 17.Nde5 Qf6 18.Nxc6 bxc6 19.Re1 Rb8 20.b3 Nb4 21.Bb1 c5 22.Bb2 Nc6 23.Qd2 cxd4 24.Nxd4 Bb4 25.Nxc6 Qxc6 26.Qc1 Qg6 27.Re3 Bd6 28.Rh3 Kh7 29.Bd3 Bb7 30.Bf1 Be4 31.Qc3 f4 32.f3 Bf5 33.Rh4 Rbe8 34.Rd1 Re3 35.Qc1 Bd7 36.Rd2 Bc8 37.Rf2 Bb7 38.Rh3 1-0 (38) LaVoieLactee (2651)-MihailRodin (2578) Blitz 2022;

A2) 14.Nh4 Qf7 15.Nc5 b6 16.Nd3 Bd6 17.Nf3 Qh5 18.Nde5 Nce7 19.Bb3 Bb7 20.Re1 Kh8 21.h3 Ng6 22.Qd2 Bb4 23.Qc2 Bxe1 24.Rxe1 Rae8 25.g4 Qxh3 26.Nf7+ Kg8 27.Rxe8 Qxg4+ 28.Kf1 Rxe8 29.N3e5 Qh3+ 30.Kg1 Nxe5 31.Nxe5 h6 32.Qxc7 Qh5 33.Qxb7 Qxg5+ 34.Kf1 Qc1+ 35.Kg2 Qg5+ 36.Kf1 Rd8 37.Bxd5+ Rxd5 38.Qxd5+ Kh7 39.Qf7 Qc1+ 40.Kg2 Qg5+ 41.Kf1 Qf4 42.Qg6+ Kg8 0-1 (42) Prettyfly (2674)-zvonokchess (2847) Blitz 2022;

B) 11...Nxc3 12.bxc3 Be7 13.Bxe7 Nxe7 14.Ne5 Be6 15.Re1 Ng6 16.Nxg6 hxg6 17.Bb3 Bxb3 18.axb3 Re8 19.Qf3 c6 20.h3 Qd5 21.Qxd5 cxd5 22.Kf1 Kf8 23.Ra5 Rac8 24.Rc1 Red8 25.Ke2 Ke7 26.Kd3 Kd6 27.c4 dxc4+ 28.bxc4 Ra8 29.Rb1 Rab8 30.Rb6+ Kc7 31.Rb2 Rd6 32.Re2 b5 33.c5 Rf6 34.d5 Rd8 35.d6+ Kc6 36.Rxa6+ Kxc5 37.Re5+ Kb4 38.Rd5 Rd7 39.f3 Rf4 40.Rb6 Kb3 41.Rbxb5+ Rb4 42.Rxb4+ Kxb4 43.Kd4 f6 44.f4 1-0 (44) Incike (2626)-Player_2211 (2464) Blitz 2024;

C) 11...Nce7 12.Rc1 f6 13.Bd2 Kh8 14.Bb3 Bg4 15.Re1 c6 16.h3 Bh5 17.Rc2 a5 18.Na4 Bxd2 19.Rxd2 Qd6 20.Nc5 b6 21.Re6 Qc7 22.Nd3 Qd7 23.Re1 a4 24.Bxd5 Nxd5 25.Nfe5 Qe8 26.Ng4 Qc8 27.f3 Bg6 28.Ne3 Qd7 29.Nxd5 Qxd5 30.Nb4 Qd6 31.a3 Rfd8 32.Ree2 Bf7 33.Qc2 Rdc8 34.Qc3 b5 35.Qc5 Qf4 36.Rd1 Bb3 37.Rde1 Bc4 38.Re3 h6 39.Nxc6 Qc7 40.d5 Bxd5 41.Qxd5 ½-½ (41) Lagarde,M (2622)-Rakotomaharo,F (2441) French Top 16 Club Championship 2025 | 2025;

D) 11...f6 12.Nxd5 fxg5 13.Bxc6 1-0 (13) Overrated-Arbuckle (2615)-Colmen (2507) Blitz 2025;

E) 11...Be7 12.Bxc6 *(12.Nxd5 Bxg5 13.Nxc7 Qxc7 14.Nxg5 h6 15.Nf3 b5 16.Bb3 Bg4 17.Bd5 Bxf3 18.Bxf3 Qd6 19.Rc1 Rac8 20.Bxc6 Rxc6 21.Rxc6 Qxc6*

22.Qd3 Rd8 23.Rd1 Qd5 24.a3 h5 25.h3 g6 26.Qe3 Rc8 27.Rd2 Rc1+ 28.Kh2 Qd6+ 29.Qe5 Qxe5+ 30.dxe5 Re1 31.f4 h4 32.g3 hxg3+ 33.Kxg3 Re3+ 34.Kg4 Kf8 35.Rd6 Rb3 36.Rxa6 Rxb2 37.Kg5 Kg7 38.Ra7 Rg2+ 39.Kh4 Kf8 40.Rb7 Ra2 41.Rxb5 Rxa3 42.Rb7 Ra1 43.Kg5 Kg7 44.e6 Rg1+ 45.Kh4 Kf6 46.exf7 Kg7 47.Ra7 Rg2 48.Rb7 Rg1 49.Rc7 Rg2 50.Rd7 Rg1 51.Re7 Rg2 52.Rc7 Rg1 53.Rb7 Rg2 54.Ra7 Rg1 55.f8Q+ Kxf8 56.Ra3 Kg7 57.Rg3 Rf1 58.Kg4 Kf6 59.Ra3 Rg1+ 60.Kf3 Rh1 61.Ra6+ Kg7 62.Kg3 Rc1 63.Ra3 Kf6 64.Rd3 Rg1+ 65.Kf3 Rb1 66.Rd6+ Kf5 67.Rd5+ Kf6 68.Rd3 Rf1+ 69.Kg3 Rg1+ 70.Kf2 Rb1 71.Kg2 Kf5 72.Rf3 Ke4 73.Rf2 Rb5 74.Kg3 Kf5 75.Rd2 Rb3+ 76.Kg2 Kxf4 77.Rf2+ Kg5 78.Re2 Kh5 79.Rf2 Rb4 80.Rf3 g5 81.Kg3 Rh4 82.Re3 Rf4 83.Re5 Rf3+ Time forfeit 0-1 (83) JimHacker (2624)-AgressiveMode (2769) Blitz 2024 *)*

E1) 12...Nxc3 13.Bxe7

E1a) 13...Qxe7 14.bxc3 bxc6 15.Re1 Qa3 *(15...Qd6 16.Qd3 f6 17.Qc4+ Qd5 18.Qxd5+ cxd5 19.Re7 Rf7 20.Rxf7 Kxf7 21.Rb1 Ke7 22.Kf1 Kd6 23.Ke2 Bg4 24.Kd2 Bxf3 25.gxf3 Re8 26.h4 g6 27.a4 Kc6 28.a5 g5 29.hxg5 fxg5 30.Rh1 Rh8 31.Rh6+ Kb5 32.Ke2 Kxa5 33.Rc6 Re8+ 34.Kf1 Re7 35.Rc5+ Kb6 36.Rxd5 h6 37.f4 c6 38.Rf5 gxf4 39.Rxf4 a5 40.c4 a4 41.Rf3 Ka5 42.d5 cxd5 43.cxd5 Kb4 44.Rf8 Rb7 45.d6 a3 46.Ra8 Kb3 47.Ke2 a2 48.Kd3 Rb6 49.d7 Rd6+ 50.Ke4 Rxd7 51.Rb8+ Kc3 52.Rc8+ Kb2 53.Rb8+ Kc1 54.Rc8+ Kd1 55.Ra8 Rd2 56.f4 Kc1* 0-1 (56) Mischuk_D (2713)-Andrey_Klymchuk (2674) Blitz 2024 *)* 16.Qb3 Qxb3 17.axb3 Be6 18.b4 Bd5 19.Ne5 f6 20.Nd7 Rfe8 21.f3 Rxe1+ 22.Rxe1 a5 23.Ra1 a4 24.Ra3 Bc4 25.Nc5 Bb5 26.Kf2 Re8 27.h4 Re2+ 28.Kg3 Rc2 29.Ne6 Kf7 30.Nxc7 Ke7 31.Nxb5 cxb5 32.Kf4 Kd6 33.Ke4 Rb2 34.c4 Rxb4 35.cxb5 f5+ 36.Kxf5 Rxd4 37.g4 Kc5 38.Ke6 Kxb5 39.Kf7 Kb4 40.Rxa4+ Kxa4 41.Kxg7 Rf4 42.Kxh7 Rxf3 43.g5 Kb5 44.g6 Rf5 45.g7 Rh5+ 46.Kg6 Rxh4 47.Kf5 Rh5+ 48.Kg6 Rh1 49.g8Q Rg1+ 50.Kf7 Rxg8 51.Kxg8 ½-½ (51) Pblu35 (2739)-Betomarcico (2643) Blitz 2022;

E1b) 13...Nxd1 14.Bxd8 Rxd8 15.Rfxd1 bxc6 16.Ne5 Rd6 17.Rac1 Be6 18.a3 Rb8 19.b4 Rb6 20.f3 a5 21.bxa5 Ra6 22.Rc5 f6 23.Ng4 Bxg4 24.fxg4 Rd5 25.Rxd5 cxd5 26.Kf2 Rxa5 27.Rd3 c5 28.dxc5 Rxc5 29.Ke3 Kf7 30.Kd4 Rc2 31.Kxd5 Rxg2 32.h3 h5 33.gxh5 Rg5+ 34.Kc6 Rxh5 35.a4 g5 36.Ra3 f5 37.a5 g4 38.hxg4 fxg4 39.a6 Kf6 40.a7 Rh8

41.a8Q Rxa8 42.Rxa8 Ke5 43.Ra4 g3 44.Rg4 1-0 (44) Anuar_Is (2756)-mocaspoke (2580) Blitz 2021;

E2) 12...bxc6 13.Bxe7 Qxe7 *(13...Nxe7 14.Qa4 Be6 15.Rfe1 Rb8 16.b3 Rb6 17.Qa5 Nd5 18.Rac1 Nxc3 19.Qxc3 Qd6 20.Ne5 Bd5 21.Nd3 Qg6 22.f3 Rd8 23.Nc5 h6 24.Re5 Qd6 25.Rce1 Kh7 26.h4 Be6 27.R1e4 Re8 28.h5 Rbb8 29.Qd3 Kg8 30.Qxa6 Ra8 31.Qe2 Rab8 32.f4 Rf8 33.Nxe6 fxe6 34.Rxe6 Qd5 35.Qc4 Qxc4 36.bxc4 Rb2 37.Rxc6 Rf7 38.Kh2 Rxa2 39.Kh3 Kh7 40.g3 Rd2 41.d5 Rd3 42.Kg4 Rc3 43.Re8 Ra3 44.d6 Ra7 45.c5 Rb7 46.Rd8 1-0 (46) Esipenko,A (2682)-Batsuren,D (2531) New York, United States 2024)* 14.Re1 *(14.Ne5 Nxc3 15.bxc3 Be6 16.Nxc6 Qd6 17.Ne5 c5 18.Nf3 Rfd8 19.h3 Bd5 20.dxc5 Qxc5 21.Qd4 Qc7 22.Qe5 Qxe5 23.Nxe5 Rac8 24.Rfc1 f6 25.Ng4 Be6 26.Ne3 Rd2 27.c4 Kf7 28.a3 Rb2 29.Rc3 Rd8 30.f4 Rdd2 31.Kh2 Bd7 32.Rg1 Bc6 33.c5 Re2 34.f5 h5 35.Kg3 Ra2 36.Kh4 g6 37.fxg6+ Kxg6 38.g3 Rad2 39.Rf1 Rd4+ 40.Rf4 Rxf4+ 41.gxf4 f5 42.Nc4 Kf6 43.Ne5 Bb7 44.c6 Bc8 45.Kxh5 Re4 46.Rc4 Re3 47.Kh4 Rxa3 48.Rd4 Ke7 49.Ng6+ Kf6 50.Rd6+* 1-0 (50) ElAsesinoFavorito (2735)-Stoichess (2635) Blitz 2021*)* 14...Qb4 15.Nxd5 *(15.Qd2 Rb8 16.Nxd5 cxd5 17.Qxb4 Rxb4 18.b3 Bg4 19.Ne5 Rxd4 20.Rac1 Be6 21.Rxc7 Rd2 22.a4 h5 23.h4 Rb8 24.Nf3 Rd3 25.Ng5 Rdxb3 26.Nxe6 Rb1 27.Rc8+ Rxc8 28.Rxb1 fxe6 29.Rb6 Rc1+ 30.Kh2 Rc4 31.Rxa6 Rxh4+ 32.Kg3 Re4 33.Kf3 Kf7 34.a5 Kf6 35.Ra8 Ra4 36.a6 g5 37.a7 Ke5 38.g3 Ra3+ 39.Ke2 g4 40.Rh8 Rxa7 41.Rxh5+ Ke4 42.Rg5 Ra2+ 43.Ke1 Kf3 44.Rg6 Re2+ 45.Kd1 Rxf2 46.Rxe6 Kxg3 47.Rd6 Rf5 48.Ke2 Kg2 49.Rg6 g3 50.Ra6 Re5+ 51.Kd3 Kf3 52.Rf6+ Kg4 53.Rg6+ Rg5 54.Re6 g2 55.Re1 Kf3 56.Kd4 Kf2 57.Re5 Rxe5 58.Kxe5 g1Q* 0-1 (58) TheGiantInsideMe (2664)-zvonokchess (2850) Blitz 2022*)* 15...cxd5 16.Qd2 Qb6 17.Rac1 a5 18.Re7 Ra7 19.Qf4 Qxb2 20.Ng5 Bf5 21.Nxf7 Bg6 22.Rce1 Raa8 23.Nh6+ gxh6 24.Qe3 Rf6 25.h4 Raf8 26.Qxh6 Qxf2+ 27.Kh1 R6f7 28.R7e5 Qf6 29.h5 Qh4+ 30.Kg1 Rf2 31.Rg5 Rxg2+ 32.Rxg2 Qxe1+ 33.Kh2 Qh4+ 34.Kg1 Rf6 35.Qe3 Qxh5 36.Qe8+ Kg7 37.Qe7+ Rf7 38.Qe3 Qd1+ 39.Kh2 Qf3 40.Qe5+ Qf6 41.Qg3 Qd6 42.Qf4 Qxf4+ 0-1 (42) EdwardFerrars (2821)-AgressiveMode (2768) Blitz 2023]

[11.Ne4 Bg4

A) 12.Bxc6 bxc6 13.h3 Bh5 14.Ng3 Bg6 15.Ne5 *(15.Bd2 a5 16.Rc1 Qd6 17.Ne5 Bxd2*

18.Qxd2 Ra6 19.f4 f6 20.Nxg6 hxg6 21.Ne4 Qb4 22.Qd3 Rb6 23.Rf2 Rd8 24.Nc5 Ne7 25.Qe4 Nf5 26.g4 Nh4 27.Ne6 Rd6 28.g5 c5 29.Nxc5 Qxd4 30.gxf6 Qxe4 31.Nxe4 Rd4 32.f7+ Kxf7 33.Rxc7+ Kf8 34.Ng5 Ke8 35.Re2+ Kd8 36.Rxg7 Rxf4 37.Ne6+ Rxe6 38.Rxe6 Nf3+ 39.Kh1 Ng5 40.Rexg6 Nxh3 41.Rg2 Rh4 42.Rh2 Nf2+ 43.Kg1 Rxh2 44.Kxh2 Ne4 45.Ra7 Nd6 46.Rxa5 Kc7 47.Ra6 Nb5 48.a4 Nd4 49.b4 Kb7 50.b5 Nc2 51.Kg3 Nb4 52.Rf6 Nd5 53.Rh6 Nc3 54.Ra6 Nd5 55.Kf3 Nb4 56.Rh6 Kc7 57.a5 Nd3 58.Rh7+ Kb8 59.a6 Kc8 60.a7 Ne5+ 61.Ke4 Nd7 62.a8Q+ Nb8 63.Rh8+ Kd7 64.Qd5+ 1-0 (64) Bzlapped (2657)-kartoGM (2678) Blitz 2022*)* 15...Bd6 16.Qf3 Bxe5 17.dxe5 Qe7 18.Re1 Nb4 19.Nf5 Qd7 20.Ne3 Qe6 21.Bd2 Nd3 22.Re2 Nxb2 23.Rc1 Nd3 24.Rc3 Nxe5 25.Qg3 Nd3 26.Qf3 Be4 27.Qh5 Nf4 0-1 (27) VladislavKrasikov_FM (2705)-zvonokchess (2817) Blitz 2022;

B) 12.a3 Be7 13.h3 Bxf3 14.Qxf3 Nxd4 15.Qd3 c5 16.Rd1 b5 17.Bc2 f5 18.Nc3 Bf6 19.Nxd5 Qxd5 20.Be3 Rad8 21.Bxd4 Bxd4 22.a4 c4 23.Qg3 Qe5 24.axb5 Qxg3 0-1 (24) FBINC (2804)-NewLife2023 (2694) Blitz 2023]

[11.Qb3 Bxc3 12.bxc3 b5 13.c4 Na5 14.Qc2 Nxc4 15.Bb3 Ndb6 16.a4 Bg4 17.Ng5 g6 18.axb5 axb5 19.Rxa8 Qxa8 20.Ne4 Bf5 21.f3 Qd8 22.Qf2 Kg7 23.Bg5 f6 24.Bf4 Nd5 25.Bc1 Re8 26.Qh4 g5 27.Qf2 Qd6 28.Nxd6 1-0 (28) zRivencx (2788)-NewLife2023 (2611) Blitz 2023]

[11.Bc2 Bg4 *(11...Nce7 12.Ne5 Bf5 13.Ne4 c6 14.a3 Bd6 15.Ng5 h6 16.Bxf5 Nxf5 17.Qd3 Qc8 18.Ngf3 Nfe7 19.Qb3 Rb8 20.Nc4 Bc7 21.Bd2 Qf5 22.Rfe1 Ng6 23.Ne3 Nxe3 24.fxe3 Qe4 25.Bb4 Rfe8 26.Rad1 Rbd8 27.Qd3 Qxd3 28.Rxd3 Nf4 29.Rdd1 Nd5 30.Bd2 Nf6 31.Bc1 Ne4 32.Nd2 Nxd2 33.Bxd2 Re4 34.Kf2 f5 35.g3 g5 36.Rg1 Rd5 37.Rc1 Kf7 38.Bb4 Ke6 39.Rc5 Rxc5 40.Bxc5 Kd5 41.h4 gxh4 42.gxh4 Rxh4 43.Rg7 Rh2+ 44.Kg1 Rxb2 45.Rxc7 Rb1+ 46.Kf2 Rb2+ 47.Kf3 b6 48.Rd7+ Kc4 49.Bf8 a5 50.Bxh6 Kb5 51.Bf8 Rb1 52.Rf7 Ka6 53.Rxf5 Rf1+ 54.Ke4 Rg1 55.Rf7 Rb1 56.Be7 Kb5 57.Rf8 Re1 58.Rf5+ Ka6 59.Rf2 Rb1 60.Rb2 Kb7 61.Rxb1* 1-0 (61) SoltanRus (2644)-DoctorEdgar (2577) Blitz 2023*)* 12.Qd3 g6 *(12...Nf6 13.Bg5 g6 14.d5 Bf5 15.Qd2 Bxc3 16.bxc3 Bxc2 17.Qxc2 Nb8 18.Rfe1 Nbd7 19.Ne5 Nxe5 20.Rxe5 Qd6 21.Rae1 Nxd5 22.c4 Nf6 23.Qc3 Rfe8 24.Bxf6 Rxe5 25.Qxe5 Qxe5 26.Rxe5 Kf8 27.f3 Re8 28.Bg7+* 1-0 (28) MasterofMayhem (2696)-MihailRodin (2576) Blitz 2022 *)*

A) 13.Bh6 Re8 14.Nxd5 Qxd5 15.Bb3 Qf5 *(15...Qh5 16.Bxf7+ Kxf7 17.Ng5+ Kf6 18.Nxh7+ Kf7 19.Ng5+ Kf6 20.Qb3 Re7 21.f3 Bf5 22.Ne4+ Rxe4 23.fxe4 Qxh6 24.exf5 gxf5 25.Qd5 Ne7 26.Qxb7 Rh8 27.Qxb4 Qxh2+ 28.Kf2 Qh4+ 29.Kg1 Qh2+ 30.Kf2 Qf4+ 31.Kg1 Qh2+* ½-½ (31) DrEstranged (2645)-

BohmianMechanics (2571) Blitz 2022 *)* 16.Qxf5 Bxf5 17.Ng5 Nd8 18.Rac1 c6 19.d5 cxd5 20.Bxd5 Ne6 21.Bxb7 Ra7 22.Bc6 Rb8 23.Rfd1 Nxg5 24.Bxg5 Be7 25.Be3 Rc7 26.Bf4 Rxc6 27.Rxc6 Rxb2 28.Rxa6 Be4 29.Be5 Rb5 30.Bf6 Bxf6 31.Rxf6 Ra5 32.Rd2 Bd5 33.Rd6 Bxa2 34.h3 Be6 35.Rb2 h5 36.h4 Ra4 37.g3 Ra1+ 38.Kg2 Ra4 39.Rbb6 Re4 40.Kf3 Re1 41.Kg2 Re5 42.Rd2 Re1 43.Rbb2 Re5 44.f3 Ra5 45.Kf2 Rc5 46.Re2 Ra5 47.Rbc2 Ra8 48.Rcd2 Re8 49.Rd4 Kg7 50.g4 Kg8 51.gxh5 gxh5 52.Re5 Kg7 53.Rxh5 Kf6 54.Ra5 Ra8 55.Rxa8 1-0 (55) DrEstranged (2646)-BohmianMechanics (2557) Blitz 2022;

B) 13.Nxd5 Qxd5 14.Bb3 Qh5 15.Ng5 Rad8 16.d5 Be2 17.Qg3 Bxf1 18.dxc6 Bc4 19.Bf4 Bxb3 20.h4 Rd1+ 21.Rxd1 Qxd1+ 22.Kh2 Bd5 23.cxb7 Bxb7 24.Bxc7 Qd5 25.f3 Rc8 26.Ne4 Be7 27.Be5 Qe6 28.Ng5 Bxg5 29.hxg5 Qxa2 30.Bd4 Qd5 31.Bc3 Re8 32.Qf4 Qf5 33.Qd4 f6 34.gxf6 Qh5+ 35.Kg3 Qg5+ 36.Kf2 Qd5 37.f7+ Kf8 38.Qg7+ Ke7 39.f8Q+ Ke6 40.Qxe8+ Kd6 41.Qgd7+ 1-0 (41) IMFAR (2764)-merrychristmas123 (2610) Blitz 2023]

[11.Bxc6 bxc6 12.Ne4 Bf5 *(12...Re8 13.Ng3 a5 14.a3 Bd6 15.Qc2 Bg4 16.Qxc6 Bxf3 17.gxf3 Bf4 18.Rd1 Re6 19.Qb7 Rb8 20.Qa7 Rh6 21.Qc5 Qh4 22.Qxd5 Qxh2+ 23.Kf1 Bxg3 24.fxg3 Qh1+ 25.Ke2 Rh2+* 0-1 (25) JelenaZ (2639)-kartoGM (2729) Blitz 2022*)* 13.Ng3 Bg6 14.Bd2 *(14.Ne5 Qf6 15.Nd7 Qh4 16.Nxf8 Rxf8 17.h3 f5 18.Bd2 Bd6 19.Nh1 Qxd4 20.Bc3 Qf4 21.Ng3 Nxc3 22.bxc3 Qg5 23.Ne2 f4 24.Nd4 f3 25.Nxf3 Qf4 26.Re1 Be4 27.Qd4 c5 28.Qxe4* 1-0 (28) Bacrot,E (2680)-Slovineanu,V (2412) chess.com INT 2024*)* 14...c5 15.Bxb4 cxb4 16.Ne5 Re8 17.Rc1 f6 18.Nxg6 hxg6 19.Qb3 Re6 20.Rc5 c6 21.Rfc1 Qd7 22.Qc4 Rae8 23.h3 Kh7 24.Kh2 Nf4 25.Rxc6 Rxc6 26.Qxc6 Qxc6 27.Rxc6 Nd3 28.Rxa6 Nxb2 29.Rb6 Nd3 30.f3 Ra8 31.Ne4 Rxa2 32.Rb7 Kh6 33.Rb8 g5 34.h4 Ne1 35.hxg5+ fxg5 36.Rb6+ g6 37.Kh3 Nxg2 38.f4 Nxf4+ 39.Kg4 Nd5 40.Rb5 Nc3 41.Rb8 Nxe4 42.Kf3 Nf6 43.Rb6 Kg7 44.Rb7+ Kf8 45.Rb8+ Kf7 46.Rb7+ Ke6 47.Rb6+ Ke7 48.Rb7+ Kd6 49.Rb6+ Ke7 50.Rb7+ Nd7 51.Rb5 Rb2 52.Kg4 b3 53.Kxg5 Rb1 54.Kxg6 b2 55.Rxb2 Rxb2 56.d5 Rd2 0-1 (56) Opertis (2690)-xamax2000 (2611) Blitz 2021]

[11.Qc2 Nce7 *(11...h6 12.a3 Nxc3 13.bxc3 Bd6 14.Bb3 Qf6 15.Be3 Bf5 16.Qd1 Rae8 17.Bc2 Na5 18.Nd2 Re7 19.Bxf5 Qxf5 20.c4 b6 21.a4 Rfe8 22.Rc1 Ba3 23.Qc2 Qh5 24.Rb1 Bd6 25.Nf3 Re4 26.c5 bxc5 27.dxc5 Bxh2+ 28.Nxh2 Rh4 29.g4 Qe5 30.f4 Qxe3+ 31.Qf2 Rh3 32.Qxe3 Rhxe3 33.Nf3 R3e4 34.Ne5 g5 35.Rbe1 Rxe1 36.Rxe1 gxf4 37.Kf2 Nb3 38.Nd3 Rd8 39.Nxf4 Nxc5 40.Rc1 Rd4 41.Ke3 Re4+* 0-1 (41) Karthikeyan M2 (2610)-Le Tuan,M (2567) chess.com INT 2024 *)* 12.Ne5 Bf5 13.Qd2 Ng6 14.Nxg6 hxg6 15.a3 Be7 16.Bb3 Nxc3 17.bxc3 c5 18.d5 Bf6 19.Bb2

b5 20.c4 Bxb2 21.Qxb2 Bd3 22.Rfc1 bxc4 23.Ba2 Qxd5 24.Qc3 Rac8 25.Re1 Qd4 26.Rac1 Rfd8 27.Bxc4 Qxc3 28.Rxc3 Bxc4 29.Rxc4 Rd4 30.Rc3 c4 31.Rec1 Kf8 32.g3 Ke7 33.Kg2 Kd6 34.Re3 Kd5 35.Re7 c3 36.Rxf7 c2 37.Rd7+ Ke4 38.Re7+ Kd3 39.Ree1 Kd2 0-1 (39) k_zhitnik (2628)-Somkin,K (2121) Blitz 2024]

11...Nce7

[11...g6 12.Bh6 Bf5 13.Qd2 Re8 14.Rfe1 Qd6 15.Bb3 Nf6 16.h3 Ne4 17.Rxe4 Bxe4 18.Ng5 Bxc3 19.bxc3 Bd5 20.c4 Be6 21.Ne4 Qxd4 22.Qxd4 Nxd4 23.Nf6+ Kh8 24.Nxe8 Rxe8 25.Rd1 c5 26.Be3 Rd8 27.Kf1 Kg7 28.f3 b5 29.cxb5 axb5 30.Kf2 Bxb3 31.axb3 b4 32.Rd3 Rd5 33.g4 Kf6 34.f4 Ke6 35.h4 f5 36.g5 Nc2 37.Rxd5 Kxd5 38.Bd2 Nd4 39.Ke3 Nxb3 40.Be1 Nd4 41.Kd3 c4+ 42.Ke3 c3 43.Kd3 Nb3 44.Kc2 Nc5 45.Bxc3 bxc3 46.Kxc3 Ke4 47.Kc4 Kxf4 48.Kxc5 Kg4 49.Kd6 f4 50.Ke6 Kxh4 51.Kf7 Kxg5 52.Kg7 f3 53.Kxh7 f2 54.Kg7 f1Q 55.Kh7 Qf5 56.Kg7 Kh5 57.Kh7 g5+ 58.Kg7 g4 59.Kh8 g3 60.Kg8 Qd7 61.Kh8 Kg6 62.Kg8 Qg7# 0-1 (62) Ferenc83 (2672)-vladimir_aridov (2495) Blitz 2024]

[11...b5 12.Bc2 g6 13.Bh6 Re8 14.Rfe1 Be6 15.Ng5 Qd7 16.Nxe6 Rxe6 17.Rxe6 Qxe6 18.Nxd5 Qxd5 19.Bb3 Qd7 20.d5 Bf8 21.Bf4 Bg7 22.Qc2 Ne5 23.Rc1 Nc4 24.Bxc4 bxc4 25.Qxc4 Bxb2 26.Rb1 Bg7 27.Qc6 Qe8 28.Qxe8+ Rxe8 29.Bxc7 Be5 30.d6 Ra8 31.Rc1 Kg7 32.d7 Bxc7 33.Rxc7 Rd8 34.Ra7 Kf8 35.g4 Ke7 36.Rxa6 Rxd7 37.Kg2 h6 38.Kg3 Rd2 39.h4 Kf8 40.f3 Kg7 41.a4 Ra2 42.Ra8 Ra3 43.h5 g5 44.a5 Ra4 45.a6 Ra3 46.Kf2 Ra4 47.Ke3 Ra3+ 48.Ke4 Ra4+ 49.Kd5 Ra3 50.Kc6 Rc3+ 51.Kb5 Rb3+ 52.Ka4 Rb1 53.Rc8 Ra1+ 54.Kb5 Rb1+ 55.Ka5 Ra1+ 56.Kb6 Rb1+ 57.Ka7 Rb3 58.Rc6 Rxf3 59.Kb7 Ra3 60.a7 1-0 (60) Lixie1903 (2605)-BohmianMechanics (2564) Blitz 2022]

12.Ne5 f6 13.Nf3 Bf5 14.Qd2 Kh8 15.a3 Bd6 16.Re1 Nf4 17.Bc2 Bxc2 18.Qxc2 Qd7 19.Bxf4 Bxf4 20.d5 Nxd5 21.Rad1 c6 22.Nxd5 cxd5 23.Rd4 Bh6 24.Red1 Rac8 25.Qb3 Rfe8 26.Rxd5 Qc6 27.Nd4 Qc4 28.Qxc4 Rxc4 29.g3 g6 30.Rd7 b5 31.Kg2 Bf8 32.Rf7 h5 33.Rxf6 Rd8 34.b3 Rc3 35.Rxg6 Bc5 36.Ne2 Rxd1 37.Nxc3 Rd3 38.Ne4 Bxa3 39.Nf6 Rd8 40.Nxh5 Kh7 41.Rxa6 b4 42.Nf6+ Kg6 43.Nd5+ Kf5 44.Ra5 Ke4 45.Ne3 Kd3 46.Rc5 Bb2 47.Nd5 Bd4 48.Nxb4+ 1-0 (48) IntoAttack (2880)-NewLife2023 (2654) Blitz 2023

9...Qxd5 10.Bb3 Qe4+ 11.Be3 Nd5 12.0-0 Bxc3 13.bxc3 0-0 14.Qd2 Na5 15.Bc2 Qg4 16.Ne5 Qh5 17.c4 Nxe3 18.fxe3 b6 19.Rf3 f6 20.Raf1 Be6 21.Qb4 Rfe8 22.Bf5 Bxf5 23.Rxf5 Qe2 24.Nf3 Qxe3+ 25.Kh1 Qd3 26.Nh4 Nxc4 27.R5f3 Ne3 28.Nf5 Qe2 29.Qb3+ Nc4 30.Ng3 Qe6 31.h4 b5 32.h5 Nd2 33.Qc2 Nxf3 34.Rxf3 Qg4 35.Nf5 Qxh5+ 36.Rh3 Qg6 37.Kh2 Qg5 38.Rg3 Qf4 39.Nxg7 Kh8 40.Nh5 Qh6 41.Rh3 Rg8 42.Qc6 Rg6 43.Ng3 Rgg8 44.Rxh6 Raf8 45.Qxf6+ Rxf6 46.Rxf6 Rg7 47.Rf3 Rg8 48.Nf5 Rg7 49.Kg1 Rg8 50.Nh4 Rf8 51.Nf5 Rxf5 52.Kf2 Kg7 53.g4 Kg6 54.gxf5+ Kg5 55.d5 Kf6 56.d6 Ke5 57.Rg3

1-0 (57) puziko52 (2775)-pozvonochek (2833) Blitz 2024

97 **11...0-0** 12.Re1 [12.h3 Ng6 *(12...Bf5 13.Re1 Ng6 14.Bb3 Qd6 15.c4 Rfe8 16.Be3 Be4 17.d5 Bxf3 18.Qxf3 Nce5 19.Qd1 c5 20.a4 f5 21.a5 f4 22.Bc1 Qf6 23.Rb1 Nh4 24.Bc2 Nef3+ 25.Kf1 Rxe1+ 26.Qxe1 Nxe1 27.Kxe1 Re8+ 28.Kf1 Qc3* 0-1 (28) TOTOYBATO1 (2712)-IMFAR (2794) Blitz 2022*; 12...b5 13.Bb3 Qh5 14.Re1 Ng6 15.Ba3 Rd8 16.Qe2 Nf8 17.Qe4 Bd7 18.g4 Qg6 19.Qxg6 Nxg6 20.Ng5 Nh8 21.d5 Na5 22.Bc2 Ng6 23.f4 Nc4 24.Bc5 h6 25.f5 Nf4 26.Nf3 Nxh3+ 27.Kh2 Ng5 28.Nxg5 hxg5 29.Be7 Re8 30.Bxg5 Ne5 31.Kg3 f6 32.Bf4 Rad8 33.Bb3 Kf8 34.Rh1 Ke7 35.Rh7 Rg8 36.d6+ cxd6 37.Bxg8 Rxg8 38.g5 Bxf5 39.gxf6+ Kxf6 40.Rh5 g5 41.Rh6+ Bg6 42.Bxe5+ dxe5 43.Rf1+ Kg7 44.Rh2 Rc8 45.Rc1 Rc4 46.Rd2 Bf5 47.Rd5 Rg4+ 48.Kf3 Rf4+ 49.Ke3 Kf6 50.Rd6+ Be6 51.Rd2 Kf5 52.Rf2 g4 53.Rcf1 Rxf2 54.Rxf2+ Kg5 55.Ke4 Bf5+ 56.Kxe5 Kh4 57.Rxf5 g3 58.Rf4+ Kh3 59.Rf3 Kh2 60.Rxg3 Kxg3 61.Kd4 Kf3 62.Kc5 Ke3 63.Kb6 Kd3 64.Kxa6 Kxc3 65.Kxb5 Kb2 66.a4 Ka2 67.a5 Kb2 68.a6 Kc2 69.a7 Kc1 70.a8Q Kb1 71.Qe4+ Kc1 72.Qf3 Kb1 73.Kc4 Ka1 74.Qf2 Kb1 75.Kb3 Ka1* ½-½ (75) Rumple_DarkOne (2608)-vovaches (2666) Blitz 2023*) 13.Re1 Qd6 14.Ng5 Bf5 15.Qh5 h6 16.Ne4 Bxe4 17.Rxe4 Rae8 18.Rxe8 Rxe8 19.Be3 b5 20.Bc2 Na5 21.a4 Nc4 22.axb5 axb5 23.Qxb5 Qe6 24.Bb3 Nd6 25.Bxe6 Nxb5 26.Bd7 Rb8 27.Rb1 Rd8 28.Bxb5 Nf8 29.Bc4 Ra8 30.Rb7 Rc8 31.Bf4 Ng6 32.Rxc7 Rf8 33.Bd6 Ra8 34.Bxf7+ Kh7 35.Bxg6+ Kxg6 36.Be5 Kf5 37.Bxg7 h5 38.h4 Kg4 39.Bf6 Ra2 40.Rc5 Ra1+ 41.Kh2 Ra2 42.f3+ Kf4 43.Bg5# Normal 1-0 (43) Klessyhdra (2730)-Calzonesdesuperman (2565) Blitz 2024]

[12.Bb3 Qh5 13.h3 Rd8 *(13...Qa5 14.Qd3 Bf5 15.Qe3 Rfe8 16.Qg5 h6 17.Qg3 Bg6 18.Nh4 Qh5 19.Ba3 Kh7 20.Nxg6 fxg6 21.Rfe1 Nf5 22.Qxc7 Qg5 23.Qxb7 Na5 24.Qf3 Qd2 25.Red1 Qg5 26.c4 Rad8 27.d5 Qf6 28.c5 Nxb3 29.axb3 Qe5 30.d6 Nd4 31.Qe3 Qxe3 32.fxe3 Nxb3 33.Rab1 Na5 34.Rb6 Nc4 35.Rxa6 Rxe3 36.Bc1 Re6 37.Ra4 Nxd6 38.cxd6 Rexd6 39.Rxd6 Rxd6 40.Be3 Re6 41.Kf2 Rf6+ 42.Ke2 Rf7 43.Bd4 Rd7 44.Kd3 g5 45.Ra7 Rd8 46.Rxg7+ Kh8 47.Rd7+* 1-0 (47) schaakam (2609)-Calzonesdesuperman (2635) Blitz 2023 *)* 14.Re1 *(14.Ng5 Qxd1 15.Rxd1 Rf8 16.Ba3 h6 17.Re1 hxg5 18.Bxe7 Nxe7 19.Rxe7 Bf5 20.Rxc7 Rac8 21.Bxf7+ Kh7* 0-1 (21) habitualthinker (2619)-Calzonesdesuperman (2572) Blitz 2023 *)* 14...Nd5 15.c4 Nf6 16.Bf4 Bf5 17.Bxc7 Rd7 18.Bh2 Be4 19.d5 Na5 20.Ne5 Qxd1 21.Raxd1 Rdd8 22.f3 Nxb3 23.fxe4 Nc5 24.Nd3 Nfxe4 25.Nxc5 Nxc5 26.Bc7 Rd7 27.Bb6 Na4 28.Bf2 h6 29.Rd2 Rc8 30.Rc1 Nc5 31.Bxc5 Rxc5 32.a4 Kf8 33.Rb2 Ke7 34.Rb6 Kd8 35.Rcb1 Kc8 36.R1b4 a5 37.R4b5 Rxc4 38.Rxa5 Kc7 39.Rbb5 Kd6

40.Ra7 Ke5 41.Raxb7 Rcc7 42.Rxc7 Rxc7 43.a5 Rc1+ 44.Kh2 Ra1 45.Rb7 Kf6 46.Ra7 g5 47.d6 Ke6 48.d7 Rd1 49.a6 Ke7 50.Ra8 Kxd7 51.a7 Ra1 52.Rf8 Ke7 53.a8Q Rxa8 54.Rxa8 Kf6 55.Ra6+ Kg7 56.Kg3 f6 57.Kg4 Kg6 58.g3 h5+ 59.Kf3 Kf5 60.g4+ Kg6 61.Ke4 hxg4 62.hxg4 Kg7 63.Kf5 Kf7 64.Rxf6+ Kg7 65.Rg6+ Kh7 66.Rxg5 Kh6 67.Rg6+ Kh7 68.g5 Kh8 ½-½ (68) apollothedog (2668)-Calzonesdesuperman (2652) Blitz 2023]

[12.Ba3 Rd8 13.Bb3 Qa5 14.Bc5 Bf5 15.Ng5 Bg6 16.Qf3 Rf8 17.Rfe1 Rae8 18.h4 h5 19.Re4 b6 20.Rf4 bxc5 21.Rxf7 c4 22.Bxc4 Rxf7 23.Bxf7+ Kh8 24.Bxg6 Nxg6 25.Qxh5+ Kg8 26.Qxg6 1-0 (26) jncool68 (2647)-FraDoNicks (2809) Blitz 2021]

12...Bg4 13.Ba3 Rfe8 14.Bxe7 Rxe7 15.Bxc6 Rxe1+ 16.Nxe1 Qxc6 17.Qxg4 Qxc3 18.Rd1

[18.Rb1 Re8 19.Qd1 b5 20.h3 h6 21.Nf3 Qa3 22.Qc2 Re6 23.d5 Rg6 24.Re1 Kf8 25.Qxc7 1-0 (25) Andreikin,D (2729)-Dubnevych,M (2267) chess.com INT 2024]

18...Re8 19.Nf3 Qc2 20.Rf1 Rd8 21.a3 Qd3 22.Qf4 1-0 (22) Konstantin_Tarlev (2794)-mocaspoke (2601) Blitz 2021

12.Re1

[12.Bb3

A) 12...Qh5

A1) 13.Ba3 0-0-0 14.h3 Bxf3 15.Qxf3 Qxf3 16.gxf3 Nd5 *(16...f6 17.Kh2 Ng6 18.Rae1 Rhe8 19.Be6+ Kb8 20.Bf7 Rxe1 21.Rxe1 Nf4 22.Re8 Rxe8 23.Bxe8 Nd5 24.Bb2 Na5 25.Bf7 Nf4 26.Bc1 Nd3 27.Bd2 Nxf2 28.Bg8 h6 29.Kg3 Nd3 30.Kg4 c5 31.Kf5 cxd4 32.cxd4 Nc6 33.Kg6 Nxd4 34.Kxg7 Nxf3 35.Be3 f5 36.Bd5 Nfe5 37.Kxh6 f4 38.Bd4 f3 39.Kg5 f2 40.Bg2 Nf3+* 0-1 (40) oyoy23 (2701)-Coolestbean (2696) Blitz 2024 *)* 17.Rac1 Rhe8 18.Kh2 Re2 19.Kg3 Na5 20.Bxd5 Rxd5 21.Rfe1 Re6 22.Rxe6 fxe6 23.Bf8 g6 24.Re1 Kd7 25.h4 Nc4 26.Kg4 Rf5 27.Bh6 a5 28.Bf4 a4 29.Be5 b5 30.f4 Nb6 31.Rb1 Kc6 32.Kf3 Nd5 33.Rc1 Nb6 34.Rg1 Nc4 35.Ke4 Nd2+ 36.Ke3 Nc4+ 37.Ke4 Nb6 38.Rh1 Kd7 39.Kf3 c6 40.Rg1 Nc4 41.Rh1 Ke7 42.Rg1 Kf7 43.Rh1 Kg8 44.Rg1 Kf8 45.Rh1 Ke7 46.Rg1 Kd8 47.Rh1 Kc8 48.Rg1 Kb7 49.Rh1 Kb6 50.Rg1 Ka5 51.Ke4 Ka6 52.Rh1 Kb6 53.Rg1 Nd2+ 54.Ke3 Nc4+ 55.Ke4 c5 56.dxc5+ Kxc5 57.Bd4+ Kc6 58.Rd1 Nd6+ 59.Kf3 Rd5 60.Ke2 Nf5 61.Kd3 b4 62.Kc4 bxc3 63.Kxc3 Nxh4 64.Rb1 Nf5 65.Be5 Rc5+ 66.Kd3 Rb5 67.Rc1+ Rc5 68.Rb1 Nd6 69.Rh1 Nf7 70.Bd4 Rf5 71.Rxh7 Rxf4 72.Be3 Rf5 73.Rg7 Kd5 74.Rg8 Ne5+ 75.Ke2 Nc4 76.Rd8+ Ke4 77.Rb8 Nxe3 78.Rb4+ Ke5 79.Rxa4 Kf6 80.fxe3 Rd5 81.Ra6 Rc5 82.Rxe6+ 1-0 (82) chessplay8 (2836)-Svallap (2734) Blitz 2023;

A2) 13.Re1 Bxf3 14.Qxf3 Qxf3 15.gxf3 0-0-0 16.Bxf7 Rhf8

17.Bh5 Nd5 18.Bd2 Na5 19.Re4 Nc4 20.Be1 Kb8 21.Bg4 g6 22.Rb1 h5 23.Bh3 Rxf3 24.Bg2 Rf5 25.a4 Nd6 26.Re6 Rg5 27.Bd2 Rg4 28.h3 Nf4 29.hxg4 Nxe6 30.gxh5 gxh5 31.Re1 Ng7 32.Re5 Ngf5 33.Bc1 Rg8 34.Kh2 Kc8 35.Bh3 Rf8 36.Ba3 Kd8 37.Bxf5 Rxf5 38.Bxd6 Rxf2+ 39.Kg3 cxd6 40.Rxh5 Rc2 41.Rh7 Rxc3+ 42.Kf4 Rc4 43.Ke4 Rxa4 44.Rxb7 Ra5 45.Ra7 Kc8 46.d5 Ra1 47.Kf5 Re1 48.Rxa6 Re5+ 49.Kf4 Rxd5 50.Ke4 Re5+ 51.Kd4 Kc7 52.Ra5 Rxa5 0-1 (52) Train_account (2619)-spectraline (2570) Blitz 2025;

A3) 13.h3 Bxf3 14.Qxf3 Qxf3 15.gxf3 Na5 *(15...0-0 16.Re1 Nf5 17.Bf4 Rac8 18.Bg3 Na5 19.Bc2 Nxg3 20.fxg3 Rfe8 21.Kf2 Kf8 22.f4 c5 23.d5 Nc4 24.a4 h6 25.Rab1 Rxe1 26.Kxe1 Na3 27.Rb2 Rd8 28.Be4 Re8 29.Re2 Nc4 30.Kf2 Nd6 31.Kf3 b5 32.axb5 axb5 33.g4 Rxe4 34.Rxe4 Nxe4 35.Kxe4 Ke7 36.Ke5 f6+ 37.Ke4 Kd6 38.h4 Kd7 39.Kf5 b4 40.cxb4 cxb4 41.Ke4 Kd6 42.Kd4 b3 43.Kc3 Kxd5 44.Kxb3 Ke4 45.g5 Kxf4 46.gxf6 gxf6 47.Kc4 Kg4 48.Kd5 Kxh4 49.Ke6 Kg4 50.Kxf6 h5 51.Ke5 h4 52.Ke4 Kg3 53.Ke3 h3 54.Ke2 Kg2* 0-1 (54) kacper05 (2755)-Dekelija (2750) Blitz 2024*)* 16.Bc2 *(16.Ba4+ b5 17.Bc2 Kd7 18.a4 Nc4 19.Bd3 g6 20.Bg5 Nd5 21.Be4 c6 22.Bxd5 cxd5 23.Rfb1 Kc6 24.Ra2 h6 25.Bf6 Rhe8 26.Bg7 h5 27.Rba1 bxa4 28.Rxa4 a5 29.Kg2 Rab8 30.Rxc4+ dxc4 31.Rxa5 Rec8 32.Be5 Rb3 33.Rc5+ Kd7 34.Rd5+ Ke8 35.f4 Rxc3 36.f5 gxf5 37.Bf6 Rd3 38.Re5+ Kd7 39.Re7+ Kd6 40.Rxf7 Ke6 41.Be5 Kxf7* 0-1 (41) Jonathan_Tah9393 (2649)-HowardShore (2643) Blitz 2024 *)* 16...0-0-0 17.Rb1 Nd5 18.Bb2 Nc4 19.Rfc1 g6 20.Bd3 Nd2 21.Ra1 Nxf3+ 22.Kg2 Nf4+ 23.Kxf3 Nxd3 24.Rc2 Rhe8 25.Kg3 Rd5 26.Ba3 Rg5+ 0-1 (26) Kivurawnuru (2856)-KKlie4 (2872) Blitz 2023;

B) 12...Bxf3

B1) 13.Qxf3 Qxf3 14.gxf3

B1a) 14...0-0 15.Bf4 *(15.Re1 Rfe8 16.Bf4 Rac8 17.d5 Na5 18.c4 Kf8 19.Re4 Red8 20.Rae1 Nf5 21.Bd2 Nxb3 22.axb3 c6 23.Ba5 Re8 24.Bb4+* 1-0 (24) Incike (2612)-slouuuurps (2662) Blitz 2025*)* 15...Rac8 16.Rfe1 Ng6 17.Bg3 Na5 18.Bc2 c6 19.h4 Rfe8 20.h5 Ne7 21.Bd6 Nd5 22.Bf5 Rcd8 23.Bd7 Rxe1+ 24.Rxe1 h6 25.Re8+ Rxe8 26.Bxe8 Nc4 0-1 (26) LucaBrazzi (2744)-spectraline (2593) Blitz 2023;

B1b) 14...f6

B1b1) 15.Ba3 0-0-0 16.Rfe1 Nd5 17.Rac1 *(17.c4 Nf4 18.d5 Ne5 19.Re3 h5 20.Rd1 h4 21.Rd4 g5 22.Be7 Rd6 23.c5 Nh3+ 24.Kf1* 1-0 (24) Eraschenkov,D

(2665)-spectraline (2622) Blitz 2022*)* 17...Nf4 18.Re4 g5 19.Rce1 Kb8 20.Bc2 h5 21.Bc1 Nd5 22.Bd2 Na5 23.Bb3 b5 24.Re6 Nc4 25.Bxc4 bxc4 26.Rxa6 Rhe8 27.Rb1+ Nb6 28.Kf1 Rd5 29.Ra4 Kc8 30.Ra7 Rf5 31.Be3 Rxf3 32.Kg2 Rf5 33.d5 Nxd5 34.Bd4 Re2 35.a4 Nf4+ 36.Kf1 Ra2 37.Rbb7 Nd5 38.a5 g4 39.Kg2 h4 40.h3 g3 41.Kg1 gxf2+ 42.Bxf2 Rfxf2 43.a6 Rg2+ 44.Kh1 Rh2+ 45.Kg1 Rag2+ 46.Kf1 Ne3+ 47.Ke1 Re2# Normal 0-1 (47) notkevich (2684)-spectraline (2550) Blitz 2024;

B1b2) 15.Bf4 0-0-0 16.Be6+ Kb8 17.Rfe1 Nd5 18.Bd2 b5 19.a4 Kb7 20.axb5 axb5 21.Rab1 Ka6 22.Rb2 Na5 23.Ra1 Kb6 24.Bxd5 Rxd5 25.Rxa5 1-0 (25) mircica (2693)-spectraline (2567) Blitz 2023;

B1c) 14...Na5 15.Re1 *(15.Bc2 0-0-0 16.Bd3 Nd5 17.Bd2 b5 18.Rfb1 Nc4 19.Be1 Nf4 20.Bf5+ Kb7 21.a4 c6 22.axb5 axb5 23.Be4 Kb6 24.Ra4 Nd6 25.c4 Nxe4 26.cxb5 Ne2+ 27.Kf1 N4c3 28.Ra6+ Kb7 29.Rba1 cxb5 30.Ra7+ Kc6 31.R1a6+ Kd5 32.Rxf7 Rhf8 33.Rxg7 b4 34.Rxh7 Kc4 35.Rb7 Nxd4 36.Rab6 Nc2 37.Rc7+ Kd3 38.Rxb4 Nxb4 39.Rxc3+ Kd4 40.Rc7 Nd5 41.Rh7 Rxf3 42.Kg2 Rf5* 0-1 (42) matikoza (2787)-zvonokchess (2856) Blitz 2022 *)* 15...Nxb3 16.axb3 Kd7 17.c4 Nf5 18.Re5 Nh4 19.Re4 Nxf3+ 20.Kg2 f5 21.Rf4 Ne1+ 22.Kf1 Rae8 23.Rxf5 Nc2 24.Rb1 Re1+ 25.Kg2 Rd1 26.Rf7+ Ke6 27.Rxc7 Nxd4 28.Rxb7 Ne2 29.Rxg7 Rxc1 30.Rxc1 Nxc1 31.Ra7 Nxb3 32.Rxa6+ Ke5 33.Rh6 Nd4 34.Kh3 Ne6 35.Kh4 Kf5 36.Rh5+ Kg6 37.Re5 Ng7 38.Rg5+ Kf6 39.Ra5 Rc8 40.Ra6+ Ke5 41.Ra7 Rxc4+ 42.Kh3 Kf6 43.Ra6+ Kf7 44.Ra7+ Kf6 45.Ra6+ Ne6 46.Kg3 h5 47.f3 h4+ 48.Kh3 Kf5 49.Ra5+ Kg6 50.Re5 Ng5+ 51.Kg2 Rc2+ 52.Kf1 Nxf3 53.Re3 Nxh2+ 54.Kg1 Ng4 55.Ra3 Kg5 56.Ra5+ Kf4 57.Ra4+ Kf3 58.Ra3+ Ne3 59.Kh1 h3 60.Rb3 Re2 61.Ra3 Kg3 62.Ra1 Ng4 63.Rg1+ Kh4 64.Ra1 Ne3 65.Kg1 Nf5 66.Rb1 Rg2+ 67.Kf1 Ng3+ 68.Ke1 h2 69.Rb4+ Kh3 70.Rf4 h1Q+ 0-1 (70) dmitrijiiiGM (2863)-pozvonochek (2864) Blitz 2025;

B2) 13.Bxd5 Bxd1 14.Rxd1 Nxd5 15.c4 Nf6 16.d5 Ne7 17.Bf4 Kd7 18.Rab1 b6 19.d6 Ng6 20.dxc7+ Kc8 21.Bg3 Ne4 22.Rxb6 Nxg3 23.hxg3 Kxc7 24.Rdd6 Ne7 25.Kh2 Rhd8 26.Rxa6 Rxa6 27.Rxa6 Kb7 28.Ra3 Rc8 29.Rf3 f6 30.Rf4

Kc6 31.g4 Ng6 32.Re4 Kd6 33.Kg3 Ne5 34.Rd4+ Ke6 35.c5 Rxc5 36.Ra4 Rc3+ 37.f3 Rc7 38.Ra6+ Kf7 39.Ra5 g5 40.Ra6 Kg6 41.a4 Rc2 42.Rd6 Ra2 43.Rd4 h5 44.gxh5+ Kxh5 45.f4 Ra3+ 46.Kf2 gxf4 47.Ke2 Kg5 48.Kf2 Kg4 49.Re4 Ra2+ 50.Kf1 Kg3 0-1 (50) anonymouslogin111 (2725)-spectraline (2614) Blitz 2023;

B3) 13.gxf3 Qd6 *(13...Qh5 14.Bf4 0-0-0 15.Re1 Rhe8 16.Qd3 Nf5 17.Re4 Nh4 18.Bd1 f5 19.Rxe8 Rxe8 20.Be2 Re6 21.Bg3 Rf6 22.f4 Qh6 23.d5 Ne7 24.Qd4 g5 25.Rb1 gxf4 26.Bxf4 Rg6+ 27.Kf1 Qg7 28.Qxg7 Rxg7 29.c4 Kd7 30.Be5 Rg8 31.Rxb7 Neg6 32.Rxc7+ Ke8 33.Bg3 f4 34.Rc8+ Kf7 35.Rxg8 Kxg8 36.Bxh4 Nxh4 37.Bg4 Kf7 38.c5 Ke7 39.c6 Kd6 40.Be6 Ng6 41.Ke2 Ne5 42.h4 h5 43.a3 a5 44.a4 Kc7 45.Kd2 Kd6 46.Kc3 Ng4 47.Kd4 Nxf2* 0-1 (47) Micheliavelli (2674)-spectraline (2604) Blitz 2023*)* 14.Re1 0-0 15.a4 Nd5 16.Ba3 Qg6+ 17.Kh1 Rfd8 18.Qd2 Qf5 19.Kg2 Nf4+ 20.Kh1 Nh3 21.Re3 Ne5 22.Qc2 Qxc2 23.Bxc2 Nc4 24.Re7 Nxa3 25.Bb3 Rf8 26.Rxa3 Rac8 27.Kg2 Nf4+ 28.Kg3 g5 29.Kg4 h6 30.Ra1 Kg7 31.Rae1 Kf6 32.h4 h5+ 33.Kg3 Ng6 34.hxg5+ Kxg5 35.Rxf7 Rxf7 36.Bxf7 h4+ 37.Kh2 Nf4 38.Rg1+ Kf6 39.Bc4 c5 40.Rg4 Ne6 41.d5 Ng5 42.Rf4+ Ke5 43.Rg4 Nxf3+ 44.Kg2 Nd2 45.Be2 Kxd5 46.c4+ Ke5 47.Rxh4 Rg8+ 48.Kh3 Ne4 49.Rh5+ Kd4 50.Rh4 Ke5 51.f4+ Kd4 52.f5 1-0 (52) rosagasa (2897)-ViktorMMs (2690) Blitz 2022]

[12.h3 Bxf3 13.Qxf3 Qxf3 14.gxf3 0-0-0 15.Bb3 f6 *(15...Nd5 16.c4 Nb6 17.c5 Nd5 18.Bb2 Nf4 19.Rad1 Nxd4 20.Bxf7 Rhf8 21.Bxd4 Ne2+ 22.Kg2 Nxd4 23.Bc4 Rf6 24.Rd3 Ne6 25.Bxe6+ Rxe6 26.Rfd1 Rxd3 27.Rxd3 Re2 28.a3 Rc2 29.Rd5 Rc3 30.a4 Rc4 31.a5 Ra4 32.c6 bxc6 33.Rc5 Kb7 34.Kg3 Rb4 35.Rf5 Rb5 36.Rf7 g6 37.Rxh7 Rxa5 38.h4 Rd5 39.Rg7 a5 40.Rxg6 a4 41.Kf4 Rd4+ 42.Kg3 a3 43.Re6 a2 44.Re1 Ra4 45.Ra1 Kc8 46.h5 Kd7 47.h6 Ke7 48.h7 Ra8 49.Rxa2 Rh8 50.Rc2 Rxh7 51.Rxc6 Kd7 52.Rc4 Kd6 53.f4 c5 54.Kf3 Kd5 55.Rc1 Rh3+ 56.Kg4 Ra3 57.f5 c4 58.f6 Ke6 59.Kg5 Ra8 60.Re1+ Kf7 61.Re7+ Kf8 62.Rc7 Rc8 63.Rxc8+ Kf7 64.Rc7+ Ke6 65.Rxc4 Kd5 66.Kg6 Kxc4 67.f7 Kd4 68.f8Q Ke4 69.Qf5+ Kd4 70.f4 Ke3 71.Qe5+ Kf3 72.f5 Kg4 73.f6 Kf3 74.f7 Kg4 75.f8Q Kh3 76.Kf6 Kg4 77.Ke7 Kh3 78.Qef6* 1-0 (78) TalentedBear (2643)-pozvonochek (2810) Blitz 2023*)* 16.Bd2 b5 17.Rfe1 Nd5 18.Re6 Kb7 19.a4 b4 20.Rb1 a5 21.Bxd5 Rxd5 22.cxb4 Nxd4 23.bxa5+ Ka7 24.Be3 c5 25.Re7+ Ka6 26.Bxd4 cxd4 27.Rxg7 d3 28.Kf1 Rc8 29.Rxh7 d2 30.Rd1 Kxa5 31.Re7 Kxa4 32.Ke2 Rc2 33.h4 Kb3 34.h5 Rxh5 35.Rxd2 Rxd2+ 36.Kxd2 Kc4 37.Ra7 Kd4 38.Ra4+ 1-0 (38)

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[12.c4 Bxf3 13.Qxf3 Qxf3 14.gxf3 0-0-0 15.d5 Ne5 16.Bb3 Nxf3+ 17.Kg2 Nd4 18.Bb2 Nef5 19.Rfe1 Rhe8 20.Ba4 Re2 21.Rxe2 Nxe2 22.Re1 Nf4+ 23.Kf3 Nd3 24.Rb1 Nxb2 25.Rxb2 Nd6 26.c5 Nb5 27.Bxb5 axb5 28.Ke4 c6 29.d6 Kd7 30.a4 Re8+ 31.Kd4 bxa4 32.Rxb7+ Ke6 33.Ra7 Rb8 34.Rxa4 h5 35.Ra7 Rc8 36.Re7+ Kf6 37.h4 Ra8 38.Rc7 Ra6 39.Kc4 Ke6 40.Re7+ Kf6 41.Kb4 g6 42.Re8 Ra7 43.Rc8 Ra6 44.d7 1-0 (44) JediTrue (2648)-spectraline (2583) Blitz 2023]
[12.Bxc6+ Qxc6 13.Re1 Bxf3 14.gxf3 Kd7 15.Qd3 Qg6+ 16.Qxg6 Nxg6 17.Be3 Nh4 18.Reb1 b6 19.f4 Rhe8 20.Kf1 Re6 21.Ke2 Nf5 22.Kd3 Rae8 23.Re1 Nh4 24.a4 a5 25.Rg1 g6 26.Rg5 Nf5 27.Re1 Re4 28.Rgg1 Nh4 29.Rg3 Rxf4 30.Bxf4 Rxe1 31.Rh3 Ng2 32.Bd2 Ra1 33.Rxh7 Ke6 34.d5+ Kf6 35.c4 Rxa4 36.Kd4 b5 37.Kc5 b4 38.h4 Ra2 39.Bg5+ Kf5 40.Rxf7+ Ke4 41.Rxc7 b3 42.Rb7 b2 43.d6 Ra1 44.Rxb2 Ne1 45.Re2+ Kf5 46.Rxe1 Rxe1 47.d7 Rd1 48.d8Q Rxd8 49.Bxd8 Ke4 50.Bg5 Kd3 51.Kb5 a4 52.Kxa4 Kxc4 53.f4 Kd5 54.Kb3 Ke4 55.Kc3 Kf5 56.Kd4 Kg4 57.Ke5 Kh5 58.Kf6 Kg4 59.Kxg6 Kf3 60.f5 Kg4 61.f6 Kh3 62.f7 Kg4 63.f8Q Kg3 64.Kf5 Kh3 65.Ke4 Kg2 66.Qf3+ Kg1 67.Qe2 Kh1 68.Kf3 Kg1 69.Qg2# 1-0 (69) Commonitorium (2612)-alfredogto (2635) Blitz 2024]

12...0-0-0

[12...Bxf3 13.Qxf3 *(13.gxf3 0-0 14.Qd3 Ng6 15.Bd2 Rfe8 16.Re4 Qh5 17.Rae1 Red8 18.Kh1 h6 19.Rg1 Rd6 20.Qe2 Rf6 21.Reg4 Nce7 22.Bc2 Nf5 23.Qd3 Nfh4 24.Bd1 Re8 25.c4 c6 26.f4 Qf5 27.Qxf5 Nxf5 28.Bc3 Rd6 29.Bc2 Nxd4 30.Bxd4 Rxd4 31.Bxg6 fxg6 32.Rxg6 Re7 33.f5 Rf7 34.f6 Rxc4 35.fxg7 Rxg7* 1-0 (35) leva1958 (2612)-spectraline (2587) Blitz 2022*)*

13...Qxf3 14.gxf3

A) 14...b5 15.Bb3 Kd7 *(15...f6 16.Ba3 Kd8 17.Re6 Kd7 18.d5* 1-0 (18) Gettingold72 (2628)-Chessi9 (2574) Blitz 2023*)* 16.Bxf7 Nd8 17.Bb3 Rf8 18.Rxe7+ Kxe7 19.Ba3+ 1-0 (19) ertras (2653)-Jiraffe_Deportie (2676) Blitz 2023;

B) 14...0-0-0 15.Ba3 *(15.Rb1 b5 16.Bb3 Nd5 17.c4 Nc3 18.Rb2 Nxd4 19.Kg2 b4 20.c5 Nxb3 21.Rxb3 Nxa2 22.Be3 Nc3 23.Ra1 Kb7 24.Rxb4+ Nb5 25.c6+ Kxc6 26.Rxa6+ Kb7 27.Ra7+ Kc6 28.Ra6+ Kb7 29.Ra5 c6 30.Ra7+ Kb8 31.Rxf7 Rhf8 32.Rxg7 Rg8 33.Rg3 Rg6 34.f4 Kc7 35.Kf3 Kd6 36.f5 Rf6 37.Rg5 Rdf8 38.Kg4 Kd5 39.h4 Nd6 40.Rd4+ Kc5 41.Rf4+ Kd5 42.Ra4 c5 43.Ra5 Rc8 44.Rh5 Ne4 45.Bg5 Rg8 46.Kf4 Rf7 47.f3 Nd6 48.f6 Rg6 49.Ke3 h6 50.Rxh6 Rxh6 51.Bxh6 Nc4+ 52.Kf4 Nxa5 53.Kf5 c4 54.Kg6 Rb7 55.f7 Rxf7 56.Kxf7 c3 57.h5 Nc4 58.Bc1 Ne5+ 59.Kg7 Nxf3 60.h6* 1-0 (60) Grukjr (2606)-spectraline (2561) Blitz 2024 *)*

B1) 15...Nd5 16.Rac1 *(16.c4 Nf4 17.d5 Nd4 18.Re7 Nxf3+ 19.Kh1 f6 20.Rxg7 Rdg8 21.Rg3 Ne5 22.Rag1 Rg7*

23.Rxg7 1-0 (23) Fratz71 (2610)-Wyssegga (2421) Blitz 2025*)* 16...b5 17.Bb3 Na5 18.Re5 Nc4 19.Bc5 Nxe5 20.dxe5 Rhe8 21.Bd4 Nf4 22.Kf1 c5 23.Be3 Nd3 24.Bxf7 Nxc1 25.Bxe8 Rxe8 26.Bxc1 Rxe5 27.Be3 Kd7 28.f4 Rh5 29.Kg2 Kc6 30.Kg3 Kd5 31.Kg4 g6 32.h4 Kc4 33.f3 Kxc3 0-1 (33) Corre_por_tu_vida (2677)-ikica77 (2740) Blitz 2022;

B2) 15...Rhe8 16.Bb3 Rf8 17.Bxe7 1-0 (17) Pblu35 (2710)-spectraline (2585) Blitz 2022]

13.Bb3 Bxf3

[13...Qh5 14.h3 *(14.Bd2 Nd5 15.Bc2 Rhe8 16.Be4 Nf6 17.Bxc6 bxc6 18.Qa4 Bxf3 19.Qxa6+ Kd7 20.gxf3 Qxf3 21.Qf1 Ne4 22.Re3 Qg4+ 23.Rg3 Nxg3 24.hxg3 h5 25.Bf4 h4 26.Qc4 hxg3 27.Bxg3 Qf3 28.d5 Qxd5 29.Qg4+ f5 30.Qxg7+ Re7 31.Qh6 Rg8 32.Qf4 Kc8 33.c4 Qe4 34.Qxe4 Rxe4 35.Kf1 f4 36.f3 Re3 37.Bf2 Rxf3 38.a4 Rh8 39.Kg2 Rc3 40.a5 Rg8+ 41.Kf1 Kb7 42.a6+ Ka8 43.c5 Rc2* 0-1 (43) Duda,J (2729)-Deac,B (2700) chess.com INT 2023*)* 14...Bxf3 15.Qxf3 Qxf3 16.gxf3 Nd5 17.Bd2 Rd7 18.Re2 Kd8 19.Rae1 h5 20.Kg2 h4 21.c4 Nf6 22.d5 Nd4 23.Re5 Nxb3 24.axb3 Kc8 25.Bg5 b6 26.Bxf6 gxf6 27.Rf5 Rh6 28.Re4 Rd8 29.Ref4 Rg8+ 30.Rg4 Re8 31.Rff4 Reh8 32.Rg7 R8h7 33.Rxh7 Rxh7 34.Rxf6 Rg7+ 35.Kf1 Rh7 36.f4 Kd7 37.Ke2 Ke7 38.Rc6 Kd7 39.Kf3 f5 40.Rf6 Rh5 41.Rg6 Rh7 42.Rf6 Rh5 43.Ke3 Ke7 44.Rc6 Kd7 45.Kd4 a5 46.Ke5 Rh8 47.Kxf5 Rf8+ 48.Rf6 Re8 49.Re6 Rf8+ 50.Ke5 Rg8 51.f5 Rg2 52.Rg6 Rxf2 53.Rg7+ Kd8 54.f6 Re2+ 55.Kf5 Rf2+ 56.Ke6 Re2+ 57.Kf7 Re3 58.Kg8 Re8+ 59.Kh7 Rf8 60.Rg8 Ke8 61.Kg7 Rxg8+ 62.Kxg8 Kd7 63.f7 Kd6 64.f8Q+ Ke5 65.Qe7+ Kd4 66.Qxc7 Kc3 67.Qxb6 a4 68.Qa5+ Kxb3 69.d6 a3 70.d7 a2 71.d8Q a1Q 72.Qxa1 Kxc4 73.Qc1+ Kb5 74.Qb8+ Ka6 75.Qa1# 1-0 (75) ILikeBlitz (2832)-Calzonesdesuperman (2655) Blitz 2024]

14.Qxf3 Qxf3 15.gxf3 Nd5

[15...f6 16.Bd2 Ng6 17.Re4 Na5 18.Be6+ Kb8 19.Rae1 b5 20.Rb1 c6 21.c4 Nb7 22.cxb5 cxb5 23.a4 Nd6 24.Ree1 Rhe8 25.axb5 Nxb5 26.d5 Nh4 27.Rb3 Ka8 28.Kf1 Nd4 29.Rb6 Nhxf3 30.Rd1 Nxd2+ 31.Rxd2 Nxe6 32.Rxa6+ Kb7 33.Rc6 Nc7 34.Rb2+ Kc8 35.d6 Kd7 36.Rxc7+ Kxd6 37.Rxg7 Rb8 38.Rxb8 Rxb8 39.Rxh7 Ke6 40.Rh3 Kf5 41.Rg3 Kf4 42.Kg2 f5 43.Rf3+ Kg4 44.Rg3+ Kh4 45.Rh3+ Kg5 46.Rg3+ Kf6 47.Rf3 Ke5 48.Rg3 Kf4 49.Rf3+ Ke4 50.Rg3 f4 51.Rg5 Rh8 52.h3 Re8 53.f3+ Ke3 54.h4 Re7 55.h5 Rd7 56.Re5+ Kd4 57.Re4+ Kd5 58.Rxf4 Ke5 59.Rg4 Kf5 60.Kg3 Rd6 61.Rf4+ Kg5 62.Rg4+ Kxh5 63.Kf4 Rf6+ 64.Kg3 Rb6 65.Rf4 Rg6+ 66.Kf2 Ra6 67.Rg4 Ra2+ 68.Kg3 Ra5 69.Rh4+ Kg5 70.Rg4+ Kf6 71.Rf4+ Kg5 72.Re4 Kf5 73.Rg4 Rc5 74.Rf4+ Kg5 75.Re4 Kh5 76.Rh4+ Kg6 77.f4 Kf6 78.Kg4 Rc2 79.Rh5 Kg7 80.Rg5+ Kf6 81.Rf5+ Ke6 82.Rg5 Rg2+ 83.Kf3 Rh2 84.Kg4 Rg2+ 85.Kf3 Rxg5 86.fxg5 Kf5 87.g6 Kxg6 ½-½ (87) Firouzja,A (2737)-

Nakamura,H (2794) chess.com INT 2024]
16.Bd2 Na5
[16...f6 17.Kg2 Nce7 18.c4 1-0 (18) Cruise97 (2707)-TheDayThatNeverCome (2662) Blitz 2024]
17.c4 Nxb3 18.axb3 Nf6 19.d5 Rde8 20.Bc3 Nh5 21.Re4 f5 22.Re5 Rxe5 23.Bxe5 Re8 24.f4 g5 25.Kg2 gxf4 26.Re1 Nf6 27.Kf3 Ng4 28.Kxf4 Nxf2 29.Kxf5 b5 30.Bc3 Rf8+ 31.Ke6 Nd3 32.Ra1 Rf3 33.Bd4 Nf4+ 34.Ke5 Ng6+ 35.Ke4 Rxb3 36.c5 c6 37.dxc6 Rh3 38.Rxa6 Rh4+ 39.Ke3 Rh3+ 40.Kf2 Rxh2+ 41.Kg3 Rd2 42.Be3 Rd3 43.Kf2 Kc7 44.Ra7+ Kxc6 45.Rxh7 Ne5 46.Rh6+ Kd5 47.Ke2 Rc3 48.Rd6+ Ke4 49.Rd4+ Kf5 50.Rb4 ½-½ (50) Herushkanamura (2987)-elconceto (2884) Blitz 2023

98 **8...b5** 9.Bb3 d5 10.exd5
[10.Bxb4 Nxb4 11.e5 *(11.exd5 0-0 12.Nc3 Nbxd5 13.0-0 Bb7 14.Ne5 f6 15.Nd3 Kh8 16.Nc5 Nxc3 17.bxc3 Bd5 18.Re1 Re8 19.Qh5 c6 20.Bc2 g6 21.Qh4 f5 22.Qf6+ Kg8 23.Bb3 Bxb3 24.axb3 Nd5 25.Qxc6 Nxc3 26.Nd7 Ne2+ 27.Kf1 Re7 28.Nf6+ Kf7 29.Nd5 Rc8 30.Nxe7 Rxc6 31.Nxc6 Qd5 32.Ne5+ Kg7 33.Rxe2 Qxb3 34.Rxa6 Qd1+ 35.Re1 Qxd4 36.Nf3 Qd3+ 37.Kg1 b4 38.Raa1 b3 39.Rab1 Qc2 40.Rec1 Qa2 41.Rd1 Kf6 42.Nd4 b2 43.Nb5 Ke5 44.Nd4 Kd5 45.Nf3+ Kc4 46.Ne1 Kb5 47.Nd3 Ka6 48.Rxb2 Qa4 49.Rdb1 Ka7 50.Nc1 Qa5 51.Ra2 Qxa2 52.Nxa2 Ka6 53.Nc3 Ka5 54.Nd5 Ka6 55.Kf1 Ka5 56.Ke2 Ka4 57.Kd3 Ka3 58.Kc3 Ka2 59.Rb8 Ka3 60.Ne3 Ka2 61.Nc4 f4 62.Kc2 1-0 (62) topsecrettt (2654)-aradhyagarg2000 (2620) Blitz 2022)* 11...0-0 12.a3 Nbc6 13.h3 f6 14.0-0 fxe5 15.dxe5 Na5 16.Ba2 Be6 17.Nbd2 Nc4 18.Nd4 Qc8 19.N2f3 Nxb2 20.Qc2 Nc4 21.Nxe6 Qxe6 22.Qxh7+ Kxh7 23.Ng5+ Kg8 24.Nxe6 Rfc8 25.f4 c5 26.Rae1 Rc6 27.Ng5 Rf8 28.g4 Nxa3 29.f5 c4 30.Ne6 Rb8 31.Nd4 b4 32.f6 Rc7 33.f7+ Kh7 34.f8Q Rxf8 35.Rxf8 b3 36.Bb1+ Nxb1 37.Rxb1 Nc6 38.Ne6 Re7 39.Ng5+ Kg6 40.h4 Nxe5 41.Ra8 Nxg4 42.Rxa6+ Kh5 43.Ra5 c3 44.Rxb3 c2 45.Rc3 Re1+ 46.Kg2 c1Q 47.Rxc1 Rxc1 48.Nf3 Rc2+ 49.Kg3 Nf6 50.Kf4 Rc4+ 51.Kg3 Rg4+ 52.Kf2 Rf4 53.Ke3 Rf5 54.Ra4 Ng4+ 55.Ke2 Ne5 56.Ng5 Ng6 57.Nf3 Rf4 58.Ra5 Rf5 59.Ra4 Ne5 60.Ng5 Nc4 61.Nf3 Rf4 62.Rb4 Re4+ 63.Kf2 Nd2 64.Rb5 Nxf3 65.Kxf3 Rd4 66.Ke3 Rxh4 67.Rxd5+ Kg4 68.Kf2 Rh2+ 69.Kg1 Ra2 70.Rd4+ Kh3 71.Rd3+ Kh4 72.Rd4+ Kh5 73.Rd5+ g5 74.Rd4 g4 75.Rd3 Kh4 76.Rc3 Rb2 77.Rd3 Rb1+ 78.Kg2 Ra1 79.Rc3 Ra2+ 80.Kg1 Rd2 81.Rb3 Kg5 82.Rb5+ Kf4 83.Rb4+ Kg3 84.Rb3+ Kh4 85.Rc3 Re2 86.Rb3 Kg5 87.Rb5+ Kf4 88.Rb4+ Kf3 89.Rb3+ Re3 90.Rxe3+ Kxe3 91.Kg2 Kf4 92.Kf2 Kf5 93.Kg3 Kg5 94.Kg2 Kh4 95.Kh2 g3+ 96.Kg2 Kg4 97.Kg1 Kf3 98.Kf1 g2+ 99.Kg1 Ke3 100.Kxg2 ½-½ (100) Nizi3 (2790)-aradhyagarg2000 (2642) Blitz 2022]
10...Nxd5 11.0-0 0-0 12.Bxb4 Ncxb4 13.Ne5 Bb7 14.Qd2 Nc6 15.Nxc6 Bxc6 16.Nc3 Re8 17.Rfe1 Qd7

18.Qg5 h6 19.Qg3 Rxe1+ 20.Rxe1 Re8 21.Re5 Nf6 22.Qf4 b4 23.Ne2 a5 24.h3 Bd5 25.Bxd5 Nxd5 26.Qe4 Nf6 27.Rxe8+ Qxe8 28.Qxe8+ Nxe8 29.Nf4 Kf8 30.Kf1 Nd6 31.Ke2 Ke7 32.Kd3 Kd7 33.Nh5 g6 34.Nf6+ Ke6 35.Ng4 h5 36.Ne3 c6 37.Nc4 Nb7 38.Ke4 f6 39.h4 Nd6+ 40.Kd3 Nf5 41.g3 Kd5 42.Nxa5 Nxd4 43.Nc4 Ne6 44.Ne3+ Kc5 45.a3 bxa3 46.bxa3 Nc7 47.f3 Nb5 48.a4 Nd4 49.f4 f5 50.Nc4 Nf3 51.a5 Kb5 52.Ne5 Nh2 53.a6 Kxa6 54.Nxc6 Nf1 55.Ne5 Nxg3 56.Nxg6 Kb5 57.Kd4 Kc6 58.Ke5 Kd7 59.Kf6 Ke8 60.Ne5 Kf8 61.Nc6 Kg8 62.Nd4 Kh7 63.Kg5 Ne4+ 64.Kxf5 Ng3+ 65.Kg5 Ne4+ 66.Kxh5 Nf6+ 67.Kg5 Ne4+ 68.Kf5 Ng3+ 69.Kg4 Ne4 70.Nf3 Kg6 71.Ne5+ Kf6 72.Nd7+ Ke6 73.Ne5 Kf6 74.Nc4 Nf2+ 75.Kf3 Nd3 76.Ne3 Kg6 77.Kg4 Nf2+ 78.Kg3 Ne4+ 79.Kf3 Nd2+ 80.Kg4 Ne4 81.h5+ Kf6 82.Nd5+ Ke6 83.Nc7+ Kf6 84.Nd5+ Ke6 85.Nb6 Kf6 86.Nd7+ Ke6 87.Ne5 Kf6 88.Nc4 Nf2+ 89.Kf3 Nd3 90.Ne3 Kg7 91.Ng4 Nc5 92.f5 Nd7 93.Kf4 Nc5 94.Ke5 Nd3+ 95.Ke4 Nc5+ 96.Kd4 Nd7 97.Kd5 Kf7 98.Ne5+ Kf6 99.h6 Nxe5 100.h7 Nf7 101.h8Q+ Nxh8 102.Kd6 Nf7+ 103.Kd5 Ne5 104.Ke4 Nf7 105.Kd5 Nh6 106.Ke4 Nxf5 ½-½ (106) daro94 (2910)-aradhyagarg2000 (2656) Blitz 2022

99 **9.Nbxd2** 0.47 Praggnanandhaa, Rameshbabu: '!'Praggnanandhaa, Rameshbabu: 'This is an interesting position, a better version compared to direct 15...g6.' 9...d5 0.54 Praggnanandhaa,Rameshbabu: '!' Praggnanandhaa,Rameshbabu: 'This is the main move, not caring for Bxf5 tricks.' 10.exd5

[10.e5 0.04 Kuzmin, Alexey: 'The knight placement on d2 is not in accordance with an isolated pawn, arising in case of a pawn exchange on d5.'

A) 10...Bg4 11.h3 Bh5

A1) 12.g4 Bg6 13.Bc2 *(13.Nh4 b5 14.Bb3 Nxd4 15.f4 Nef5 16.Nxg6 Ne3 17.Qc1 hxg6 18.Kf2 Qh4+ 19.Kxe3 Qg3+ 20.Kxd4 Qxf4+ 21.Kc5 Qe3+ 22.Kb4 a5+ 23.Ka3 c5 24.Nc4 Qd4 25.Rd1 a4 26.Nd6+ Kd7 27.Rxd4 axb3+ 28.Kxb3* 1-0 (28) feeblad (2761)-spectraline (2561) Blitz 2023*)* 13...0-0 *(13...Qd7 14.Nb3 b6 15.Rc1 a5 16.Nbd2 Nb4 17.Bxg6 Nxg6 18.Qb3 Nf4 19.Rc3 Qb5 20.Kd1 Qe2+ 21.Kc1 Qxf2 22.a3 Ne2+ 23.Kb1 Nxc3+ 24.Qxc3 0-0 25.axb4 axb4 26.Qxb4 Ra5 27.Rf1 Qe2 28.e6 fxe6 29.Qxf8+ Kxf8 30.Ng1+ Qxf1+ 31.Nxf1 Ke7 32.Nf3 Kd6 33.Ne3 c5 34.Kc2 Ra8 35.Kd2 h6 36.Nc2 Rf8 37.Ke3 Ra8 38.Ne5 Ra2 39.Nf7+ Ke7 40.Ne5 Rxb2 41.Ne1 Kd6 42.N1f3 Rb3+ 43.Kf4 cxd4 44.Ne1 Rb4 45.N1d3 Ra4 46.h4 b5 47.g5 hxg5+ 48.hxg5 b4 49.g6 b3 50.Nf7+ Ke7 51.Nfe5 Ra2 52.Nc6+ Kd6 53.Nxd4 Rg2 54.Nb5+ Kc6 55.Nd4+ Kd6 56.Nxb3 Rxg6 57.Nd4 Rf6+ 58.Ke3 Rf8 59.Nb5+ Kc6 60.Nc3 Kd6 61.Ne2 e5 62.Nd4 exd4+ 63.Kxd4 Re8 64.Nc5 Re4+ 65.Nxe4+ dxe4 66.Kxe4 Ke6*

67.Kf4 Kf6 68.Kg4 Kg6 69.Kf4 Kh6 70.Kg4 g5 71.Kg3 Kg6 72.Kh3 Kf6 73.Kg3 Kf5 74.Kf3 Ke5 75.Kg3 Kf6 76.Kg2 Kg6 77.Kf2 Kh5 78.Kg3 g4 79.Kg2 Kg5 80.Kh2 ½-½ (80) Beast_in_White (2623)-Calzonesdesuperman (2575) Blitz 2023*)* 14.0-0 *(14.h4 f6 15.Bxg6 Nxg6 16.h5 Nf4 17.Qc2 Nb4 18.Qb3 Nbd3+ 19.Kf1 fxe5 20.dxe5 c5 21.h6 c4 22.Qxb7 Rf7 23.Qc6 Rc8 24.Qxa6 Ng6 25.hxg7 Ndxe5 26.Nxe5 Nxe5 27.Qh6 Rxg7 28.Qe6+ Nf7 29.Re1 Rg6 30.Qf5 Rcc6 31.Rh5 Rcf6 32.Qxd5 Rd6 33.Qb5 Rge6 34.Rxe6 Rxe6 35.Qxc4 Qd6 36.Rf5 Kg7 37.Nf3 h6 38.Rxf7+ Kxf7 39.Nd4* 1-0 (39) hitter1999 (2748)-BMWHero (2711) Blitz 2021*; 14.Bxg6 Nxg6 15.Qb3 Rb8 16.0-0-0 f6 17.Rhe1 fxe5 18.dxe5 Nce7 19.Qe3 c6 20.Nc4 Qc7 21.Nd6 Rbd8 22.Ng5 Qd7 23.Rd4 h6 24.Ngf7 Qe6 25.Nxd8 Rxd8 26.f4 c5 27.Rdd1 d4 28.Qe4 Qxa2 29.f5 Nf8 30.f6 Nd5 31.fxg7 Kxg7 32.Nf5+ Kf7 33.Nxh6+ Ke7 34.Qf5 Qa1+ 35.Kc2 Qa4+ 36.Kb1 Qe8 37.Ng8#* 1-0 (37) Cruise97 (2715)-Calzonesdesuperman (2669) Blitz 2024*)* 14...f6 15.Re1 fxe5 16.dxe5 Bxc2 17.Qxc2 Ng6 18.Rad1 Nf4 19.Kh2 Nb4 20.Qb3 Nbd3 21.Qxb7 Nxf2 22.Rc1 Rb8 23.Qxa6 N2d3 24.b3 Rb6 25.Qa5 Rh6 26.Qxc7 Rxh3+ 27.Kg1 Rg3+ 28.Kh2 Rg2+ 29.Kh1 Nf2# 0-1 (29) EleKtRoMaGnIt (2798)-KKlie4 (2839) Blitz 2023;

A2) 12.Qb1 0-0 13.Bc2 Bg6 14.Bxg6 fxg6 15.0-0 Qd7 16.Qd3 Rf4 17.Nb3 Raf8 18.Ne1 Nd8 19.Nc2 Qf5 20.Qxf5 R4xf5 21.a4 Ne6 22.a5 g5 23.f3 Ng6 24.Ne3 c6 25.Nxf5 Rxf5 26.Rfd1 Rf7 27.Rac1 Ngf4 28.Rc2 Kf8 29.Kf1 Ke7 30.Nc5 Nxc5 31.Rxc5 Ne6 32.Rc3 Kd7 33.Rb3 Kc7 34.Ke2 Rf4 35.Ke3 Rf7 36.Rd2 Nf4 37.Rc3 Ne6 38.Rc1 Rf4 39.b4 Kd7 40.g3 Rf8 41.Rf1 g6 42.f4 gxf4+ 43.gxf4 Rf5 44.Rg2 Rh5 45.Rf3 Rf5 46.Rg4 Ke7 47.h4 Kf7 48.Rg5 Nxg5 49.fxg5 Ke6 50.Rxf5 Kxf5 51.Kf3 Ke6 52.Kf4 Ke7 53.Kg4 Ke6 54.h5 Ke7 55.Kh4 Ke6 56.Kh3 Kf5 57.Kh4 Ke6 58.Kg4 Ke7 59.Kf4 Ke6 60.h6 Ke7 61.Ke3 Ke6 62.Kd3 Ke7 63.Kc3 Ke6 64.Kb3 Ke7 65.Ka3 Ke6 66.Ka2 Ke7 67.Kb2 Ke6 68.Kc2 Ke7 69.Kd2 Ke6 70.Ke2 Ke7 71.Kf2 Ke6 72.Kg2 Ke7 73.Kh2 Ke6 74.Kh1 Ke7 75.Kg1 Ke6 76.Kf1 Kf5 77.Ke1 Kxg5 78.Kf2 Kf5 79.Ke3 Ke6 80.Kf4 Ke7 81.Kg5 Ke6 82.Kg4 Ke7 83.Kg5 Ke6 84.Kf4 Ke7 85.Kg3 Ke6 86.Kh4 Ke7 87.Kg5 ½-½ (87) AP-2804 (2761)-slouuuurps (2701) Blitz 2025;

A3) 12.0-0 b5 13.g4 Bxg4 14.hxg4 bxa4 15.Qxa4 Qd7 16.Rac1 Qxg4+ 17.Kh1 Qe6 18.Rc3 Rb8 19.Rg1 Qh6+ 20.Nh2 Rxb2 21.Ndf3 Rxf2

22.e6 0-0 23.Rxc6 Nxc6 24.Qxc6 fxe6 0-1 (24) Motylev,A (2604)-Ghosh,D (2565) chess.com INT 2023;

A4) 12.Qc2 0-0 13.0-0 f6 14.Rfe1 *(14.Qc3 fxe5 15.Nxe5 Nxe5 16.dxe5 Ng6 17.Rae1 Nf4 18.e6 Qg5 19.g4 Be8 20.Re5 Qh6 21.Kh2 Bxa4 22.e7 Rf7 23.Rfe1 Re8 24.Qg3 Bc6 25.Nf3 Qd6 26.Ng5 Rf6 27.R1e3 h6 28.Nf3 d4 29.Re1 Ng6 30.Nd2 Nxe5 31.Rxe5 Rxf2+* 0-1 (31) Kovalev,V (2623)-Ivanisevic,I (2599) Dubai UAE 2021 *)* 14...fxe5 15.dxe5 Bg6 16.Qc3 d4 17.Qa3 Kh8 18.Rac1 Nd5 19.Bxc6 bxc6 20.Rxc6 Nf4 21.Kh2 Nd3 22.Rf1 Qd5 23.Rxg6 Nxe5 24.Nxe5 Qxe5+ 25.Qg3 Qe2 26.Rxg7 Qxd2 27.Rxc7 Qh6 28.Re1 1-0 (28) Donatella1954 (2802)-KKlie4 (2823) Blitz 2021;

B) 10...0-0 0.42

B1) 11.0-0 0.38

B1a) 11...Bf5 0.42 With this move, Black doesn't put pressure on our center so we can simply strengthen our position.

B1a1) 12.a3 f6 *(12...b5 13.Bc2 Qd7 14.Rc1 Rac8 15.Nb3 Bxc2 16.Qxc2 Qg4 17.h3 Qf4 18.Qd2 Qxd2 19.Nfxd2 Nd8 20.Nc5 Ne6 21.Nxe6 fxe6 22.Nb3 c6 23.Nc5 Kf7 24.Nxa6 Ra8 25.Nb4 Rfc8 26.Rc3 Ke8 27.g4 Kd7 28.Nd3 Ng6 29.Nc5+ Ke7 30.f4 Nf8 31.Nd3 Nd7 32.Rfc1 Ra4 33.Nb4 Nb8 34.Kf2 Kd7 35.Ke3 Na6 36.Rxc6 Rxc6 37.Nxc6 b4 38.Nxb4 Nxb4 39.axb4 Rxb4 40.Ra1 Rxb2 41.Ra7+ Ke8 42.Rxg7 Rb3+ 43.Ke2 Rxh3 44.f5 exf5 45.gxf5 Rh4 46.Ke3 h5 47.f6 Rh1 48.Kf4 Rd1 49.e6* 1-0 (49) ZalfaPleya (2681)-cheesman_css (2654) Blitz 2023 *)* 13.exf6 Rxf6 14.Re1 Qd6 15.Qe2 Raf8 16.Qe3 Bg6 17.Qc3 Bh5 18.Qc5 b5 19.Qxd6 Rxd6 20.Bc2 Rf4 21.Rac1 h6 22.Bd1 Bxf3 23.Nxf3 Kf8 24.g3 Re4 25.Bc2 Rxe1+ 26.Rxe1 Rf6 27.Re3 g5 28.h3 Kg7 29.Kg2 Nc8 30.Rc3 Nb6 31.b3 Kf8 32.Ne5 Nxd4 33.Rxc7 Ke8 34.Bd1 Kd8 35.Rh7 Nc6 36.Nf7+ Ke8 37.Nxh6 Ne5 38.Bh5+ Kf8 39.Ng4 Nxg4 40.Bxg4 Rd6 41.Rc7 d4 42.Rc5 Nd5 43.Kf1 Ke7 44.Ke1 Kf6 45.Kd2 Nc3 46.Kd3 Nb1 47.a4 Nc3 48.axb5 Nxb5 49.Bf3 Na7 50.Be4 Nb5 51.Rf5+ Ke7 52.Rxg5 Nc3 53.Rg7+ Kf8 54.Rc7 Na2 55.Rc4 a5 56.Ra4 Nb4+ 57.Kd2 Re6 58.f3 Rf6 59.Rxa5 Rf7 60.Rf5 Rxf5 61.Bxf5 Ke7 62.f4 Kf6 63.Be4 Ke6 64.g4 Kf6 65.g5+ Kg7 66.h4 Na2 67.Kd3 Nc1+ 68.Kc4 Ne2 69.f5 Ng3 70.f6+ Kf7 71.Bd5+ Kg6 72.Kxd4 Nf5+ 73.Ke5 Nxh4 74.Kf4 Kh7 75.Be4+ Kh8 76.Kg4 1-0 (76)

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B1a2) 12.Rc1 b5 13.Bc2 Qd7 14.Bxf5 Nxf5 15.Nb3 1-0 (15) FuegoAbrumador (2630)-ARCMARNI7 (2587) Blitz 2024;
B1a3) 12.Re1 0.19
B1a31) 12...Nb4 0.18
13.Nh4 0.06 c5 0.01
14.Nxf5 0.00 Nxf5 0.01
15.Nf3 0.01 b5 0.00
16.Bc2 0.01 Nxc2 0.00
17.Qxc2 0.01 Nxd4 0.00
18.Nxd4 0.01 cxd4 0.01
19.Qc5 0.00 Rc8 0.03
20.Qxd4 0.00 *(20.Qc4)*
20...Rc2 0.02 21.Rad1 0.00 h6 0.00 22.g3 0.00 Qg5 0.00 23.Qxd5 0.03 Rxb2 0.02 24.Re4 0.03 Qf5 0.04 25.Rf4 0.07 Qe6 0.05 26.a4 0.11 Rb1 0.14 27.Rfd4 0.13 Rxd1+ 0.08 28.Rxd1 0.08 Qxd5 0.11 29.Rxd5 0.12 b4 0.11 30.Kf1 0.01 b3 0.07 31.Rd2 0.07 Rc8 0.00 32.Ke2 0.12 Rc4 0.12 33.Rd8+ 0.11 Kh7 0.01 34.Rb8 0.08 Rxa4 0.01 35.Rxb3 0.04 Re4+ 0.09 36.Kf3 0.07 Rxe5 0.01 37.Rb7 0.13 Kg6 0.07 38.Ra7 0.09 Ra5 0.01 39.g4 0.12 Ra3+ 0.12 40.Kg2 0.06 Kf6 0.07 41.h4 0.09 g5 0.03 42.h5 0.01 Ke6 0.00 43.Ra8 0.00 Ke5 0.00 44.Rh8 0.00 Kf4 0.00 45.Rxh6 0.00 Kxg4 0.00 46.Rf6 0.00 Kxh5 0.00 47.Rxf7 0.00 Kg6 0.00 48.Rf8 0.00 a5 0.00 49.Rg8+ 0.00 Kf6 0.00 50.Rf8+ 0.00 Kg7 0.00 51.Ra8 0.00 Kg6 0.00 52.Rg8+ 0.00 Kh5 0.00 53.f3 0.00 a4 0.00 54.Ra8 0.00 Ra1 0.00 55.Kg3 0.00 Kg6 0.00 56.Ra6+ 0.00 Kf5 0.00 57.Ra5+ 0.00 Kf6 0.00 58.Kf2 0.00 a3 0.00 59.Kg2 0.00 Kg6 0.00 60.Kg3 0.00 Ra2 0.00 61.Kg4 0.00 Kf6 0.00 62.Ra6+ 0.00 Ke5 0.00 63.Kxg5 0.00 Rg2+ 0.00 64.Kh4 0.00 a2 0.00 65.Ra4 0.00 Kd5 0.00 66.f4 0.00 Rc2 0.00 67.Kg5 0.00 Rg2+ ½-½ (67) Ivanchuk,V (2609)-Artemiev,V (2705) Dubai UAE 2024;
B1a32) 12...f6 13.exf6 *(13.Bxc6 Nxc6 14.Qb3 Rb8 15.Qc3 fxe5 16.Nxe5 Nxe5 17.Rxe5 c6 18.Rae1 Qf6 19.Qe3 Bg6 20.Nb3 Rbe8 21.Nc5 Rxe5 22.dxe5 Qe7 23.e6 Re8 24.f3 h6 25.Qd4 Kh7 26.a4 a5 27.Kf2 Qc7 28.g3 Qb6 29.Re2 Re7 30.Qe3 Qb4 31.Nd7 Re8 32.e7 Qd6 33.Nf8+ Kg8 34.Nxg6 Qxg6 35.Qe5 Qf6 36.Qh5 Qf7 37.Qe5 Qf6 38.Qc7 Kf7 39.Qxb7 Rxe7 40.Rxe7+ Qxe7 41.Qxc6 Qa7+*

42.Ke2 Qd4 43.Qc3 Kf6 44.Qxd4+ Ke6 45.f4 Kf5 46.Qe5+ Kg4 47.Kd3 Kh3 48.Kd4 g5 49.Qxd5 gxf4 50.Qe6+ Kxh2 51.gxf4 Kg2 52.Qxh6 1-0 (52) DmDonCh (2802)-Sushila1 (2740) Blitz 2024*)* 13...Rxf6 14.Bxc6 This is a key move very often! Exchanging the bishop and having two knights in the position against one, and then with the intention to play Qb3 next. *(14.Qb3?? b5-+; 14.Re3±* Possessing the e5-square allows us to prefer White's position.*)* 14...Nxc6 15.Qb3 In general just to note, it's important to protect the f3-knight just in case of any potential sacrifices like Bg4-Bxf3 and Rxf3. b6 16.Qc3 Qd7 17.Rac1 Raf8 18.Ne5 Nxe5 19.Rxe5 c6 20.Rce1 Bg6 21.f3 Black's counterplay has been prevented and White enjoys a pleasant advantage. Re8 22.Qb4 Qd8 23.Nf1 Rxe5 24.Rxe5 Bf7 25.Qe1 Kf8 26.Ne3 *(26.b4* Intending a4-a5 is also an idea at some point.*)* 26...Re6 27.Nf5 Qd7 28.Qb4+ c5 29.dxc5 bxc5 30.Qxc5+ Kg8 31.Rxe6 Qxe6 32.Ne7+ Kh8 33.Qc8+ Qxc8 34.Nxc8 d4 35.a3 Bc4 36.Kf2 Kg8 37.Ne7+ Kf8 38.Nc6 d3 39.Ke3 Bb5 40.Ne5 1-0 (40) Caruana, F (2804)-Batsuren,D (2515) Saint Louis USA 2024 The Week in Chess 1533 [GM Ioannis Papaioannou];

B1b) 11...f6

B1b1) 12.Rc1 Bg4 *(12...fxe5 13.dxe5 Bg4 14.h3 Bh5 15.Re1 Nd4 16.g4 Nxf3+ 17.Nxf3 Bg6 18.Nd4 Nc6 19.Ne6 Qh4 20.Nxf8 Rxf8 21.Qxd5+ Kh8 22.Qg2 Nd4 23.Rc3 Ne6 24.Qg3 Qh6 25.Bb3 Nf4 26.e6 Be8 27.e7 Rf6 28.g5 Nxh3+ 29.Qxh3 Qxg5+ 30.Rg3 Qd2 31.Qf1 Rh6 32.Qe2 Qf4 33.Qc4* 1-0 (33) FuegoAbrumador (2641)-spectraline (2543) Blitz 2024*)* 13.Bxc6 *(13.exf6 Rxf6 14.h3 Bh5 15.g4 Be8 16.Rc3 Ng6 17.Bxc6 Bxc6 18.Re1 Qf8 19.Qb3 Re8 20.Rxe8 Qxe8 21.Re3 Qf8 22.Ne4 Rf4 23.Nc5 Qf6 24.Nxb7 Bxb7 25.Qxb7 Rxf3 26.Qxd5+* 1-0 (26) fortisfortuna (2698)-ZeBebelo (2627) Blitz 2022*; 13.h3 Bh5 14.Bxc6 Nxc6 15.Qb3 Na5 16.Qc3 Bxf3 17.Qxa5 Be2 18.Rfe1 Bc4 19.b3 b6 20.Qc3 Bb5 21.Qxc7 Qxc7 22.Rxc7 Rac8 23.Rec1 Rce8 24.a4 Bd3 25.R1c3 Bg6 26.f4*

fxe5 27.fxe5 Rf4 28.Nf3 Be4 29.Rc8 Rxc8 30.Rxc8+ Kf7 31.Ng5+ Kg6 32.Ne6 Rf7 33.Nd8 Rf4 34.Nc6 Bd3 35.e6 Re4 36.e7 1-0 (36) FuegoAbrumador (2637)-spectraline (2531) Blitz 2025 *)* 13...Nxc6 14.Qb3 fxe5 15.dxe5 Rb8 16.Qe3 d4 17.Qb3+ Kh8 18.h3 Bxf3 19.Nxf3 d3 20.Rfd1 Rxf3 21.gxf3 Qg5+ 22.Kf1 Nxe5 23.Rc5 Qf5 24.Rxe5 Qxe5 25.Rxd3 h6 26.Re3 Qf5 27.Kg2 Rd8 28.Re4 b5 29.a4 bxa4 30.Qxa4 Rf8 31.Qa3 Rf6 32.Qe3 Kh7 33.b4 a5 34.bxa5 Qxa5 35.Rg4 Qf5 36.Qe4 c5 37.Qxf5+ Rxf5 38.Rc4 Kg6 39.f4 Kf6 40.Kf3 Ke6 41.Ke4 ½-½ (41) Anand,V (2754)-Grandelius,N (2689) Durres ALB 2023;

B1b2) 12.Re1 fxe5 13.dxe5

B1b21) 13...Nb4 14.Qb3 c5 15.a3 Nbc6 16.Bxc6 Nxc6 17.Rad1 Be6 18.Ne4 Qe7 19.Neg5 c4 20.Qb6 Rad8 21.Nxe6 Qxe6 22.Qxb7 d4 23.Ng5 Qd5 24.e6 Rde8 25.Qf7+ Kh8 26.Qh5 1-0 (26) Onischuk,V (2609)-Le,T (2598) chess.com INT 2024;

B1b22) 13...Bg4 14.Bxc6 Nxc6 15.Qb3 Rb8 16.Rac1 Kh8 17.h3 Be6 18.Qa3 h6 *(18...Rf4 19.Qe3 Qf8 20.Nb3 Bxh3 21.Nfd4 Bd7 22.e6 Be8 23.Nxc6 bxc6 24.Qe5 Qd6 25.Qg5 h6 26.Qg3 Rf6 27.Qe3 Rb4 28.f3 Rh4 29.Qe5 Rh5 30.Qxd6 cxd6 31.Na5 Re5 32.e7 Rfe6 33.Red1 c5 34.Nb7 d4 35.b4 Rxe7 36.Nxd6 Ba4 37.Rd2 Re2* 0-1 (37) Martinez Alcantara,J (2607)-Indjic, A (2611) chess.com INT 2024 *)* 19.Rxc6 bxc6 20.Nd4 Qe8 21.N2b3 Bxh3 22.Nc5 Bc8 23.e6 Rb6 24.Qc3 a5 25.b3 Rf6 26.Qxa5 Rf4 27.Qd2 Rf8 28.a4 Qe7 29.Qc3 Qf6 30.Re2 Re8 31.Re3 Rb8 32.b4 Ra8 33.a5 Kg8 34.Rf3 Qe5 35.Nd3 Qg5 36.Qxc6 1-0 (36) Martinez Alcantara,J (2607)-Indjic, A (2611) chess.com INT 2024;

B1b23) 13...Bf5 14.Bc2 Kuzmin, Alexey: 'Fedoseev,V - Van Foreest,J Tornelo INT 2021' h6 *(14...Qd7 15.e6 Qd6∞* gives good play to Black.*;* or even an exotic *14...Ng6 15.Bxf5 Rxf5 16.Qc2 Rh5!?⇄)* 15.Bxf5 Nxf5 16.Nb3 Kh8 17.Rc1 Nh4 18.Nxh4 Qxh4 19.g3 Qg5 20.Rc5 d4 21.Qd2 Rae8 22.Qxg5 hxg5 23.Re4 d3 24.Kf1 Rf5 25.e6 d2 26.Ke2 Rxf2+

27.Kd1 Rd8 28.Nd4 Rxd4 29.Rxd4 Nxd4 30.e7 Re2 31.Rxc7 Kg8 32.Rxb7 Kf7 33.Rd7 Re1+ 34.Kxd2 Nf3+ 35.Kc3 Rxe7 36.Rd5 g4 37.h4 gxh3 38.Rf5+ Kg6 39.Rxf3 Kg5 40.Rf4 Re3+ 41.Kd2 Rxg3 42.Rf7 Kh4 43.Rf8 Rg2+ 44.Ke3 g5 0-1 (44) Fedoseev,V (2687)-Van Foreest,J (2701) Tornelo INT 2021;

B1b3) 12.exf6 Rxf6

B1b31) 13.Re1 Bg4 14.h3 *(14.Bxc6 Nxc6 15.Qb3* This is the typical continuation for White!*)* 14...Bh5 15.Bxc6 Nxc6 16.Qb3 Bxf3 *(16...Rb8 17.Rac1±* Keep in mind that maybe in the future some Rxc6 may be possible if the b7-pawn is pinned to the rook on b8. At this moment, however, it's not easy for Black to find a good move. *Qd6? 18.Ne4+-)* 17.Nxf3 Rxf3? 18.Qxf3 Nxd4 19.Qc3 Nb5 20.Qc5 c6 21.Re7 Nd6 22.Rae1 Ne4 23.R1xe4 dxe4 24.Rxb7 Qd1+ 25.Kh2 Qd5 26.Qe7 Qd4 27.Qf7+ Kh8 28.Re7 h6 29.b3 Kh7 30.Qf5+ Kh8 31.Rxe4 Qd6+ 32.Qf4 Qxf4+ 33.Rxf4 Rd8 34.Ra4 Rd2 35.Kg3 Rd3+ 36.f3 g5 37.Rxa6 Rc3 38.Kg4 Kg7 39.Kh5 Rc2 40.g3 Rc3 41.Ra7+ Kf6 42.Ra8 Kg7 43.Kg4 Kg6 44.Rg8+ Kf7 45.Rd8 Ke7 46.Rd2 Ke6 47.Rf2 Kf6 48.Kh5 Kf5 49.Kxh6 Rc1 50.f4 gxf4 51.Rxf4+ Ke5 52.h4 Rg1 53.Rg4 Kf5 54.Rg5+ Kf6 55.h5 Rh1 56.g4 Kf7 57.Rg6 c5 58.g5 Rh2 59.Rc6 Rh3 60.g6+ Ke7 61.g7 Kf7 62.Rc7+ 1-0 (62) Kramnik,V (2753)-Chyzy, J (2367) chess.com INT 2024 [GM Ioannis Papaioannou];

B1b32) 13.Bc2 Ng6 14.h3 Nf4 15.Re1 Qd6 16.Nf1 Bxh3 17.gxh3 Nxh3+ 18.Kg2 Nf4+ 19.Kh1 Rh6+ 20.N3h2 Nh3 21.Qd2 Rf8 22.Re2 Qf6 23.f4 Nxd4 24.Rg2 Nxf4 25.Rf2 g5 26.Ng3 c5 27.Rg1 Kh8 28.b4 b6 29.bxc5 bxc5 30.Bb3 Qd6 31.Qb2 Nh3 32.Rxf8+ Qxf8 33.Rf1 Qd6 34.Qg2 Nf4 35.Qb2 Rh3 36.Nf5 Qe5 37.Nxd4 cxd4 38.Bxd5 Nxd5 39.Qg2 Rh6 40.Kg1 Kg7 41.Rb1 Rf6 42.Rb7+ Rf7 43.Rxf7+ Kxf7 44.Qf3+ Qf4 45.Qxd5+ Kg6 46.Qd6+ Kh5 47.Qxf4 gxf4 48.Nf3 Kg4 49.Nxd4 h5 50.Kf2 h4 51.Nf3 h3 52.Nh2+ Kf5 53.Kf3 Ke5 54.Ng4+ Kd4 55.Nh2

Kc3 56.Kxf4 Kb2 57.Kg3 Kxa2 58.Kxh3 Kb3 59.Kg3 a5 60.Kf3 a4 61.Nf1 a3 62.Nd2+ Kc2 63.Ke2 a2 64.Nb3 Kxb3 65.Kd2 a1Q 66.Kd3 Qb2 67.Ke4 Qc3 68.Kd5 Qc4+ 69.Ke5 Kb4 70.Kf5 Qc5+ *(70...Kc5 71.Kf6 Qd4+ 72.Kf5 Kd5 73.Kg6 Qf2 74.Kg5 Ke5 75.Kg4 Qg2+ 76.Kh5 Kf5 77.Kh6 Qg6#* 0-1 (74) ril-1997 (2610)-zvonokchess (2852) Blitz 2021 *)* 71.Ke6 Kc4 72.Kf6 Qd5 73.Ke7 Kd4 74.Kf8 Qe5 75.Kf7 Kd5 76.Kg6 Qf4 0-1 (76) Ocinitram (2774)-spectraline (2600) Blitz 2023;

B1c) 11...Ng6 12.Bxc6 bxc6 13.Rc1 Bd7 14.Nb3 f6 15.Re1 Bg4 16.e6 Nh4 17.e7 Qd7 18.Nc5 Qd6 19.exf8Q+ Rxf8 20.Rc3 Qf4 21.Ne6 1-0 (21) FuegoAbrumador (2609)-Fabianja (2457) Blitz 2024;

B1d) 11...Bg4 12.h3 Bh5 *(12...Bxf3 13.Nxf3 f6 14.Re1 fxe5 15.dxe5 Kh8 16.Rc1 Qe8 17.Nd4 Qf7 18.Bxc6 Qxf2+ 19.Kh1 bxc6 20.Nxc6 Nf5 21.Qxd5 Ng3+ 22.Kh2 Qf4 23.Kg1 Ne2+ 24.Rxe2 Qxc1+ 25.Kh2 Rf1 26.Qe4 Raf8 27.e6 h5 28.Re3 Rh1+ 29.Kg3 Qg1 30.e7 Qf2#* 0-1 (30) adypady (2757)-BENED7707 (2770) Blitz 2024 *)*

B1d1) 13.Re1 Nxd4 14.g4 Nxf3+ 15.Nxf3 Bg6 16.e6 fxe6 17.Ng5 Qd6 18.Nxe6 Rf6 19.Qe2 Be4 20.Ng5 Raf8 21.Nxe4 dxe4 22.Bb3+ Kh8 23.Rad1 Qb6 24.Qe3 Rxf2 25.Qxb6 cxb6 26.Rxe4 Ng6 27.Rd8 Rf1+ 28.Kg2 Nh4+ 29.Kg3 Rxd8 30.Kxh4 Rf2 31.Re7 Rb8 32.Kg5 Rxb2 33.h4 b5 34.h5 a5 35.h6 gxh6+ 36.Kxh6 Rh2+ 37.Kg5 a4 38.Bd5 Rd8 39.Bxb7 Rxa2 40.Bc6 b4 41.Rb7 b3 42.Be4 Rh2 43.Rb4 b2 44.Rxa4 Rb8 45.Kf6 Rf2+ 46.Kg5 b1Q 47.Bxb1 Rxb1 48.Ra8+ Kg7 49.Ra7+ Rf7 50.Ra5 Rb6 51.Rc5 Rg6+ 52.Kh5 Rf4 53.Rc7+ Rf7 54.Rc5 h6 55.Rc4 Rg5+ 56.Kh4 Kg6 57.Rc6+ Rf6 58.Rc4 h5 59.gxh5+ Rxh5+ 60.Kg4 Rg5+ 61.Kh4 Rgf5 62.Kg4 Rg5+ 63.Kh4 Re5 64.Kg4 Ree6 65.Rd4 Kf7 66.Rd7+ Re7 67.Rd4 Ke6 68.Re4+ Kd7 69.Rd4+ Rd6 70.Rf4 Ke8 71.Kf3 Rf7 72.Rxf7 Kxf7 73.Ke4 Ke6 74.Kf4 Rd5 75.Ke4 Kd6 76.Ke3 Re5+ 77.Kf4 Ke6 78.Kg4 Kf6 79.Kf3 Ke6 80.Kf4 Kf6 81.Kg4 Re4+ 82.Kf3 Kf5 83.Kg3 Re3+ 84.Kg2 Ke4 85.Kf2 Kf4 86.Kg2 Re2+ 87.Kf1 Kf3 88.Kg1 Re1+ 89.Kh2 Rd1 90.Kh3 Rh1# 0-1 (90) CrazySage (2770)-zvonokchess (2827) Blitz

2022;

B1d2) 13.Qb1 Nb4 14.Bc2 Nxc2 15.Qxc2 Bg6 16.Qc3 b6 17.Rac1 Rc8 18.b4 Qd7 19.Rfe1 Qa4 20.a3 Rfd8 21.e6 f6 22.Nh4 Be8 23.Qg3 c5 24.dxc5 bxc5 25.bxc5 Qa5 26.Rcd1 Qxc5 27.Kh1 Qc3 28.Re3 Qc2 29.Ree1 Rc3 30.Ndf3 Rxa3 31.Rc1 Qb2 32.Qc7 1-0 (32) Sakali (2730)-zvonokchess (2902) Blitz 2024;

B1d3) 13.Qc1 f6

B1d31) 14.exf6 Rxf6 15.Qc3 Qd6 *(15...Ng6 16.Rae1 Nf4 17.Bxc6 Rxc6 18.Qe3 Qf6 19.Ne5 Rc2 20.Ne4 Qh4 21.Ng3 Rf8 22.Nd7 Rd8 23.Nc5 Rf8 24.Nd7 Rd8 25.Qb3 Rc4 26.Ne5 Rxd4 27.Qc3 Bg6 28.Nf3* 1-0 (28) Svane,F (2603)-Romanov, E (2555) Teplice CZE 2023 *)* 16.Rae1 Raf8 17.Bxc6 Nxc6 18.Ne5 Nd8 19.g3 Be8 20.f4 Ne6 21.b4 Kh8 22.Ng4 R6f7 23.Re5 Bd7 24.Nf3 Rf5 25.Rfe1 Rxe5 26.Rxe5 Nd8 27.Qc5 Nc6 28.Qxd6 cxd6 29.Rxd5 Be6 30.Rxd6 Bxa2 31.Rd7 b5 32.d5 Nxb4 33.d6 Be6 34.Re7 Bd5 35.d7 Nc6 36.Re8 Kg8 37.Nfe5 Nd8 38.Ne3 Bf7 39.Re7 a5 40.Nf5 a4 41.Nxf7 Rxf7 42.Re8+ Rf8 43.Nd6 b4 44.Re4 Nc6 45.Rc4 b3 46.Nb5 Na7 47.Na3 Rd8 48.Rc7 Ra8 49.Rxa7 1-0 (49) Svane, F (2618)-Ghosh,D (2577) chess.com INT 2023;

B1d32) 14.Re1 fxe5 15.dxe5 Rf4 16.Bb3 Qf8 17.Qc5 Kh8 18.Rac1 Rd8 19.Nh2 b6 20.Qe3 d4 21.Qg3 d3 22.Kh1 Be2 23.f3 Nxe5 24.Rxc7 N5g6 25.Ng4 Nf5 26.Qf2 Qd6 27.Rec1 Nd4 28.Ne3 Rff8 29.R7c4 b5 30.Rc5 Qf4 31.R1c3 Rde8 32.Nef1 Bxf1 33.Nxf1 Re2 34.Qg3 d2 35.Rd3 Re1 36.Qxf4 Rxf1+ 37.Kh2 Rxf4 38.Rc8+ Rf8 39.Rxf8+ Nxf8 40.Rxd4 Rf2 41.Kg1 Re2 42.Kf1 Re1+ 43.Kf2 Re8 44.Rxd2 g6 45.a3 Kg7 46.Bd5 Rd8 47.Ke3 Re8+ 48.Be4 Ne6 49.Rd6 a5 50.Rb6 g5 51.Rxb5 a4 52.Rb4 Nc5 53.Kd4 Ne6+ 54.Kc3 Nf4 55.g4 Nxh3 56.Rxa4 Kf6 57.Ra6+ Ke5 58.Bxh7 Ng1 59.Be4 Ne2+ 60.Kb3 Rb8+ 61.Ka2 Nc1+ 62.Kb1 Nb3 63.Rc6 Nd4 64.Rc3 Ne2 65.Rc2 Nd4 66.Rc4 Nb3 67.Ka2 Nd2 68.Rc5+ Kf4 69.b4 Ke3 70.Bd5 Kd4 71.Kb2 Rh8 72.Bb3 Nf1 73.a4 Ne3 74.a5 Rh2+ 75.Ka3 Rh1 76.a6 Ra1+ 77.Ba2 Kd3

78.a7 Nc2+ 79.Rxc2 Kxc2 80.a8Q Rd1 81.Qe4+ Kc3 82.Qe3+ Rd3 83.Qxd3+ Kxd3 84.b5 1-0 (84) Aronian,L (2723)-Le Tuan,M (2567) chess.com INT 2023;

B1d4) 13.g4 Bg6 14.Re1 Nb4 15.Re3 c5 16.Nf1 b5 17.a3 Nd3 18.Rxd3 Bxd3 19.Qxd3 c4 20.Qe3 bxa4 21.Ng3 Rb8 22.Nh4 Rb3 23.Qf4 Ng6 24.Nxg6 fxg6 25.Qd2 Rd3 26.Qe2 Rxd4 27.e6 Qe7 28.Re1 Rdf4 29.Qe5 Rxf2 30.Qxd5 Rxb2 31.Ne4 h6 0-1 (31) Shirov,A (2648)-Le Tuan Minh (2598) chess.com INT 2025;

B1d5) 13.Rc1 Bg6 14.Rc3 f6 15.exf6 Rxf6 16.Re3 Nf5 17.Rd3 Nd6 18.Bxc6 Bxd3 19.Bxd5+ Kh8 20.Re1 Bg6 21.Ne5 c6 22.Bb3 Nf5 23.Ne4 Rf8 24.Nxg6+ hxg6 25.Ng5 Qxg5 0-1 (25) champion-2023 (2634)-Calzonesdesuperman (2576) Blitz 2023;

B1d6) 13.Bxc6 Nxc6

B1d61) 14.Qc2 Bg6 *(14...f6 15.e6 Qd6 16.Rfe1 Rfe8 17.Qb3 Rab8 18.Qe3 Bg6 19.Nh4 Re7 20.f4 f5 21.Ndf3 Rbe8 22.Ng5 Nd8 23.Ngf3 Rxe6 24.Ne5 Nc6 25.Nhf3 Bh5 26.Ng5 Nxe5 27.fxe5 Qb6 28.Nxe6 Rxe6 29.Rac1 Bg6 30.Rc5 c6 31.Qc3 h6 32.b4 Qd8 33.a4 f4 34.b5 axb5 35.axb5 Qg5 36.bxc6 bxc6 37.Rxc6 Re7 38.Rf1 Be4 39.Rf2 f3 40.Qc1 Qg3 41.Qe3 Ra7 42.Rc8+ Kh7 43.Rc1 Qg6 44.Rcf1 Re7 45.Rxf3 Bxf3 46.Qxf3 Qe4 47.Qxe4+ dxe4 48.Rf4 e3 49.Re4 Rd7 50.e6 Rd8 51.Rxe3 Kg6 52.e7 Re8 53.d5 Kf6 54.d6 Ra8 55.d7 Ra1+* 0-1 (55) Capadjo (2633)-Calzonesdesuperman (2623) Blitz 2024*)* 15.Qc3 Ne7 16.Rac1 c6 17.Qb4 Rb8 18.a4 a5 19.Qa3 Nc8 20.b4 axb4 21.Qxb4 Nb6 22.Rfe1 Re8 23.a5 Nd7 24.Nb3 Qe7 25.Nc5 Nxc5 26.Rxc5 Bd3 27.Re3 Ba6 28.Rb3 f6 29.Qd2 Qf7 30.Rb6 Rbd8 31.Rb3 Re7 32.Re3 Rde8 33.Rc1 Re6 34.Rce1 h6 35.exf6 Rxe3 36.Rxe3 Rxe3 37.Qxe3 Qxf6 38.Ne5 Qf5 39.Kh2 Kh8 40.g4 Qe6 41.h4 Kg8 42.h5 Qe7 43.Kg3 Qe6 44.f4 Qe7 45.g5 Qe8 46.Qf3 Kh7 47.g6+ Kg8 48.Qg4 Bb5 49.Kf2 Ba6 50.Ke3 Bb5 51.Qf5 Ba6 52.Kd2 Bb5 53.Qg4 Ba6 54.Qh4 Qf8 55.Nf7 Qb4+ 56.Ke3 Qc3+ 57.Kf2 Qxd4+ 58.Kg3

Qe3+ 59.Kg4 Be2+ 60.Kf5 Qe4# 0-1 (60) EchiquierChalonnais (2756)-medela2019 (2743) Blitz 2023;

B1d62) 14.Nb3 f6 15.e6 Qd6 16.Re1 Rfe8 17.g4 Bg6 18.Qe2 Be4 19.Nfd2 Rxe6 20.f3 Bf5 21.Qh2 Qxh2+ 22.Kxh2 Rxe1 23.Rxe1 Bg6 24.Nc5 b6 25.Ncb3 Rc8 26.f4 Kf8 27.f5 Bf7 28.Kg3 Nb4 29.Nf3 Nxa2 30.h4 Nb4 31.g5 c5 32.h5 h6 33.g6 Be8 34.Re6 Bd7 35.Rxb6 Bxf5 36.Nxc5 Nd3 37.b4 Be4 38.Nd2 Ra8 39.Nxa6 Ke7 40.Nb3 Nb2 41.Nbc5 Nc4 42.Rb7+ Kf8 43.Rf7+ Kg8 44.Ne6 Kh8 45.Rxg7 Rxa6 46.Rh7+ Kg8 47.Rg7+ Kh8 48.Rh7+ Kg8 49.Rg7+ Kh8 ½-½ (49) BruceLeecubano (2607)-mocaspoke (2610) Blitz 2021;

B1d63) 14.Qb3

B1d631) 14...Qd7 15.Rac1

14.Qxb7 would have run into 14...Rfb8, but after 15.Rac1, White renews the threat on the b7 pawn. Nd8

B1d6311) 16.Qe3 Bxf3 *(16...Ne6 17.Ng5* Black may have been worried about this, so he decided to capture the knight on f3 first. *)* 17.Nxf3 Ne6 18.Ng5 A very nice move, showing that Caruana has deep knowledge of these pawn structures. h6 *(18...c6 19.Nxe6 Qxe6 20.f4* Threatening f5. *f5±* If there were minor pieces on the board, this is a typical move, but in a position with only heavy pieces left, every blockade of the e-pawn can be done only by tying down a strong piece to the defense, while White's plans are easy - either b4-a4-b5, or to push on the other side with g4 sooner or later.*)* 19.Nxe6 fxe6 White is ready for a slow maneuvering game where he has some extra space and a better position. 20.f4 Rf7 21.Rf3 Raf8 22.Rcf1 Qa4 23.a3 Qb5 24.b3 b6 25.Rc1 a5 26.Kh2 Qd7 27.a4 Kh8 28.Rc2 Kg8 29.Qc1 Qe7 30.Rc6 Kh8 31.Qc2 Qb4 32.Qf2 Qe7 33.Qc2 Qb4

34.Qf2 Qe7 35.Qg3 Kh7 36.Qg4 Rf5 37.Rg3 Qf7 38.Qd1 Rxf4 39.Qc2+ Qf5 40.Qxf5+ R8xf5 41.Rxc7 Rf7 42.Rc6 Rxd4 43.Rxe6 Rb4 44.Rd6 Re7 45.Rxd5 Re4 46.Rd6 R7xe5 47.Rxb6 Re3 48.Rb5 Rxb5 49.Rxe3 Rc5 50.Kg3 Kg6 51.Kf4 Kf6 52.Ke4 Rc2 53.g3 h5 54.h4 Rc1 55.Kd4 g6 56.Rc3 Rf1 57.Kc5 g5 58.Kb5 gxh4 59.gxh4 Rf5+ 60.Rc5 Rf3 61.Rxh5 Rxb3+ 62.Kxa5 Ke6 63.Rb5 Rh3 64.h5 Kd7 65.Kb6 Kc8 66.Rg5 Rb3+ 67.Kc6 Rc3+ 68.Kd6 Rd3+ 69.Ke6 Re3+ 70.Kf6 Rf3+ 71.Kg7 1-0 (71) Caruana,F (2766)-Yu Yangyi (2729) chess.com INT 2023 The Week in Chess 1475 [GM Ioannis Papaioannou];

B1d6312) 16.Rfe1 Ne6 17.Qe3 Bxf3 18.Nxf3 h6 19.Nh4 With a possibility of pushing f4-f5. b6 20.Nf5 Kh7 21.Qd3 Kh8 22.Qd2 Kh7 23.Rc3 a5 24.Rg3 Rg8 25.Rc1 Rac8 26.Rcc3 g5 *(26...Ng5 27.Rxg5 hxg5 28.Qxg5+-)* 27.Ne3 h5 28.h4 gxh4 29.Nf5 Rg6 30.Rxg6 fxg6 31.Qh6+ 1-0 (31) Caruana,F (2792)-Halkias,S (2527) Warsaw POL 2021 The Week in Chess 1417 [GM Ioannis Papaioannou];

B1d632) 14...b5 15.Qc3 Bxf3 16.Nxf3 Ne7 17.Rac1 c6 18.Nd2 a5 19.Nb3 a4 20.Nc5 Qa5 21.Qd3 b4 22.f4 f5 23.exf6 Rxf6 24.f5 Qb5 25.g4 Nc8 26.g5 Rf7 27.Qe3 Re7 28.Qf4 Qb8 29.f6 Qxf4 30.Rxf4 Rf7 31.Nd3 gxf6 32.gxf6 b3 33.axb3 axb3 34.Ne5 Rc7 35.f7+ Kf8 36.Rxc6 Rxc6 37.Nd7+ Ke7 38.f8Q+ Kxd7 39.Rf7+ Ke6 40.Qe8+ Ne7 41.Qxe7# 1-0 (41) Kamsky,G (2609)-Hamidov,A (2231) chess.com INT 2024;

B1d633) 14...Rb8

B1d6331) 15.Rac1 Qd7 *(15...Kh8 16.Qc3 f6 17.exf6*

Qxf6 18.Ne5 Be8 19.Ndf3 Rc8 20.Qc5 Nxe5 21.dxe5 Qf4 22.Qxd5 Bc6 23.Rxc6 bxc6 24.Qxc6 Qb4 25.b3 Qb6 26.Rc1 Qxc6 27.Rxc6 Rfd8 28.Rxa6 Ra8 29.Rxa8 Rxa8 30.a4 Kg8 31.Kf1 Rb8 32.Nd2 Kf7 33.Ke2 Ke6 34.f4 Rb4 35.Ke3 Kd5 36.g3 h5 37.h4 g6 38.Kd3 c5 39.Kc3 Rb8 40.Nc4 Ke4 41.a5 Ra8 42.e6 Kf5 43.Nb6 Ra7 44.Nc8 Ra8 45.Nb6 Ra7 46.Nd7 Kxe6 47.Nxc5+ Kd5 48.b4 Re7 49.Kd3 Re1 50.a6 Ra1 51.Kc3 Ra3+ 52.Kb2 Ra1 53.Kxa1 Kc6 54.a7 Kb5 55.a8Q Kc4 56.Qa5 1-0 (56)

ZalfaPleya (2689)-cheesman_css (2635) Blitz 2023*)*

16.Rfe1 Nd8 17.Qe3 Ne6 *(17...c6 18.b4 Qe7 19.a3 Ne6 20.Nb3 Rbe8 21.Nc5 Bxf3 22.Qxf3 Nxd4 23.Qe3 Ne6 24.Nd3 f6 25.Qg3 Qf7 26.Re3 Nd4 27.Ree1 fxe5 28.Nxe5 Qf4 29.Qxf4 Rxf4 30.Nd3 Rfe4 31.Kf1 Rxe1+ 32.Nxe1 Nb5 33.a4 Nd6 34.Nd3 Re4 35.f3 Rd4 36.Ke2 a5 37.Rb1 axb4 38.Nxb4 Rc4 39.a5 Nb5 40.Rb2 Nc3+ 41.Kd2 Na4 42.Rb1 Nc5 43.Ke3 g5 44.Nd3 Rc3 45.Kd4 Rb3 46.Rb2 Rxb2 47.Nxb2 Nb3+ 48.Ke5 Nxa5 49.Kd6 Nc4+ 50.Ke6 Nxb2 51.Kf6 d4 52.Ke6 d3 53.Kf6 d2 54.Ke6 d1Q 55.Kf6 Qe2 56.Kxg5 Qxg2+ 57.Kh6 Qxh3+ 58.Kg5 Qxf3 59.Kh6 Qg3 60.Kh5 Kf7* 0-1 (60)

Martinez Alcantara,J (2603)-Le,T (2567) chess.com INT 2024 *)* 18.Ng5 Bg6 19.a3 Rbc8 20.b4 b6 21.Nxe6 fxe6 22.Rc3 Qa4 23.Rec1 Rf7 24.h4 a5 25.bxa5 Qxa5 26.Rc6 Bf5 27.Nf1 h6 28.Ng3 Bh7 29.Rxe6 c5 30.Rd6 c4 31.e6 Re7 32.Rd7 Rce8 33.Rxe7 Rxe7 34.Qe5 Bg6 35.h5 Qxa3 36.hxg6

Qxc1+ 37.Kh2 Re8 38.Nf5 1-0 (38) Kramnik,V (2753)-Le,T (2598) chess.com INT 2024;

B1d6332) 15.Rfe1 Ne7 *(15...Kh8 16.Rac1 Ne7 17.Qe3 c6 18.b4 a5 19.a3 axb4 20.axb4 Ra8 21.Ra1 h6 22.Qc3 Bxf3 23.Nxf3 Ng6 24.g3 Qd7 25.Kg2 Rfe8 26.Qd3 Nf8 27.Nh4 g6 28.f4 Rxa1 29.Rxa1 Ne6 30.Nf3 Ng7 31.g4 Qe7 32.Qd2 Kh7 33.Kh2 b6 34.Ra6 Rb8 35.f5 Ne8 36.Ra1 c5 37.bxc5 bxc5 38.dxc5 Qxc5 39.Rf1 Ng7 40.e6 gxf5 41.exf7 Qc7+ 42.Kh1 Qxf7 43.Qf4 Re8 44.gxf5 Re4* 0-1 (44) Kamsky,G (2609)-Le,T (2564) chess.com INT 2024 *)* 16.Rac1 c6 17.Qd3 *(17.Nf1 Bxf3 18.Qxf3 f6 19.Qg4 fxe5 20.Rxe5 Ng6 21.Rh5 Qf6 22.Rc2 Rbe8 23.Ne3 Re4 24.Qg3 Qxd4 25.Rg5 Rxe3 26.Qxe3 Qd1+ 27.Kh2 Qxc2 28.Qe6+ Kh8 29.h4 Qxf2 30.Kh3 Qxh4#* 0-1 (30) tulachessroom (2739)-the_great_evil (2812) Blitz 2024*)* 17...Bxf3 18.Nxf3 Ng6 19.g3 Re8 20.Kg2 Nf8 21.h4 Ne6 22.b4 h6 23.a4 Rc8 24.a5 Qe7 25.Rb1 Ra8 26.Rb3 Reb8 27.Ra1 b6 28.axb6 Rxb6 29.Rba3 Qxb4 30.Rxa6 Raxa6 31.Rxa6 Rxa6 32.Qxa6 Nxd4 33.Qc8+ Kh7 34.Nxd4 Qxd4 35.Qf5+ Kg8 36.Qc8+ ½-½ (36) DmDonCh (2811)-Sushila1 (2731) Blitz 2024;

B2) 11.Nf1 Bg4 12.Ne3 Bxf3 13.gxf3 b5 14.Bc2 f6 15.Qd3 g6 16.f4 fxe5 17.fxe5 Rf4 18.h4 Rxd4 19.Qc3 Nxe5 20.h5 b4 21.Qc5 N7c6 22.hxg6 hxg6 23.Rd1 Qd6 24.Qxd6 cxd6 25.Nxd5 Kg7 26.Ba4 Rf8 27.Nc7 Re4+ 28.Kf1 Ng4 29.Bxc6 Rc4 30.Ne6+ 1-0 (30) Tulachessroom (2638)-WHAFLC-Aca (2661) Blitz 2023;

B3) 11.h3 f6 *(11...Ng6 12.Bxc6 bxc6 13.0-0 Nf4 14.Nb3 f6 15.Kh2 Qe8 16.Qc1 g5 17.exf6 Qh5 18.Ng1 Rxf6 19.Qe3 Bf5 20.Nc5 Re8 21.Qf3 Qh6 22.Rae1 Ref8 23.Qg3 g4 24.Re3 Kh8 25.Rfe1 gxh3 26.gxh3 Rg6 27.Qf3 Rfg8*

28.Re8 Rg2+ 29.Qxg2 Nxg2 30.Rxg8+ Kxg8 31.Kxg2 Qg7+ 32.Kh2 Qxd4 33.Nb3 Qxf2+ 0-1 (33) BMWHero (2787)-Vladimirovich9000 (2856) Blitz 2021*; 11...h6 12.0-0 Bf5 13.Rc1 Nb4 14.a3 Nd3 15.Rb1 Nf4 16.Bc2 Ne6 17.Rc1 f6 18.Re1 c6 19.Nf1 Qd7 20.Ng3 Bxc2 21.Rxc2 fxe5 22.Nxe5 Qd6 23.Rce2 Nf4 24.Re3 Nf5 25.Nxf5 Rxf5 26.Qg4 Raf8 27.g3 Rg5 28.Qh4 Rff5 29.Rf3 Ng6 30.Nxg6 Rxf3 31.Ne5 Rf8 32.f4 Rgf5 33.Qg4 Kh7 34.h4 h5 35.Qe2 Re8 36.Qd3 g6 37.Kh2 Qf6 38.b4 Re7 39.a4 Qe6 40.b5 Rg7 41.bxc6 bxc6 42.Rc1 Rc7 43.Qxa6 Rf6 44.Qd3 Qe7 45.Kg2 c5 46.dxc5 Rxc5 47.Rb1 Qc7 48.Rb2 Rb6 49.Re2 Rc3 50.Qxd5 Rbb3 51.Qe6 Rxg3+ 52.Kh2 Rh3+ 53.Qxh3 Rxh3+ 54.Kxh3 Qc1 55.Kg3 Qa3+ 56.Nf3 Qxa4 57.Re7+ Kg8 58.Re6 Kg7 59.Re5 Qa1 60.Re7+ Kf6 61.Re5 Qf1 62.Ng5 Qg1+ 63.Kf3 Qg4+ 64.Ke4 Qxh4 65.Re6+ Kg7 66.Re7+ Kf8 67.Rf7+ Kg8 68.Rf6 Qe1+ 69.Kd5 Qb1 70.Ne6 h4 71.Rf8+ Kh7 72.Ng5+ Kh6 73.Rh8+ Kg7 74.Rh7+ Kg8 75.Rxh4 Qf5+ 76.Kd4 Qf6+ 77.Ke4 Qd8 78.Kf3 Qb6 79.Kg4 Qb1 80.Ne4 Qg1+ 81.Ng3 Qd1+ 82.Kh3 Qc1 83.Rg4 Qg1 84.Rxg6+ Kf7 85.Rg5 Ke8 86.Kg4 Kd8 87.Rf5 Kc8 88.Re5* 1-0 (88) EleKtRoMaGnIt (2740)-may6enexttime (3007) Blitz 2023 *)*

B3a) 12.0-0

B3a1) 12...Ng6 13.Re1 *(13.Bxc6 bxc6 14.Rc1 fxe5 15.Nxe5 Nxe5 16.dxe5 Qg5 17.Kh1 Qxe5 18.Rxc6 Bf5 19.Nf3 Qxb2 20.Qxd5+ Kh8 21.Rxc7 Rae8 22.Ng5 Bg6 23.Ne6 Rxf2 24.Rfc1 Qe2 25.Qd4 Rf1+ 26.Kh2 Rf6 27.Nxg7 Qe5+ 28.Qxe5 Rxe5 29.Rb7 Rf7 30.Rxf7 Bxf7 31.Rc6 Kxg7 32.Rxa6 Re2 33.a3 Ra2 34.Kg3 h5 35.h4 Kf8 36.Kf4 Ke7 37.Ra7+ Kf8 38.g3 Rg2 39.a4 Kg7 40.a5 Ra2 41.a6 Ra4+ 42.Kg5 Rg4+ 43.Kf5 Rxg3 44.Rc7 Ra3 45.a7 Ra5+ 46.Ke4* 1-0 (46) Dybamo (2687)-spectraline (2528) Blitz 2024 *)* 13...fxe5 14.Bxc6 bxc6 15.Nxe5 Nf4 16.Ndf3 Qf6 17.Rc1 Bxh3 18.gxh3 Nxh3+ 19.Kf1 Nf4 20.Rxc6 Qf5 21.Ng1 Ng2 22.Qf3 Nxe1 23.Qxf5 Rxf5 24.Kxe1 Rb8 25.b3 h5 26.Rxc7 h4 27.Kf1 Rbf8 28.Nh3 Kh7 29.Kg2 a5 30.f4 a4 31.bxa4 Ra8 32.Kf3 Rxa4 33.Kg4 Rf8 34.Ng5+ Kg8 35.Ne6 Rf6 36.Rc8+ Kh7 37.Ng5+ Kh6 38.Rh8# 1-0 (38) Patetico (2766)-difficultteenager (2818) Blitz 2022;

B3a2) 12...Bf5 13.Rc1 Be4 14.Re1 fxe5 15.Nxe4 dxe4 16.Bb3+ Kh8 17.Ng5 h6 18.Ne6 Qd6 19.Nxf8 Rxf8

20.dxe5 Qxe5 21.Qe2 Qf4 22.Rc4 Nf5 23.Rxe4 Qd6 24.Re8 Ncd4 25.Rxf8+ Qxf8 26.Qe8 Qxe8 27.Rxe8+ Kh7 28.Bd5 Nd6 29.Re7 c6 30.Rd7 N4b5 31.Bf3 1-0 (31) serpenscaput (2656)-hotwheels423 (2449) Blitz 2024;

B3a3) 12...fxe5 13.dxe5

B3a31) 13...b5 14.Bc2 Nb4 15.Bb1 *(15.a3 Nxc2 16.Qxc2 Bf5 17.Qc5 Rf7 18.Nd4 Ng6 19.Rfe1 Qf8 20.Rac1 Bd3 21.Qxf8+ Raxf8 22.Rc3 Rxf2 23.Rxd3 Nf4 24.Kxf2 Nxd3+ 25.Ke2 Nxe1 26.Kxe1 c5 27.Ne6 Rc8 28.Nb3 c4 29.Nbd4 Re8 30.Kd2 h6 31.Nc7 Rxe5 32.Nxa6 Rg5 33.g4 h5 34.Nxb5 hxg4 35.hxg4 Rxg4 36.Nac7 d4 37.Nd5 Rg5 38.Nbc7 Rg2+ 39.Kc1 g5 40.Ne6 d3 41.Nd4 g4 42.Ne3 Rg1+ 43.Kd2 g3 44.Nxc4 Rb1 45.Kxd3 g2 46.Nf3 Rf1 47.Ncd2 Ra1 48.Ke2 g1Q 49.Nxg1 Rxg1 50.Kd3 Kf7 51.Kc4 Ke6 52.b4 Rc1+ 53.Kb5 Kd6 54.Nc4+ Kc7 55.a4 Rh1 56.a5 Rh5+ 57.Ka4 Kc6 58.Na3 Rh1 59.Nc2 Rc1 60.Nd4+ Kd5 61.Nb5 Ra1+ 62.Kb3 Rb1+ 63.Ka4 Ra1+ 64.Kb3 Rb1+ 65.Ka4 Rh1 66.Na3 Kd4 67.a6 Rh8 68.Ka5 Kd5 69.a7 Kc6 70.Ka6 Kc7 71.Nb5+ Kc6 72.Nd4+ Kc7 73.b5 Rh6+ 74.Ka5 Kb7 75.Nc6 Rh1 76.Kb4 Rb1+ 77.Kc5 Rc1+ 78.Kb4 Rb1+ 79.Kc5 Ra1 80.Kb4 Ra2 81.Na5+ Kxa7 82.Nc4 Ra1 83.Kc5 Rb1 84.Na5 Ka8 85.Nc6 Rxb5+ 86.Kc4 Kb7 87.Nd4 Rd5 88.Kxd5 ½-½ (88) EleKtRoMaGnIt (2747)-may6enexttime (2994) Blitz 2023)* 15...c5 16.a3 Nbc6 17.Qc2 Ng6 18.Qxc5 Ngxe5 19.Nxe5 Nxe5 20.f4 Nc4 21.Nxc4 dxc4 22.Be4 Rb8 23.Rad1 Qb6 24.Qxb6 Rxb6 25.f5 Bb7 26.Bxb7 Rxb7 27.Rd6 a5 28.Rd5 Rc8 29.Rc1 Kf7 30.Kf2 b4 31.Rxa5 c3 32.bxc3 b3 33.Rd5 b2 34.Rb1 Rxc3 35.Rd2 Rxa3 36.Rdxb2 Rxb2+ 37.Rxb2 Kf6 38.Rb5 h5 39.g3 h4 40.gxh4 Rxh3 ½-½ (40) EleKtRoMaGnIt (2813)-AnonymousGMplayer (2781) Blitz 2021;

B3a32) 13...Bf5 14.a3 *(14.Rc1 Kh8 15.Re1 Rc8 16.Nf1 Nb4 17.Ng3 Nd3 18.Nxf5 Nxe1 19.Qxe1 Nxf5 20.Qb4 b5 21.Bb3 c5 22.Rxc5 Qe7* 0-1 (22) SovietRussia (2793)-

Dekelija (2740) Blitz 2023*)* 14...Kh8 15.Re1 d4 16.Rc1 Ng6 17.Bxc6 bxc6 18.e6 Qd5 19.Qb3 Nf4 20.Qxd5 cxd5 21.e7 Rfe8 22.Nxd4 Bg6 23.Rxc7 Nd3 24.Re3 Nxb2 25.Re5 Rac8 26.Rxc8 Rxc8 27.Rxd5 Re8 28.Rd8 Kg8 29.Ne4 Nc4 30.Ng5 h6 31.Nde6 hxg5 32.Nc7 Nd6 33.Nxe8 Nxe8 34.Ra8 Kf7 35.Rxa6 Bf5 36.Ra7 Nf6 37.e8Q+ Kxe8 38.Rxg7 g4 39.hxg4 1-0 (39) LazaroBruzon (2802)-ViktorMMs (2637) Blitz 2021;

B3a33) 13...Ng6 14.Bxc6 bxc6 15.Rc1 Qe8 16.Re1 Nf4 17.Nf1 Qg6 18.Ng3 Bd7 19.e6 Bxe6 20.Rxc6 Rae8 21.Nd4 Qf7 22.Qd2 Bxh3 23.Rxe8 Qxe8 24.gxh3 Nxh3+ 25.Kg2 Rxf2+ 26.Qxf2 Nxf2 27.Kxf2 Qe5 28.Nge2 h5 29.Re6 Qh2+ 30.Ke3 c5 31.Nf3 d4+ 32.Kd2 Qh3 33.Re8+ Kf7 34.Ng5+ Kxe8 35.Nxh3 Kd7 36.Nef4 h4 37.Ng6 Kc6 38.Kd3 Kb5 39.Nxh4 a5 40.Nf5 a4 41.a3 1-0 (41) serpenscaput (2615)-TheDayThatNeverCome (2656) Blitz 2023;

B3a34) 13...Qe8 14.Rc1 *(14.Re1 Qg6 15.Bc2 Qh6 16.Rc1 Bf5 17.a3 Bxc2 18.Qxc2 Rf4 19.Re3 Raf8 20.Rb3 Nf5 21.Rxb7 Nfd4 22.Qd3 Rxf3 23.Nxf3 Qxc1+ 24.Kh2 Qf4+* 0-1 (24) mostrovski (2642)-kartoGM (2670) Blitz 2021*)* 14...Qh5 15.Re1 Be6 16.Bxc6 Nxc6 17.Qb3 Rab8 18.Qc3 Rf7 19.Nd4 Nxd4 20.Qxd4 Rbf8 21.f3 a5 22.Re3 b6 23.Rc6 Rf4 24.Qd3 Qf7 25.Nb3 Qd7 26.Qc3 d4 27.Nxd4 Rxd4 28.Rxc7 Rd1+ 29.Kh2 Qd5 30.Re7 Rf7 31.Rxf7 Bxf7 32.Qc8+ Qd8 33.Qc6 Bd5 34.Qb5 h6 35.f4 Qc7 36.Qe8+ Kh7 37.Rg3 Qf7 38.Qxf7 Bxf7 39.f5 Rf1 40.e6 Bh5 41.Rb3 Rxf5 42.g4 Re5 43.gxh5 Rxe6 44.Rb5 Kg8 45.Kg3 Kf7 46.a4 Ke7 47.b3 Kd7 48.Kf4 Kc6 49.Rf5 Rd6 50.Rf7 Rd5 51.Rxg7 Rxh5 52.Kg4 Rc5 53.Rg6+ Kb7 54.Rxh6 Rc3 55.Rh7+ Ka6 56.h4 Rxb3 57.h5 Rb4+ 58.Kg5 Rxa4 59.h6 Ra1 60.Re7 Rh1 61.Kf6 Rxh6+ 62.Ke5 Rh5+ 63.Kd4 Rc5 64.Re8 Rc7 65.Re1 a4 66.Re8 Ka5 67.Ra8+ Kb4 68.Kd3 b5 69.Re8 Kb3 70.Re4 b4 71.Kd2 a3 72.Re3+ Kb2 73.Re8 b3 74.Re2 a2 75.Kd3+ Ka3 76.Re8

a1Q 77.Ra8+ Kb2 78.Rxa1 Kxa1 79.Kd4 b2 80.Kd5 Rc1 81.Kd6 b1Q 82.Kd7 Qc2 83.Kd8 Qd2+ 84.Ke8 Re1+ 85.Kf8 Qf2+ 86.Kg8 Rg1+ 87.Kh8 Qh2# 0-1 (87) EleKtRoMaGnIt (2835)-IMFAR (2818) Blitz 2022;

B3b) 12.exf6 Rxf6 13.0-0

B3b1) 13...Ng6 14.Rc1 *(14.Re1 Nf4 15.Bxc6 bxc6 16.Ne5 Qd6 17.Re3 Bd7 18.Nf1 Raf8 19.Ng3 Bxh3 20.gxh3 Nxh3+ 21.Kg2 Nxf2 22.Qe2 Ne4 23.Nxe4 dxe4 24.Rxe4 Qd5 25.Qc4 Rg6+ 26.Kh3 Rf3+ 27.Kh2 Rf2+ 28.Kh1 Rgg2 29.Qxd5+ cxd5 30.Rg4 Rh2+ 31.Kg1 Rxb2 32.Rf1 Rhc2 33.Nd3 Rxa2 34.Nf4 g6 35.Nxd5 Kg7 36.Nb4 h5 37.Rg3 h4 38.Rg4 h3 39.Nxc2 Rxc2 40.Rg3 h2+ 41.Kh1 Rd2 42.Rg2 Rxd4 43.Kxh2 Rc4 44.Rfg1 Rc6 45.Re1 Kf6 46.Ree2 a5 47.Rc2 Rb6 48.Rxc7 Ke5 49.Rc5+ Kd4 50.Rxa5 Ke4 51.Rag5 Kf4 52.Rxg6 Rb5 53.R6g4+ Ke3 54.R4g3+ Kf4 55.Rf2+ Ke4 56.Kg2 Re5 57.Rg4+ Kd5 58.Rff4 Ke6 59.Re4 Kd5 60.Rxe5+ Kxe5 61.Kf3 Kf5 62.Rb4 Ke5 63.Rb5+ Kd4 64.Rf5 Kc4 65.Re5 Kd4 66.Kf4 Kc3 ½-½ (66) EnergyVision (2647)-spectraline (2565) Blitz 2023)* 14...Nf4 15.Bxc6 bxc6 16.Ne5 Bxh3 17.gxh3 Nxh3+ 18.Kh2 Nxf2 19.Qh5 Rh6 20.Qxh6 gxh6 21.Rxf2 Qh4+ 22.Kg1 Qxd4 23.Nxc6 Qxb2 24.Nb3 Qa3 25.Re1 Kh8 26.Rg2 Rf8 27.Ne5 Qd6 28.Nd4 c5 29.Ndc6 d4 30.Ne7 Qf6 31.Re4 d3 32.Nd7 Qf1+ 33.Kh2 d2 34.Rxd2 Rf2+ 35.Rxf2 Qxf2+ 36.Kh1 Qf3+ 37.Kg1 Qxe4 38.Nc8 Qd4+ 39.Kg2 Qxd7 40.Nb6 Qc6+ 41.Kg3 Qxb6 42.Kf4 Qb5 43.Ke3 Qa5 44.Ke4 Qxa2 45.Ke5 Qa3 46.Kd6 Qb4 47.Kc6 a5 48.Kd5 a4 49.Kc6 a3 50.Kd7 c4 51.Ke6 c3 52.Kf5 c2 53.Kf6 c1Q 54.Kf7 Qc6 ½-½ (54) SebastianKost (2669)-spectraline (2624) Blitz 2023;

B3b2) 13...Qf8 14.Re1 Ng6 15.Bb3 Nf4 16.g3 Nxh3+ 17.Kg2 Ne7 18.Ne4 Rg6 19.Nc5 c6 20.Bc2 Rf6 21.Qd3 Bf5 22.Qb3 Bg4 23.Re3 b6 24.Na4 b5 25.Nc5 Rxf3 26.Rxf3 Bxf3+ 27.Qxf3 Qxf3+ 28.Kxf3 Rf8+ 29.Kg2 Rxf2+ 30.Kxh3 Rxc2 31.Re1 Kf7 32.Rf1+ Ke8 33.Ne6 Rxb2 34.Rf8+ Kd7 35.Nc5+ Kc7 36.Rf7 Kd6 37.Rf8 Ng6 38.Rd8+ Kc7 39.Rd7+ Kb6 40.Rb7+ Ka5 41.Ra7 Kb4 42.Nd3+ Kc3 43.Nxb2 Kxb2 44.Rxa6 Ne7 45.g4 Kc3 46.Ra7

Ng6 47.Rc7 Kxd4 48.Rxc6 Nf4+ 49.Kg3 Nd3 50.Kf3 Ne5+ 0-1 (50) TheSzef (2605)-NIndja64 (2831) Blitz 2022;

B3b3) 13...Bf5 14.Re1 Qd6

B3b31) 15.Bb3 Raf8 16.Ne4 Bxe4 17.Rxe4 Rxf3 18.gxf3 Kh8 19.Rg4 Qh6 20.Kh2 Ng6 21.Bxd5 Nf4 22.Be4 Nxd4 23.Rg3 Nde2 24.Qd7 Nxg3 25.fxg3 Qb6 26.Qd2 Ne6 27.Rd1 Nc5 28.Bb1 Qf6 29.f4 g6 30.Qb4 b6 31.h4 a5 32.Qc4 Kg7 33.a3 Rf7 34.Rd2 Nb7 35.Ba2 Rf8 36.Qxc7+ Kh8 37.Qxb7 1-0 (37) kyart2 (2797)-IMFAR (2621) Blitz 2021;

B3b32) 15.Bc2 Raf8 *(15...Bxc2 16.Qxc2 Ng6 17.Rad1 Nf4 18.Ne5 Nxd4 19.Qa4 Nde2+ 20.Kf1 Qxe5* 0-1 (20) tulachessroom (2675)-Samira_Chess2010 (2676) Blitz 2024*)* 16.Nb3 Bxc2 17.Qxc2 Rxf3 18.gxf3 Nf5 19.Qc5 Qd7 20.Re5 Nxe5 21.dxe5 b6 0-1 (21) doreality (2695)-IMFAR (2703) Blitz 2021;

B3b33) 15.a3 Raf8 16.Rc1 Bg6 17.Rc3 Bh5 18.Bxc6 Nxc6 19.Qb3 Bxf3 20.Nxf3 b5 21.Qc2 h6 22.b4 Rg6 23.Ne5 Nxe5 24.dxe5 Qe6 25.Rxc7 Rg5 26.Qc3 Qg6 27.g3 d4 28.Qb3+ Kh7 29.Kg2 d3 30.Rd7 Rxf2+ 31.Kxf2 Qf5+ 32.Ke3 Qxd7 33.Qxd3+ Qxd3+ 34.Kxd3 Rxg3+ 35.Kd4 Kg8 36.Kd5 Kf8 37.Kd6 Ke8 38.Rc1 Kd8 39.Rf1 Ke8 40.Rc1 Kd8 41.Ke6 Rxh3 42.Rd1+ Ke8 43.Rc1 Kd8 44.Rd1+ Ke8 45.Rd7 Rg3 46.Ra7 Rg6+ 47.Kf5 Rg5+ 48.Ke6 Rg6+ 49.Kd5 h5 50.e6 Rg1 51.Rxa6 h4 52.Ra8+ Ke7 53.Ra7+ Kf6 54.Rf7+ Kg6 55.Rf2 Rd1+ 56.Kc6 Rc1+ 57.Kd7 Rd1+ 58.Ke8 Kg5 59.e7 Kg4 60.Kf7 Re1 61.e8Q Rxe8 62.Kxe8 g5 63.a4 Kg3 64.Ra2 h3 65.axb5 h2 66.Ra1 g4 67.b6 Kg2 68.b7 h1Q 69.Rxh1 Kxh1 70.b8Q g3 71.Qf4 g2 72.Qf3 Kh2 73.Qxg2+ Kxg2 74.b5 Kf3 75.b6 Kf4 76.b7 Ke4 77.b8Q Kd5 78.Kd7 1-0 (78) Kasimdzhanov,R (2675)-Dubnevych,M (2296) chess.com INT 2025;

B3b34) 15.Nf1 Raf8 16.Ne5 b5 17.Bb3 Bc8 18.f3 Qb4 19.Nxc6 Nxc6 20.Bxd5+ Kh8 21.Bxc6 Rxc6 22.Qd2 Qxd2 23.Nxd2 Rc2 24.Ne4 Rxb2 25.Nc5 h6 26.Re7 Kh7 27.Rxc7 Bxh3

28.gxh3 Rxf3 29.Ne4 Re2 30.Re7 Rfe3 31.Nf6+ Kg6 32.Rxe3 Rxe3 33.Nd5 Ra3 34.Rd1 Rxa2 35.Nb6 b4 36.d5 b3 37.d6 b2 38.d7 Ra1 39.d8Q b1Q 40.Rxb1 Rxb1+ 41.Kg2 Rb5 42.Nd5 1-0 (42) arystanner23 (2873)-IMFAR (2847) Blitz 2022]

[10.Bxc6+ Nxc6 11.exd5 Qxd5 12.Qe2+ Be6 13.Nb3 0-0 14.h3 Rfe8 15.0-0 Bxh3 16.Qd2 Bxg2 17.Kxg2 Re6 18.Qf4 Rf6 19.Qe3 Rg6+ 20.Kh1 Re6 21.Qd3 Ne5 22.Qf5 Qxf3+ 23.Qxf3 Nxf3 24.Kg2 Nd2 25.Nxd2 Rd8 1-0 (25) DmDonCh (2814)-Sushila1 (2727) Blitz 2024]

[10.0-0 dxe4 *(10...0-0 11.h3 Nb4 12.a3 Nd3 13.Bb3 c6 14.Qe2 Nf4 15.Qe3 Neg6 16.Rae1 Re8 17.e5 Bf5 18.Kh2 f6 19.Qc3 Qd7 20.exf6 gxf6 21.Rxe8+ Rxe8 22.Re1 Ne2 23.Qa5 Ngf4 24.Bd1 Bxh3 25.g3 Bg2 26.Ng1 Nxg1 27.Rxe8+ Qxe8 28.gxf4 Qe1 29.Qd8+ Kg7 30.Qd7+ Kh6 31.Kxg2 Qxd1 32.Qf5 Kg7 33.Qd7+ Kh6 34.Qe6 Kg7 35.Qe7+ Kg6 36.Qe8+ Kf5 37.Nf1 Kxf4 38.Ng3 Nf3 39.Qe3+ Kg4 40.Qe6+ Kh4 41.Qh3+ Kg5 42.Qh5+* 1-0 (42) Nepomniachtchi,I (2770)-Nakamura,H (2802) chess.com INT 2024 *)* 11.Nxe4 0-0 12.h3 Bf5 *(12...Nb4 13.Bb3 Nbd5 14.Ne5 f6 15.Nd3 Kh8 16.Rc1 b6 17.Re1 Bb7 18.Ng3 Ng6 19.Qg4 f5 20.Qh5 Ndf4 21.Nxf4 Nxf4 22.Qg5 Qxg5* 0-1 (22) arystanner23 (2723)-ViktorMMs (2589) Blitz 2021*; 12...Qd5 13.Re1 Ng6 14.Rc1 Nf4 15.Bb3 Qh5 16.d5 Ne5 17.Nxe5 Qxe5 18.d6 Bf5 19.Ng3 Qf6 20.Qf3 Bxh3 21.gxh3 Nxh3+ 22.Kg2 Nf4+ 23.Kf1 Qxd6 24.Red1 Qh6 25.Rc4 Ne6 26.Rg4 Rad8 27.Rxd8 Rxd8 28.Nf5 Qc1+ 29.Kg2 Qxb2 30.Nh6+ Kh8 31.Nxf7+ Kg8 32.Nxd8* 1-0 (32) quick_Mate (2701)-spectraline (2642) Blitz 2023*; 12...Nd5 13.Bxc6 bxc6 14.Ne5 Qh4 15.Nc5 Re8 16.Re1 Nf4 17.Qf3 Qg5 18.Kh2 Bf5 19.Nxc6 Rxe1 20.Rxe1 h6 21.Ne7+ Kh8 22.Qxa8+* 1-0 (22) Shukh_Nikolay (2630)-RPKVK (2590) Blitz 2022*)* 13.Nc5 *(13.Re1 Bxe4 14.Rxe4 Qd5 15.Qe2 Nf5 16.Bb3 Qb5 17.Bc4 Qb6 18.Rd1 Nd6 19.Rh4 Nxc4 20.Qxc4 Qxb2 21.Qd3 h6 22.Ng5 f5 23.Qc4+ Kh8 24.Nf7+ Kh7 25.Qe6 Rae8 26.Rxh6+ gxh6 27.Qxh6+ Kg8 28.Qg6#* 1-0 (28) quick_Mate (2710)-spectraline (2586) Blitz 2023*; 13.Ng3 Be6 14.Bc2 Bd5 15.Bxh7+ Kh8 16.Be4 g6 17.Qd2 Kg7 18.Rfe1 Bxe4 19.Rxe4 Nd5 20.Rae1 Qd6 21.Qg5 Kg8 22.Nh5 Nce7 23.Rg4 f5 24.Qh6 Rf7 25.Rg3 Rh7 26.Qxh7+ Kxh7 27.Ng5+ Kg8 28.Re6 gxh5* 0-1 (28) fdpr2022 (2697)-zvonokchess (2810) Blitz 2022 *)* 13...b6 14.Nd3 Nxd4 15.Nde5 c5 16.Re1 Ng6 17.Nxd4 Qxd4 18.Nc6 Qxd1 19.Raxd1 b5 20.g4 Be6 21.Bc2 Rac8 22.Rd6 Rfe8 23.b3 c4 24.Kh2 Nf4 25.Kg3 g5 26.h4 h6 27.hxg5 hxg5 28.Nd4 cxb3 29.axb3 Red8 30.Rxd8+ Rxd8 31.Nc6 Rd2 32.Be4 Bxb3 33.Ne7+ Kf8 34.Nf5 Be6 35.Ne3 Ne2+ 36.Kg2 Nc3 37.Bf3 b4 38.Ra1 b3 0-1 (38) NowIAmSerious (2775)-IMFAR (2819) Blitz 2023]

10...Qxd5
[10...Nxd5 11.Bxc6+ bxc6 12.0-0 0-0
A) 13.Ne5 Ne7 *(13...c5 14.dxc5 Qe7 15.Ndf3 Qxc5 16.Rc1 Qd6 17.Nc6 Re8 18.Re1 Bg4 19.Rxe8+ Rxe8 20.h3 Bh5 21.g4 Bg6 22.Qd4 h5 23.Nfe5 hxg4 24.hxg4 Re6 25.f4 Bh7 26.f5 Re8 27.Rd1 Ne3 28.Qxd6 cxd6 29.Rxd6 f6 30.Ne7+ Kf8 31.N5g6+ Bxg6 32.Nxg6+ Kg8 33.Rxa6 Nxg4 34.b4 Ne3 35.Re6 Rxe6 36.fxe6 Nd5 37.b5 Kh7 38.e7 Nc7 39.b6* 1-0 (39) AlexTriapishko (2741)-ViktorMMs (2574) Blitz 2021*)* 14.Ne4 Be6 15.Rc1 Bxa2 16.b3 Rb8 17.Nc5 Qd5 18.Ned7 Bxb3 19.Qe2 Nf5 20.Nxb8 Rxb8 21.Nxb3 Qxb3 22.Qe5 Nd6 23.Rxc6 Re8 24.Rxd6 1-0 (24) Nakigraw (2754)-MihailRodin (2612) Blitz 2022;
B) 13.Rc1 Ne7 14.Re1 Be6 15.Qa4 Bd5 16.Ne5 Qd6 17.Ne4 Qh6 18.Nc3 Rab8 19.Nd7 Ng6 20.Nxd5 cxd5 21.Nxf8 Rxf8 22.Re8 Qxc1+ 0-1 (22) Nakigraw (2784)-MihailRodin (2587) Blitz 2022]
11.Bb3
[11.0-0 0-0 *(11...Bg4 12.h3 Bh5 13.Bb3 Qd6 14.Ne4 Qf4 15.Re1 Bxf3 16.gxf3 0-0-0 17.d5 Ne5 18.Kg2 Nf5 19.Nd2 Nh4+ 20.Kf1* 0-1 (20) crackcubano (2663)-zvonokchess (2871) Blitz 2023*; 11...Be6 12.Bb3 Qd6 13.Ne4 Qf4 14.Nc5 Bg4 15.Re1 Bxf3 16.Qxf3 Qxf3 17.gxf3 Nxd4 18.Re3 b6 19.Rae1 Ndf5 20.Re5 g6 21.Ba4+ Kf8 22.Nd7+ Kg7 23.Rxe7 Nxe7 24.Rxe7 Rhf8 25.Nxf8 Kxf8 26.Rxc7 Rd8 27.Bb3* 1-0 (27) Levonal (2662)-Calzonesdesuperman (2682) Blitz 2024 *)* 12.Re1 *(12.Rc1 Be6 13.Bb3 Qd7 14.Re1 Bxb3 15.Nxb3 b6 16.Ne5 Nxe5 17.dxe5 Rfd8 18.Qxd7 Rxd7 19.e6 fxe6 20.Rxe6 Nd5 21.g3 a5 22.Kg2 c5 23.Rce1 a4 24.Nc1 a3 25.b3 Kf7 26.Rc6 Re8 27.Rxe8 Kxe8 28.Nd3 Ne3+ 29.fxe3 Rxd3 30.Rxb6 Rd2+ 31.Kf3 Rxa2 32.Ra6 Ra1 33.h4 a2 34.Ke4 Kd7 35.h5 Kc7 36.g4 Kb7 37.Ra5 Kb6 38.Ra8 Kb5 39.Ra4 c4 40.Ra3 Kb4* 0-1 (40) Gbeto (2786)-IWANNABEADOORED (2823) Blitz 2021 *)* 12...Bg4 *(12...Bf5 13.Rc1 Bg6 14.a3 Rad8 15.Rc5 Qd6 16.Nc4 Qf6 17.Nce5 Nxe5 18.Nxe5 c6 19.Bb3 Nf5 20.d5 Rfe8 21.Nxg6 Rxe1+ 22.Qxe1 hxg6 23.dxc6 bxc6 24.h3 Qxb2 25.Qb4 Qa1+ 26.Kh2 Qd4 27.Rxc6 Qxb4 28.axb4 Nd4 29.Rc3 Nxb3 30.Rxb3 Rb8 31.Ra3 Rxb4 32.Rxa6 Rb8* ½-½ (32) Papus1234 (2782)-chabo_ftw (2813) Blitz 2022*)* 13.h3 Bxf3 14.Nxf3 Ng6 15.Rc1 Rad8 16.Bxc6 bxc6 17.b3 h6 18.Rc5 Qd6 19.Qc2 Ne7 20.Qc4 Ra8 21.Ne5 a5 22.Nxc6 Nxc6 23.Rxc6 Qa3 24.Re2 a4 25.b4 Rab8 26.b5 Rb6 27.Rxc7 Rf6 28.Rc5 Rg6 29.Kh2 1-0 (29) vistagausta (2836)-YOUPLAYCHESS (2743) Blitz 2024]
11...Qh5
[11...Qb5 12.a4 Qh5 13.0-0 0-0 14.Re1 Ng6 15.Rc1 Nf4 16.Rc5 Qg4 17.g3 Nxd4 18.Nxd4 Nh3+ 19.Kg2 Qxd4 20.Ne4 Qxb2 21.Re2 Qa3 22.Rxc7 Bg4 23.f3 Rad8 24.Qc2 Bxf3+ 25.Kxf3 Ng1+ 26.Kf2 Nxe2 27.Kxe2 Qb4 28.Qc4 Qxc4+ 29.Bxc4 b5 30.axb5 axb5 31.Bxb5

Rd4 32.Ke3 Rdd8 33.Bc4 h6 34.Re7 g6 35.Nc5 Rd6 36.Nd7 Rd8 37.Rxf7 Kh8 38.Nf6 Rxf6 39.Rxf6 1-0 (39) crackcubano (2712)-zvonokchess (2824) Blitz 2022]

12.0-0 0-0 13.Re1

[13.Rc1 Bg4 *(13...Ng6 14.d5 Nce5 15.Nxe5 Qxe5 16.Re1 Qd6 17.Ne4 Qb6 18.d6 cxd6 19.Qxd6 Qa5 20.Qc7 Qb4 21.Ng5 Be6 22.Nxe6 fxe6 23.Rxe6 Kh8 24.Rce1 Nf4 25.R6e4 Qd2 26.Qc2 Qd6 27.Qc1 Nd3 28.Qd2 Rad8 29.R4e2 Nxe1 30.Qxe1 h6 31.g3 Qd4 32.Kg2 a5 33.Re4 Qd3 34.Re7 Qf3+ 35.Kg1 Qf6 36.Qe2 b5 37.Re6 Qf3 38.Qxf3 Rxf3 39.Kg2 Rfd3* 0-1 (39) crackcubano (2668)-zvonokchess (2865) Blitz 2023*)* 14.Rc5 Qh6 15.h3 Bxf3 16.Nxf3 Qd6 17.Qc1 Rad8 18.d5 Nb4 19.Rxc7 Nexd5 20.Rxb7 Nf4 21.Qc7 Ne2+ 22.Kh1 Qxc7 23.Rxc7 Nd3 24.Ng5 Rc8 25.Bxf7+ Kh8 26.Rxc8 Rxc8 27.Be6 Rb8 28.Nf7+ Kg8 29.Ne5+ 1-0 (29) winx_m (2896)-TheMachine64 (2813) Blitz 2025]

[13.h3 Na5 *(13...Qh6 14.d5 Na5 15.Re1 Nxb3 16.Qxb3 Nf5 17.Nc4 Nd6 18.Nxd6 Qxd6 19.Rad1 a5 20.Nd4 a4 21.Qf3 Bd7 22.Qg3 Rfe8 23.Qxd6 cxd6 24.Kf1 g6 25.g4 Kg7 26.f3 Kf6 27.Kf2 h5 28.Kg3 a3 29.b3 Rac8 30.Rxe8 Bxe8 31.Kf2 Bd7 32.Ke3 hxg4 33.hxg4 b5 34.Kd3 b4 35.Rd2 Rc3+ 36.Ke4 Rc1 37.Nc2 Rb1 38.Nxb4 Rb2 39.Kd3 Ke5 40.Rxb2 axb2 41.Kc2 Kf4 42.a4 Kxf3 43.a5 Kxg4 44.a6 Bc8 45.a7 Bb7 46.Nc6 f5 47.Kxb2 f4 48.Kc2 f3 49.Kd2 Kg3* 0-1 (49) Hurburt (2622)-efourwhitewins (2809) Blitz 2022*)* 14.Bc2 Be6 15.Ne4 Rfd8 16.Ng3 Qb5 17.Ne5 Nc4 18.Qd3 Ng6 19.Nxg6 hxg6 20.b3 Na3 21.Qxb5 axb5 22.Be4 Bd5 23.Rfd1 Bxe4 24.Nxe4 Nc2 25.Rac1 Nxd4 26.Kf1 Ne6 27.Rxd8+ Rxd8 28.a4 bxa4 29.bxa4 Rd4 30.Nc3 Rc4 31.Ke2 Nc5 32.Kd2 Nb3+ 33.Kd3 Rxa4 34.Rb1 Nc5+ 35.Ke3 c6 36.Rd1 b5 37.Rd8+ Kh7 38.Rc8 Rc4 39.Kd2 Nb3+ 40.Kd3 Nc5+ 41.Kd2 Na4 42.Ne2 Nb6 43.Rb8 Nd5 44.Kd3 g5 45.g3 Kg6 46.Ng1 Ra4 47.Nf3 Ra3+ 48.Ke2 Nc3+ 49.Kf1 f6 50.Nd4 Ne4 51.Nxc6 Rf3 52.Ke2 Rxf2+ 53.Ke3 Rc2 54.Ne7+ Kf7 55.Kxe4 Kxe7 56.Rxb5 Rc3 57.Rb7+ Kf8 58.Kf5 1-0 (58) NewLife2023 (2632)-Nebonik (2429) Blitz 2024]

13...Bf5 14.Rc1 Rad8 15.h3 Qh6 16.Rc5 Qf6 17.Qc1 b6 18.Rc3 Nxd4 19.Nxd4 Rxd4 20.Nf3 Rd6 21.Rxc7 Ng6 22.Ng5 Rd7 23.Nxf7 Rdxf7 24.Rxf7 Rxf7 25.Qc7 Nf8 26.Re8 g6 27.Qb8 Kg7 28.Bxf7 Qxf7 29.Qe5+ Kg8 30.Re7 Nd7 31.Rxf7 Nxe5 32.Rb7 b5 33.b3 Bd3 34.Rb6 Kf7 35.f4 Nd7 36.Rd6 Nc5 37.b4 Bc4 38.bxc5 Bxa2 39.c6 Ke7 40.c7 1-0 (40) vistagausta (2896)-Chessi9 (2706) Blitz 2022

[100] **10.Bxc6+** Nxc6 11.exd5 Qxd5 12.0-0

[12.Nc3 Qe6+ 13.Qe3 Nb4 14.0-0-0 0-0 15.Qxe6 fxe6 16.Rd2 Bd7 17.Ne5 Be8 18.Re1 Rd8 19.f3 Rf4 20.Re4 Rxe4 21.fxe4 Nc6 22.Nxc6 Bxc6 23.Kd1 Kf7 24.Ke2 Ke7 25.Ke3 Rf8 26.Rf2 Rd8 27.a3 Be8 28.h4 Bh5 29.Rf4 h6 30.Rf1 b6 31.Rf2 c5 32.Rd2 cxd4+ 33.Rxd4

Rc8 34.Rb4 Rc6 35.Kd4 Be8 36.g4 b5 37.Ke3 Rc5 38.Rd4 Bd7 39.Rd2 1-0 (39) KAPUTVSEMU (2820)-aboveandbelow (2869) Blitz 2023]

12...0-0 13.Nc3 Qh5 14.d5 Ne5 15.Nxe5 Qxe5 16.Rfe1 Qh5 17.Qf4 c6 18.d6 Be6 19.Ne4 Rad8 20.a4 b6 21.b4 Bd5 22.Nf6+ gxf6 23.Re3 f5 24.Rg3+ Kh8 25.Rg5 Qh6 26.Rg8+ Rxg8 27.Qxh6 Rxg2+ 28.Kf1 Rg6 29.Qf4 Rdxd6 30.f3 b5 31.axb5 cxb5 32.Re1 Bc4+ 33.Kf2 Rd2+ 34.Qxd2 1-0 (34) Mrdalica (2866)-solxe (2695) Blitz 2023

10.e5 Bf5

[10...0-0

A) 11.Bc2 f6 12.0-0 fxe5 13.Nxe5 Nxe5 14.dxe5 Bf5 15.Nc3 Bxc2 16.Qxc2 Qd7 17.Rae1 Rae8 18.f4 Ng6 19.Ne2 b6 20.b4 Qb5 21.a3 c5 22.Nc3 Qc4 23.Qd2 Nxf4 24.g3 Nd3 25.Rxf8+ Rxf8 26.Rd1 Qd4+ 27.Kh1 Nf2+ 0-1 (27) miz63 (2712)-IMFAR (2697) Blitz 2022;

B) 11.Nc3 Bg4 12.Ng1 *(12.Bd1 f6 13.exf6 Rxf6 14.0-0 Qd6 15.Ne5 Bxd1 16.Raxd1 Nxe5 17.dxe5 Qxe5 18.Rfe1 Qd6 19.Rxe7 Qxe7 20.Nxd5 Qf7 21.Nxf6+ gxf6 22.Qb4 c6 23.h4 Re8 24.Qg4+ Qg7 25.Qxg7+ Kxg7 26.Rd7+ Kg6 27.Rxb7 Re2 28.g3 c5 29.Kg2 c4 30.Kf3 Rc2 31.g4 h5 32.gxh5+ Kxh5 33.Rb6 Kg6 34.a4 c3 35.bxc3 Rxc3+ 36.Kg2 Rc4 37.Rxa6 Rxh4 38.Ra8 Kf5 39.a5 Ra4 40.a6 Kf4 41.a7 Ra1 42.Kh3 Kf3 43.Kh4 Rh1#* 0-1 (43) SirBasilGolightly (2618)-Yolo_Gaming (2803) Blitz 2022; *12.Qf4 Bxf3 13.gxf3 f6 14.Rg1 fxe5 15.Qg3 Nf5* 0-1 (15) sergolvz (2611)-spectraline (2521) Blitz 2024; *12.Bc2 Qd7 13.h3 Bxf3 14.gxf3 Nf5 15.Ne2 Nce7 16.0-0-0 Rac8 17.Rhg1 c5 18.Kb1 c4 19.Rg5 Kh8 20.Rdg1 g6 21.Qf4 f6 22.R5g2 Rf7 23.h4 Rcf8 24.exf6 Rxf6 25.h5 Ng7 26.Qh2 Nxh5 27.Ng3 Nf4 28.Nf1 R8f7 29.Rg4 Ng8 30.Nd2 Qe7 31.Rh4 Qf8 32.Nf1 Rg7 33.Ne3 Qf7 34.Ng4 Nh5 35.Ne5 Qe8 36.Qg2 Qf8 37.Ng4 Ne7 38.Nxf6 Qxf6 39.Rxh5 gxh5 40.Qg6 hxg6 41.Rd1 Nf5 42.Rc1 Nxd4 43.b3 Nxc2 44.Rxc2 c3 45.a4 Re7 46.Ka2 Re1 47.Ka3 Rd1 48.Kb4 Rd2 49.Rxc3 Qd6+ 50.Rc5 a5+ 51.Kb5 Qxc5+ 52.Kxc5* 1-0 (52) flaggernoob (2609)-Fightbro (2617) Blitz 2023*)* 12...f6 13.h3 Be6 14.exf6 Rxf6 15.Nge2 Qd6 16.0-0 Raf8 17.Rae1 Ng6 18.Bxc6 Qxc6 19.f4 Qd6 20.g4 Bd7 21.f5 Nh4 22.Qf4 Bb5 23.Qxd6 Rxd6 24.Kh2 g5 25.Kg3 c6 26.Rg1 Re8 27.Nc1 Rxe1 28.Rxe1 a5 29.Nxb5 cxb5 30.Nd3 Rc6 31.Rc1 Rc4 32.Rxc4 dxc4 33.Nc5 b6 34.Nd7 b4 35.Kf2 a4 36.Ke2 c3 37.bxc3 b3 38.Nf6+ Kf7 39.axb3 a3 40.Ne4 a2 41.Nxg5+ Kg8 42.Ne4 a1Q 43.Nf6+ Kf7 44.Nd5 Qb2+ 45.Kd3 Qxb3 46.Ne3 Nf3 47.Nc4 Ne1+ 48.Ke4 Qxc4 49.g5 Qxc3 50.g6+ 1-0 (50) PhilJackson (2661)-gmmitkov (2648) Blitz 2022;

C) 11.Bxc6 Nxc6 12.0-0 Bg4 13.Ne1 f6 14.f4 fxe5 15.dxe5 d4 16.Na3 Qd5 17.Nac2 Rad8 18.Nd3 Bf5 19.b3 Bxd3 20.Qxd3 Ne7 21.Rae1 Nf5 22.Re4 c5 23.Rd1 b5 24.Ne3 Nxe3 25.Rxe3 Rxf4 26.Re2 c4 27.Qg3 Re4

28.Red2 d3 29.a4 Qxe5 30.axb5 Qxg3 31.hxg3 axb5 32.bxc4 bxc4 33.Rc1 Kf7 34.Kf2 Ke6 35.Kf3 Kd5 36.Ra1 Kd4 0-1 (36) ajedrezsinlimites (2616)-spectraline (2529) Blitz 2024;

D) 11.0-0 Bg4 12.Ne1 Bh5 13.f4 Bg6 14.Nc3 f6 15.Nf3 fxe5 16.dxe5 d4 17.Ne2 d3 18.Ng3 Nd4 19.Kh1 Kh8 20.Nh4 b5 21.Bd1 Ndf5 22.Ngxf5 Nxf5 23.Nxg6+ hxg6 24.Bf3 Rc8 25.Rad1 c5 26.Qxd3 Qa5 27.a3 Rcd8 28.Qc3 Qb6 29.Be4 Nd4 30.Qh3+ Kg8 31.Qg4 Nf5 32.Rxd8 Rxd8 33.Bxf5 gxf5 34.Qxf5 b4 35.e6 Qb5 36.Kg1 Re8 37.Qf7+ Kh8 38.Rf3 1-0 (38) AlexD64 (2605)-Calzonesdesuperman (2593) Blitz 2023;

E) 11.h3 f6 *(11...Bf5 12.Nc3 Bg6 13.0-0 Nf5 14.Bc2 Nce7 15.Rfe1 c6 16.Ne2 Nh6 17.Bb3 f6 18.Nf4 fxe5 19.Nxe5 Bf5 20.Re3 Qd6 21.Rae1 Rae8 22.a3 Bc8 23.g3 Bxh3 24.Nxh3 Nef5 25.R3e2 Qf6 26.Nd7 Qxd4 27.Qxd4 Rxe2 28.Qd1 Rxe1+ 29.Qxe1 Nd4 30.Bd1* 1-0 (30) Kostik_Mostik (2704)-Somkin,K (2121) Blitz 2024*)* 12.0-0 *(12.Bxc6 Nxc6 13.0-0 fxe5 14.Nxe5 Nxe5 15.dxe5 c5 16.b4 cxb4 17.Qxb4 Qg5 18.f4 Qg6 19.Qb3 Bf5 20.Nd2 Kh8 21.Nf3 Be4 22.Ng5 Bxg2 23.Kxg2 h6 24.Qb1 Rf5 25.h4 Raf8 26.Kg3 hxg5 27.hxg5 Qc6 28.Rf3 Qc4 29.Qh1+ Kg8 30.g6 Rc8 31.Qh7+ Kf8 32.Qh8+ Ke7 33.Qxg7+ Ke6 34.Rh1 Qd4 35.Qxb7 Rxf4 36.Qxc8+* 1-0 (36) gsvc (2746)-Creep30 (2775) Blitz 2021*; 12.Nc3 fxe5 13.dxe5 Be6 14.0-0-0 Na5 15.Ng5 Qc8 16.Nxe6 Qxe6 17.Nxd5 b6 18.Nxe7+ Qxe7 19.Rhe1 Qc5+ 20.Qc3 Qxf2 21.e6 b5 22.Bc2 Nc4 23.Bb3 Rae8 24.Bxc4 bxc4 25.Qxc4 Re7 26.Kb1 Qxg2 27.Rd7 Rfe8 28.Rxe7 Rxe7 29.a4 a5 30.h4 h5 31.Ka2 Qg4 32.Re4 Qf5 33.Qe2 g6 34.Re5 Qf6 35.Qe4 Kg7 36.b4 axb4 37.Kb3 c5 38.a5 Qf2 39.a6 Qg1 40.Rg5 Qd1+ 41.Kc4 Qc1+ 42.Kb5 Qf1+ 43.Kb6 Qf6 44.Re5 b3 45.a7 b2 46.a8Q Qxe5 47.Qxe5+* 1-0 (47) ls-hals (2627)-pobimrbr (2611) Blitz 2024*)* 12...fxe5 13.Nxe5 Nxe5 14.dxe5

E1) 14...Ng6 15.f4 c6 *(15...d4 16.b4 Kh8 17.Na3 b5 18.Bc2 Nh4 19.Be4 Ra7 20.Nc2 Bf5 21.Bxf5 Nxf5 22.Rad1 c5 23.bxc5 Rc7 24.g4 Nh4 25.Nxd4 Rd7 26.c6 Rd5 27.Qf2 Qb6 28.Ne6* 1-0 (28) pipita09 (2642)-ikica77 (2764) Blitz 2022*)* 16.Nc3 Qh4 17.Ne2 Nxe5 18.fxe5 Rxf1+ 19.Rxf1 Qxa4 20.b4 Be6 21.Nd4 Bf7 22.e6 Bg6 23.e7 Re8 24.Ne6 Bf7 25.Qf4 Rxe7 26.Qb8+ Re8 27.Qxe8+ Bxe8 28.Rf8# 1-0 (28) Bacrot,E (2686)-Laddha,S (2324) chess.com INT 2024;

E2) 14...Bf5 15.Nc3 c5 16.b4 b5 17.Bc2 d4 18.Bxf5 Nxf5 19.Ne4 c4 20.Rad1 Qd5 21.Rfe1 Qxe5 22.Ng3 Qd6 23.Nxf5 Rxf5 24.Qxd4 Qxb4 25.Qb6 Raf8 26.Rd7 Qxe1+ 0-1 (26) Jakebr8 (2847)-BrokyLoveKFC (2769) Blitz 2024]

[10...Bg4 11.Ng1 *(11.Qg5 Bxf3 12.gxf3 b5 13.Bb3 Nxd4 14.Nd2 Ng6 15.Qe3 c5 16.f4 0-0 17.0-0-0 Nf5 18.Qd3 Qd7 19.Qxd5 Rad8 20.Qe4 Qc8 21.e6 Nge7 22.exf7+ Kh8 23.Be6 Rd4 24.Bxc8 Rxe4 25.Bxf5 Rxf4 26.Be6* 1-0 (26) Rumple_DarkOne (2623)-spectraline (2562) Blitz 2023*; 11.Nc3 Bxf3 12.gxf3 Qd7 13.f4 g6 14.Bd1 h5 15.Bf3 0-0-0 16.0-0-0 Qh3 17.Qd3 Nxd4 18.Bxd5 Qxd3 19.Rxd3 Nxd5 20.Rxd4 Nxc3 21.bxc3 c5 22.Rd2 b5 23.Rhd1 Rxd2 24.Rxd2 Rd8 25.Re2 Kd7 26.Kc2 Ke6 27.a4 c4 28.axb5 axb5 29.Re1 Kf5 30.e6 fxe6 31.Re5+ Kxf4 32.Rxb5 Ra8 33.Kb2 Rd8 34.Rc5 Rd2+ 35.Ka3 Rxf2 36.Rxc4+ Kf5 37.h4 e5 38.Rc8 Ke4 39.Kb3 Ke3 40.c4 Rf4 41.c5 Rxh4 42.c6 Rh1 43.Kb2 Rf1 44.Re8 Rf7 45.Rxe5+ Kf4 46.Rd5 Rc7 47.Rd6 g5 48.Kc2 h4 49.Kd2 h3 50.Ke1 h2 51.Rh6 Kg3 52.Kf1 Rxc6 53.Rh8 h1Q+ 54.Rxh1 Rc1+ 55.Ke2 Rxh1 56.Ke3 Rh4 57.Ke2 Rf4 58.Ke3 Kh4* 0-1 (58) osterlind-naruto (2608)-uSeRnAmEnOtAvAiL (2697) Blitz 2024*)* 11...0-0 *(11...Bh5 12.Nc3 Bg6 13.Nge2 0-0 14.0-0 Na5 15.Rae1 Nc4 16.Qc1 b5 17.Bc2 Rc8 18.f4 Bxc2 19.Qxc2 Ne3 20.Qd3 Nxf1 21.Rxf1 c5 22.f5 f6 23.e6 Qb6 24.Kh1 cxd4 25.Qxd4 Qxd4 26.Nxd4 Rc4 27.Rd1 Rfc8 28.a3 b4 29.axb4 Rxb4 30.h4 g6 31.fxg6 hxg6 32.Rd2 Rcc4 33.Nf3 Rc5 34.Ne2 Rcb5 35.Ned4 Rb6 36.Rd3 Rxb2 37.Rc3 Rb7 38.Kh2 R2b4 39.Kg3 Rc4 40.Ra3 Ra7 41.Ra5 Kg7 42.Kf4 Rb7 43.g4 Nc6 44.Rxd5 Ne7 45.Rd8 a5 46.g5 fxg5+ 47.hxg5 a4 48.Ra8 Rbc7 49.Ke5 Nc6+ 50.Kd6 Nxd4 51.Nxd4 Rb7 52.Nc6 Rc1 53.e7 Rd1+ 54.Kc5 Rc1+ 55.Kd6 Re1 56.Kc5 Rd7 57.e8Q Rxe8 58.Rxe8 Rd1 59.Ra8 Rc1+ 60.Kd6 Rd1+ 61.Ke6 Re1+ 62.Ne5 a3 63.Ra7+ Kg8 64.Rxa3 Rb1 65.Ra7 Rb6+ 66.Ke7 Kg7 67.Nd7 Rb2 68.Ke6 Re2+ 69.Ne5+ Kg8* 0-1 (69) FuegoAbrumador (2607)-Alfredo2345 (2597) Blitz 2024*)* 12.f3 Be6 *(12...Bh5 13.Ne2 f6 14.Nf4 Bf7 15.e6 Bg6 16.0-0 Qd6 17.Nc3 Rae8 18.Bb3 Kh8 19.Ncxd5 Nxd5 20.Bxd5 Nd8 21.Rae1 Bf5 22.Rf2 c6 23.Bb3 Bxe6 24.Nxe6 Nxe6 25.Rfe2 Nc7 26.Rxe8 Rxe8 27.Rxe8+ Nxe8 28.Qe2 Nc7 29.Qe4 g6 30.h4 Kg7 31.h5 gxh5 32.Bc2 Kf8 33.Kh1 Ne6 34.Qxh7 Qxd4 35.Bg6 Ng5 36.Qh8+ Ke7 37.Qg7+ Kd6 38.Qxb7 h4 39.Qb8+ Kd5 40.Bc2 Qe5 41.Bb3+ Kc5 42.Qa7+ Kd6 43.Qb8+ Kc5 44.Qa7+ Kd6 45.Qb8+ Kd7 46.Qb7+ Qc7 47.Qxc7+ Kxc7 48.Kg1 Kd6 49.Kf2 Ke5 50.Ke3 c5 51.f4+ Kf5 52.fxg5 fxg5 53.Kf2 Kf4 54.Bc4 a5 55.b3 Ke4 56.a4 Kf4 57.Kg1 Kg3 58.Kh1 Kf2 59.Kh2 Ke3 60.Kh3 Kf4 61.g3+ hxg3 62.Kg2 g4 63.Bb5 Kg5 64.Bc4 Kf5 65.Bb5 Kf4 66.Bc4 Ke3 67.Kxg3 Kd4 68.Be6 c4 69.Bxc4 Kc5 70.Kxg4 Kb4 71.Kf3 Kc5 72.Ke4 Kb4 73.Ke5 Kc5 74.Ke6 Kb6 75.Kd5 Kc7 76.Kc5 Kb7 77.Kb5 Ka7 78.Kxa5 Kb7 79.Kb5 Ka7 80.a5 Kb8 81.b4 Ka7 82.Bd5 Kb8 83.a6 Kc7 84.Ka5 Kd7 85.Kb6 Kd6 86.a7 Kxd5 87.a8Q+ Kc4 88.Qc6+ Kb3 89.Kc7 Ka3 90.Kd6 Kb3 91.Qc5 Ka4 92.Kd5 Kb3 93.b5 Ka4 94.b6 Kb3 95.b7 Ka2 96.Qc6*

Ka3 97.b8Q Ka2 98.Qca8# 1-0 (98) SaxKaiGoal (2635)-mocaspoke (2651) Blitz 2021*)* 13.Ne2 f6 14.exf6 Rxf6 15.Nbc3 Qd6 16.0-0 Raf8 17.Rfe1 Ng6 18.Rac1 Nce7 19.Bc2 Nh4 20.Qg5 Neg6 21.Qg3 Qb6 22.Na4 Qa5 23.Nc5 Bc8 24.Nd3 Bf5 25.Nc3 Bxd3 26.Bxd3 Qb6 27.Kh1 c6 28.Qf2 Nxf3 29.gxf3 Rxf3 30.Qc2 Qxd4 31.Bxg6 hxg6 32.Qxg6 Rf2 33.Rg1 Rxh2+ 34.Kxh2 Qh4+ 35.Kg2 Rf2# 0-1 (35) Maghsoodloo,P (2695)-Csonka,B (2496) chess.com INT 2021]

11.Nc3 0-0 12.0-0 h6

[12...f6 13.Rfe1 fxe5 14.Bxc6 Nxc6 15.Nxe5 Nxe5 16.Rxe5 c6 17.Rae1 Qf6 18.f3 Bg6 19.Na4 Rae8 20.Nc5 Rxe5 21.Rxe5 Re8 22.Rxe8+ Bxe8 23.Nxb7 Bg6 24.Nc5 Qf5 25.a3 a5 26.Kf2 h5 27.h4 Qf6 28.Kg3 Qd6+ 29.Qf4 Qe7 30.Qe5 Qd8 31.Ne6 Qd7 32.Qb8+ Be8 33.Nc7 Kf7 34.Qxe8+ 1-0 (34) Hanskai (2848)-marsh008 (2564) Blitz 2022]

13.Rac1

[13.Rfe1 b5 14.Bd1 Qd7 15.h3 Bh7 16.Rc1 Nd8 17.Ne2 Ne6 18.Ng3 c6 19.Bc2 Bxc2 20.Rxc2 Ng6 21.Rec1 Rfc8 22.Nf5 Ng5 23.Nxg5 Qxf5 24.Nf3 Qe6 25.Qe3 Rc7 26.Kh2 Rac8 27.g3 Qf5 28.Kg2 a5 29.a3 a4 30.Rc3 Qe6 31.Qd3 Ne7 32.Qc2 Nf5 33.Qd3 Qg6 34.Qe2 h5 35.h4 Qg4 36.Qd3 g6 37.Rd1 Kg7 38.Kh2 Rd7 39.Ng5 Nxh4 40.gxh4 Qxh4+ 41.Nh3 Qg4 42.Qf3 Qe6 43.Ng5 Qg4 44.Qxg4 hxg4 45.Kg3 Re7 46.Kxg4 c5 47.dxc5 Rxe5 48.f4 f5+ 49.Kf3 Re7 50.Rxd5 Rec7 51.Ne6+ 1-0 (51) bodoque50 (2606)-Calzonesdesuperman (2637) Blitz 2024]

13...Qb8 14.h3 Nd8 15.Ne2 Ne6 16.Nf4 c6 17.Bc2 Bxc2 18.Rxc2 Ng6 19.Ne2 f5 20.h4 f4 21.Qb4 a5 22.Qa3 Qe8 23.Qd6 Rd8 24.Qa3 Ne7 25.Qxa5 Nf5 26.Qb4 Rd7 27.a4 Qh5 28.a5 g5 29.a6 gxh4 30.axb7 Rg7 31.Rc3 Qg4 32.Ng3 hxg3 33.b8Q Rxb8 34.Qxb8+ Kh7 35.Qc8 Nh4 36.fxg3 fxg3 37.Rd3 Qh5 38.Qxe6 Nxf3+ 39.Rfxf3 Qh2+ 40.Kf1 Qh1+ 41.Ke2 Qxg2+ 42.Kd1 Qg1+ 43.Kd2 Qh2+ 44.Kc3 Qh5 45.Qf5+ Qxf5 46.Rxf5 g2 47.Rd1 Rg3+ 48.Kb4 g1Q 49.Rxg1 Rxg1 50.Kc5 Rc1+ 51.Kd6 Rc4 52.Rf6 Rxd4 53.Ke6 Re4 54.Rf7+ Kg6 55.Rf6+ Kg5 56.Rf5+ Kg4 57.Rf6 h5 58.Kf7 h4 59.e6 h3 60.e7 Rxe7+ 0-1 (60) EleKtRoMaGnIt (2866)-MothAndTheFlame (2799) Blitz 2022

10.Nc3 0-0 11.0-0 dxe4 12.Nxe4 Bg4 13.Ne5

[13.Qf4 Bxf3 14.Qxf3 Nxd4 15.Qd3 b5 16.Bb3 Ng6 17.g3 Ne5 18.Qe3 Nxb3 19.axb3 Qd3 20.Qxd3 Nxd3 21.Rfd1 Rfd8 22.Rd2 Nb4 23.Rad1 Rxd2 24.Rxd2 h6 25.f3 Kf8 26.Kf2 Ke7 27.Rd4 a5 28.Nc5 Rd8 29.Rxd8 Kxd8 30.Nb7+ Kc8 31.Nxa5 c5 0-1 (31) behrooz10000 (2667)-chess_lover2020 (2798) Blitz 2022]

13...Nxe5 14.dxe5 Qxd2 15.Nxd2 b5 16.Bb3 c5 17.Rac1 c4 18.Bd1 Bxd1 19.Rfxd1 Ng6 20.Nf3 Rfd8 21.g3 Kf8 22.h4 h5 23.Kg2 Ke7 24.Re1 Rd3 25.Rc2 Rad8 26.b3 c3 27.b4 Rc8 28.Re4 Nf8 29.Ne1 Rd2 30.Re3 Rxc2 31.Nxc2 Nd7 32.f4 g6 33.Kf3 Nb6 34.Ke4 Rc4+ 35.Kd3 Na4 36.Re4 Nb2+ 37.Ke3 Rc8 38.Rd4 Rc6 39.Rd5 Na4 40.Nd4 Rc4 41.Kd3 c2 42.Nxc2

Rc3+ 43.Kd2 Rxg3 44.Rd6 Nb2 45.Rxa6 Nc4+ 46.Ke2 Rg2+ 47.Kd3 Rd2+ 48.Kc3 Rf2 49.Ra7+ Kf8 50.Nd4 Rxf4 51.e6 Nd6 52.Rd7 Ne4+ 53.Kd3 f5 54.Nc6 Nf6 55.Rf7+ Ke8 56.Rxf6 Re4 57.Rxg6 Re1 58.Rg8# 1-0 (58) cbev378 (2775)-Chopper1905 (2830) Blitz 2024

[101] **10...Nxd5** 11.Bxc6+
[11.0-0 0-0 12.Nc3 Nce7 13.Rfe1 c6 14.Ne5 Ng6 15.Nd3 Nf6 16.Nc5 b6 17.Bxc6 Ra7 18.N5e4 Nxe4 19.Bxe4 Qg5 20.Qxg5 1-0 (20) Afisky (2663)-joker123chemp (2446) Blitz 2024]
11...bxc6 12.0-0 0-0 13.Rc1
[13.Ne5
A) 13...Re8 14.Re1 Bf5 15.Nc3 Nb4 16.Qf4 Be6 17.Re2 Nd5 18.Qg3 Nxc3 19.bxc3 c5 20.dxc5 Qd5 21.c6 Qd6 22.Nf3 Qxc6 23.Nd4 Qd7 24.Rae1 Bc4 25.Nf5 g6 26.Re7 Rxe7 27.Nxe7+ Kg7 28.h4 h5 29.Qg5 Re8 30.Nf5+ Kg8 31.Rxe8+ ½-½ (31) Praggnanandhaa,R (2747)-Nakamura,H (2794) Stavanger NOR 2024;
B) 13...Qd6 14.Nc3 Bf5 *(14...Rb8 15.Rac1 c5 16.Ne4 Qe7 17.Nxc5 Qh4 18.Nf3 Qh5 19.b3 Rb6 20.Ne4 Bb7 21.Ng3 Qg6 22.Ne5 Qe6 23.Rfe1 Qc8 24.Ne4 Rh6 25.Nc5 Ba8 26.h3 Qf5 27.Ng4 Rd6 28.Re5 Qf4 29.Ne3 h6 30.Qe2 Qxd4 31.Nf5 Qf4 32.Rc4 Qg5 33.Nxd6 Nf4 34.Rxg5 Nxe2+ 35.Kf1 hxg5 36.Nf5 Nf4 37.Ne3 Rd8 38.Rc2 a5 39.f3 Bc6 40.Kf2 Bb5 41.Nf5 g6 42.Ne3 Kg7 43.Ne4 Nd3+ 44.Kg3 c6 45.Nxg5 Nb4 46.Rf2 Rd3 47.Ng4 Nd5 48.Ne5 Re3 49.Ngxf7 Rc3 50.h4 Rxf3+ 51.gxf3 Nf4 52.Ng5 Kf6 53.Kxf4* 1-0 (53) FinisEffectum (2665)-khvichachess (2632) Blitz 2024*; 14...Rd8 15.Ne4 Qe6 16.Nc5 Qe8 17.Rfe1 f6 18.Ned3 Qg6 19.Rac1 Bh3 20.f3 Bf5 21.Re2 Rab8 22.Rce1 Nb6 23.Nf4 Qf7 24.b3 Nd5 25.Nxd5 Qxd5 26.Re7 Rb5 27.Nxa6 Qxd4+ 28.Qxd4 Rxd4 29.Nxc7 Ra5 30.a4 Rd2 31.Ne8 Rd7 32.Nxg7 Rxe7 33.Rxe7 Bg6 34.Ne6 Re5 35.f4 Re4 36.g4 f5 37.gxf5 Bxf5 38.Re8+ Kf7 39.Rc8 Rxe6 40.Rc7+ Kf6 0-1 (40) serpenscaput (2643)-Paradoxxx1 (2692) Blitz 2024)* 15.Nxd5 cxd5 16.Qf4 Bd7 17.Nd3 Bb5 18.Rfd1 Bxd3 19.Qxd6 cxd6 20.Rxd3 Rac8 21.Rad1 Rfe8 22.Kf1 Rc2 23.R3d2 Rc4 24.Re1 Rb8 25.Re7 Kf8 26.Rd7 Re8 27.g3 Re6 28.Rd3 Ke8 29.Ra7 Ra4 30.Rb3 1-0 (30) InvisibleGuest2023 (2742)-NewLife2023 (2634) Blitz 2023;
C) 13...f6 14.Nxc6 Qd6 15.Na5 Rd8 16.Nc3 Nb6 17.Rad1 Rb8 18.Rfe1 Bg4 19.f3 Be6 20.Ne4 Qd5 21.Rc1 Bd7 22.b3 Be8 23.Rxc7 Qxd4+ 24.Qxd4 Rxd4 25.Nc5 Rd2 26.Ree7 Bg6 27.Rxg7+ Kh8 28.h4 Rxa2 29.h5 Bf5 30.Nc6 Re8 31.Nd4 Bd7 32.h6 1-0 (32) Safarli,E (2610)-Reprintsev,A (2230) Skopje MKD 2024;
D) 13...Ne7 14.Nc3 *(14.Qc3 Be6 15.Nd2 Bd5 16.Ndc4 f6 17.Nd3 Nf5 18.Nf4 Bf7 19.Rfd1 g5 20.Ne2 Qd5 21.Ne3 Nxe3 22.fxe3 Rae8 23.Ng3 Bg6 24.Rac1 Re6*

25.Re1 Rfe8 26.b3 Kg7 27.h3 h5 28.e4 Bxe4 29.Nxe4 Rxe4 30.Rxe4 Rxe4 31.Qxc6 Qxd4+ 32.Kh1 Re7 33.Qxa6 Qf2 34.Rf1 Re1 35.Rxe1 Qxe1+ 36.Kh2 Qe5+ 37.Kg1 Qe1+ 38.Qf1 Qe3+ 39.Qf2 Qe5 40.a4 g4 41.hxg4 hxg4 42.g3 Kg6 43.Qc2+ f5 44.Kh2 Qh8+ 45.Kg2 Qa8+ 46.Kg1 Qf3 47.Qf2 Qxb3 48.Qf4 Qd1+ 49.Kf2 Qc2+ 50.Ke1 Qc3+ 51.Ke2 Qb2+ 52.Ke1 Qb1+ 53.Ke2 Qe4+ 54.Qxe4 fxe4 55.a5 Kf5 56.a6 Ke5 57.a7 Kd4 58.a8Q c6 59.Qg8 e3 60.Qxg4+ Kc3 61.Kxe3 c5 62.Qe4 c4 63.g4 Kb2 64.g5 c3 65.Qb4+ Kc1 66.Qxc3+ Kd1 67.Qd2# 1-0 (67) Deac,B (2692)-Ragger,M (2580) chess.com INT 2025 *)* 14...f6

D1) 15.Nf3 Bg4 *(15...Be6 16.Rfe1 Bf7 17.Rac1 Re8 18.b3 a5 19.h3 Qd7 20.Ne4 Bd5 21.Qd3 Ng6 22.Nfd2 Qf7 23.Qg3 a4 24.Nc3 axb3 25.axb3 Bxb3 26.Rxe8+ Rxe8 27.Rb1 Bd5 28.Nxd5 Qxd5 29.Qxc7 Nh4 30.Qg3 Nf5 31.Qb3 Nxd4 32.Qxd5+ cxd5 33.Rd1 Ne6 34.Nf3 Rd8 35.Ra1 Rd7 36.g3 Kf7 37.Kf1 h5 38.Ra5 g5 39.Ke2 g4 40.hxg4 hxg4 41.Nh2 f5 42.Nf1 Kf6 43.Ne3 Ke5 44.Kd3 Rd8 45.Nc4+ Kf6 46.Ne3 Ke5 47.Nc4+ Kf6 48.Ne3 Ke5* ½-½ (48) Deac,B (2668)-Ragger, M (2585) chess.com INT 2025*)* 16.Qf4 Bxf3 17.Qxf3 Qxd4 18.Rfe1 Rae8 19.Rad1 Nd5 20.Rf1 Qf4 21.Qd3 Nxc3 22.Qxc3 Re2 23.Qxc6 Rxb2 24.Qxa6 h5 25.a4 Re8 26.Qc6 Ree2 27.Qd5+ Kf8 28.Qxh5 Red2 29.Rxd2 Qxd2 30.a5 Ra2 31.Qc5+ Kg8 32.Qxc7 Qxa5 33.Qc8+ Kh7 34.h3 Ra1 35.Qc4 Rxf1+ 36.Qxf1 Qc3 37.g3 g5 38.Kg2 Kg7 39.Kh2 Qf3 40.Kg1 Qc3 41.Qe2 Qc1+ 42.Kh2 Qc6 43.Qe3 Qc2 44.Qf3 Qd2 45.Kg2 Qc2 46.h4 gxh4 47.Qg4+ Kf7 48.Qxh4 Qc6+ 49.Kh2 Qf3 50.Qd4 Kg7 51.Kg1 Qb3 52.Qe4 Qc3 53.Kg2 Qd2 54.g4 Qc3 55.Qe7+ Kg6 56.Qe8+ Kg7 57.Qe4 Qd2 58.Qe7+ Kg6 59.Qe8+ Kg7 60.Qe7+ Kg6 61.Qe6 Kg7 62.Qf5 Kf7 63.Qh7+ Ke6 64.Qg8+ Ke7 65.Qg7+ Ke6 66.Qf8 Qd5+ 67.Kg3 Qe5+ 68.Kh3 Qc3+ 69.Kg2 Qc6+ 70.f3 Qc2+ 71.Kg3 Qc7+ 72.Kh3 Qh7+ 73.Kg3 Qc7+ 74.Kg2 Qc2+ 75.Kg3 Qc7+ ½-½ (75) Deac,B (2692)-Ragger,M (2581) chess. com INT 2025;

D2) 15.Nc4 Be6 16.Na5 Bf7 17.Rfe1 Re8 *(17...Qd7 18.Nb7 Ng6 19.Nc5 Qf5 20.Re4 Rfd8 21.Qe3 h5 22.Re1 a5 23.b3 Bd5 24.Nxd5 Rxd5 25.h3 h4 26.Ne6 Rd7 27.Qe2 Re8 28.Qc4 Qd5 29.Qxd5 cxd5 30.R4e3 Rb8 31.Rc1 a4 32.Nc5 Rd6 33.Nxa4 c6 34.Nc5 Kf7 35.Rce1 Rb4 36.Ne6 Rd7 37.a3 Rb8 38.b4 Ra7 39.Nc5 Nf4 40.Kh2 g5 41.g3 Ng6 42.Kg2 Ne7 43.Rf3 Rba8 44.a4 Rb8 45.Re6 Ng8 46.Rb3 Ne7 47.gxh4 gxh4 48.Rf3 Ng8 49.Rxc6 Rxb4 50.Rf4 Rc4 51.Rd6 Re7*

52.Rxd5 Rc2 53.a5 Ra2 54.a6 Ree2 55.Rd7+ Kg6 56.Ne4 Rxa6 57.Rg4+ Kh6 58.Rxh4+ Kg6 59.Rg4+ Kh6 60.Ng3 1-0 (60) Kasimdzhanov,R (2667)-Van Foreest,J (2680) Tashkent UZB 2023 *)* 18.Rac1 Rb8 19.b3 Rb6 20.Na4 Rb5 21.Nxc6 Nxc6 22.Rxc6 Rxe1+ 23.Qxe1 Qxd4 24.Rxc7 g5 25.Rc1 Re5 26.Qc3 Qf4 27.g3 Qf5 28.Qc8+ Qxc8 29.Rxc8+ Kg7 30.Kf1 Bh5 31.Rc3 Re2 32.g4 Bxg4 33.f3 Bxf3 34.Rxf3 Rxh2 35.Rf2 Rh4 36.Nc5 Kg6 37.Nxa6 f5 38.b4 f4 39.b5 Rh1+ 40.Kg2 Rb1 41.a4 Kf5 42.Nc5 g4 43.Ra2 f3+ 44.Kf2 h5 45.a5 Rh1 46.Ke3 Re1+ 47.Kd4 g3 48.Kd5 g2 49.Rf2 g1Q 50.Nd3 Rd1 51.Rxf3+ Kg4 52.Ke4 Re1+ 53.Nxe1 Qxe1+ 54.Re3 Qxa5 0-1 (54) wounded_thirteenth (2877)-ikica77 (2713) Blitz 2022]

[13.Nc3

A) 13...Bf5 14.Rac1 Qf6 15.Nxd5 cxd5 16.Rxc7 h6 17.Ne5 Rac8 18.Rfc1 Rxc7 19.Rxc7 Qb6 20.Qc3 Be6 21.h3 Rb8 22.b3 a5 23.Nd3 Bf5 24.Nf4 Qd6 25.Nh5 a4 26.Rc6 Qf8 27.Qg3 axb3 28.axb3 Bg6 29.Nf4 Qe8 30.Nxg6 fxg6 31.Rxg6 Rb7 32.Rxh6 Qe1+ 33.Kh2 Rxb3 34.Qxb3 gxh6 35.Qxd5+ Kf8 36.Qf5+ Kg8 37.Qg6+ Kf8 38.Qxh6+ Kf7 39.Qf4+ Kg6 40.Qd6+ Kh7 41.Qe5 Qxf2 42.Qh5+ Kg7 43.Qg4+ Kh8 44.d5 Qf6 45.Qg3 Qe7 46.Qf4 Kg7 47.h4 Qd7 48.Kg3 Kh7 49.Qe4+ Kh8 50.Qe5+ Kh7 51.Qh5+ Kg8 52.Qg4+ Qg7 53.Qxg7+ Kxg7 54.Kf4 Kf6 55.g4 1-0 (55) NowIAmSerious (2829)-merrychristmas123 (2622) Blitz 2023;

B) 13...Nxc3 14.Qxc3 Be6 15.Ne5 Bd5

B1) 16.b3

B1a) 16...Re8! 17.Rfe1 *(*In the event of *17.Nxc6 Qg5 18.g3 Qf6⩱ 19.Ne5 c5!* Black gets sufficient compensation.*)* 17...Re6 From here the rook can be transferred to the kingside. 18.f3 Qh4 19.Ng4 Rae8 20.Re5 Rxe5 21.dxe5 Qg5⇄ Karthikeyan,M - Praggnanandhaa,R chess24.com INT 2021;Black's piece activity completely compensates for the defects of the pawn structure. 22.Re1 Re6 23.Qe3 Qf5 24.Nf2 Rg6 25.Kf1 h5 26.Nd3 Rg4 27.Nf2 Rg6 28.h3 Rg3 29.Ne4 Rg6 30.Nc3 Re6 31.Kg1 f6 32.f4 g5 33.Rf1 gxf4 34.Rxf4 Qxe5 35.Qxe5 fxe5 36.Rf5 h4 37.Kf2 Kg7 38.Rg5+ Kh6 39.Rg4 Kh5 40.Ne4 a5 41.g3 hxg3+ 42.Nxg3+ Kh6 43.Nf5+ Kh7 44.Ke3 Rf6 45.Rg7+ Kh8 46.Rg5 Kh7 47.h4 Rf7 48.h5 Rf6 49.Rg7+ Kh8 50.Rg5 Kh7 51.h6 Rg6 52.Rxg6 Kxg6 53.a3 Bxb3 54.Ne7+ Kxh6 55.Nxc6 Kg5 56.Nxe5 Kf6 57.Nd7+ Ke7 58.Nc5 Bd5 59.Kd4 Kd6 60.Nd3 Bg8 61.Nc5 Kc6 62.Nd3 Kb5 63.Kc3 c5 64.a4+ Kc6

65.Nxc5 Kxc5 66.Kb2 Kb4 67.Ka1 Kxa4 68.Kb2 Kb4 69.Ka1 Kb3 70.Kb1 a4 71.Ka1 a3 72.Kb1 a2+ 73.Ka1 Ka3 ½-½ (73) Karthikeyan,M (2606)-Praggnanandhaa,R (2608) chess24.com INT 2021;

B1b) 16...a5 17.Nxc6 *(17.Rad1 a4 18.Nxc6 Qg5 19.f3 axb3 20.axb3 Rfe8 21.Ne5 f6 22.Ng4 h5 23.Nf2 Re3 24.Qd2 Rae8 25.Nh3 Qh4 26.Qf2 Qxf2+ 27.Rxf2 Rxb3 28.Nf4 Bf7 29.Rc2 Re7 30.Rdc1 Rb7 31.h4 Rd7 32.Ne2 Bd5 33.Kf2 c6 34.Nf4 Bf7 35.Rxc6 Rxd4 36.Kg3 Rbb4 37.Rc8+ Kh7 38.R1c7 Rxf4 39.Rxf7 Rfc4 40.Rxc4 Rxc4 41.Rd7 Kg6 42.Rd5 Ra4 43.Rc5 Rb4 ½-½ (43) mwpchess (2639)-Stoichess (2630) Blitz 2021)* 17...Bxc6 18.Qxc6 Qxd4 Kuzmin, Alexey: 'I am not sure that this way is the most reliable.' Kuzmin, Alexey: 'Another way -' 19.Qxc7 *(19.Rac1 a4* Van Foreest against Giri as well as Gukesh in this game managed to keep the position of Black, however, one should not forget that they had to do so while a pawn down.

20.Rc4 Qb6 21.Qxb6 cxb6 22.bxa4 Rfd8 23.g3 Rd2 24.Rb1 Rxa2 25.Rxb6 g6 26.Rbb4 h5± White has an extra pawn, but with precise defense Black is sure to obtain a draw. *27.h4 Kg7 28.Kg2 Ra7 29.Rf4 Ra3 30.Rbc4 Ra2 31.Kf3 Ra3+ 32.Ke2 Rb7 33.Rb4 Rc7 34.Kd2 Ra1 35.Rbc4 Rb7 36.Kc3 Ra7 37.Kb2 Re1 38.Rc5 Re2+ 39.Kb3 Re1 40.Rc2 Rb7+ 41.Ka2 Ra7 42.Rb2 Rd1 43.Rc2 Re1 44.Rb2 Rd1 45.Rc2 Re1* ½-½ (45) Nihal,S (2620)-Gukesh,D (2578) chess24.com INT 2021 The Week in Chess 1379 [Kuzmin, Alexey]*)* 19...a4 Kuzmin, Alexey: ' ± ' Kuzmin, Alexey: 'happened in the game Giri,A - Van Foreest, J Wijk aan Zee 2021' 20.Rfd1 Qb2 21.Rdb1 Qd4 22.Qc4 Rfd8 23.Qxd4 Rxd4 24.b4 Rb8 25.a3 g6 26.g3 Rd3 27.Rb2 Kg7 28.Kg2 h5 29.h4 Rb6 30.Rc2 Rf6 31.Raa2 Rff3 32.b5 Rxa3 33.Rab2 Rab3 34.b6 Rf6 35.Ra2 a3 36.b7 Rfb6 37.Rc7 Rxb7 ½-½ (37) Giri,A (2764)-Van Foreest,J (2671) Wijk aan Zee NED 2021;

B2) 16.Rac1 a5 17.Nxc6 Bxc6 18.Qxc6 Qxd4 19.Qc3 Qxc3 20.Rxc3 Rfb8 21.Rc2 a4 22.Rd1 h5 23.h4 Rb4 24.g3 Rab8 25.Rdd2 g6 26.Kg2 Kg7 27.a3 R4b7 28.Rd4 Rxb2 29.Rxc7 R8b6 30.Rf4 Rf6 31.Rxf6 Kxf6 32.Rc4 Rb3 33.Rxa4 Kg7 34.Kf1 Rb2 35.Rb4 Ra2 36.a4 f6 37.Kg2 g5 38.Kf3 Kg6 39.Ke3 Kf5 40.Rc4 Kg6 41.Rb4 Kf5 42.Kf3 Ra3+ 43.Kg2 Kg6 44.Rd4 Kf5 45.Rd5+ Kg6 46.a5 gxh4 47.gxh4 Ra4 48.Kg3 Rg4+

49.Kh3 Ra4 50.f3 Rf4 51.Kg3 Ra4 52.Rb5 Kh6 53.Rb6 Rxa5 54.Rxf6+ Kg7 55.Rd6 Ra4 56.Re6 Kf7 57.Re4 Ra5 58.Kf4 Kf6 59.Rb4 Rf5+ 60.Kg3 Ra5 61.Rb8 Ra4 62.Rg8 Ra5 63.Rf8+ Kg7 64.Re8 Kf6 65.Re4 Kf5 66.Rb4 Ra6 67.Rb5+ Kg6 68.Rg5+ Kh6 69.Re5 Kg6 70.Kf4 Ra4+ 71.Re4 Ra6 72.Rd4 Rf6+ 73.Ke3 Re6+ 74.Kf2 Ra6 75.Rd5 Ra4 76.Rd6+ Kg7 77.Kg3 Rb4 78.Re6 Ra4 79.Re4 Ra5 80.Re3 Kf6 81.Rb3 Ra4 82.f4 Ra5 83.Kf3 Kf5 84.Rc3 Rb5 85.Ra3 Rc5 86.Rb3 Ra5 87.Kg3 Rc5 88.Re3 Ra5 89.Rd3 Rb5 90.Re3 Ra5 91.Kf3 Rb5 92.Re8 Rb3+ 93.Re3 Rb5 94.Re8 Rb3+ 95.Re3 Rb5 ½-½ (95) Nepomniachtchi,I (2770)-Nakamura,H (2802) chess.com INT 2024;

C) 13...Bg4 14.Ne5 Bd7 15.Ne4 1-0 (15) Donnerhall (2709)-MirandelaOpen (2306) Blitz 2024;

D) 13...Rb8 14.Rac1 Bf5 15.Ne5 Qf6 16.Nxd5 cxd5 17.Rxc7 Qb6 18.Rc6 Qxb2 19.Qxb2 Rxb2 20.Rxa6 Rd2 21.Nc6 Bd3 22.Ra3 Bxf1 23.Kxf1 Re8 24.Re3 Rxe3 25.fxe3 Kf8 26.Nb4 Rb2 27.a3 Rb3 28.Nxd5 Rxa3 29.Ke2 Ra2+ 30.Kf3 f5 31.Nf4 Kf7 32.Nd3 Kf6 33.h4 g6 34.g3 h6 35.Nc5 Ra1 36.Nd7+ Ke6 37.Ne5 Kf6 38.Nd7+ Kg7 39.Nc5 Rf1+ 40.Kg2 Re1 41.Kf3 Kf7 42.Kf2 Ra1 43.Kf3 Ke7 44.Nd3 Ra3 45.Nf4 g5 46.hxg5 hxg5 47.Nd5+ Kd6 48.Nf6 Ke6 49.Nh7 g4+ 50.Kf4 Ra2 51.d5+ Kxd5 52.Kxf5 Rf2+ 53.Kxg4 Ke4 54.Ng5+ Kxe3 55.Nh3 Rf8 56.Nf4 Ke4 57.Kh4 Rh8+ 58.Kg5 Rg8+ 59.Ng6 Kf3 60.Kf6 Kxg3 61.Kf7 Ra8 62.Kf6 Ra7 63.Kf5 Ra5+ 64.Ne5 Rb5 65.Ke4 Kh4 66.Kf5 Kh5 67.Kf6 Rb8 68.Kf5 Rb1 69.Kf6 Rf1+ 70.Ke6 Kg5 71.Kd5 Rd1+ 72.Ke4 Re1+ 73.Kd4 Kf5 74.Nd3 Re8 75.Kd5 Rd8+ 76.Kc4 Ke4 77.Nc5+ Ke3 78.Ne6 Re8 79.Kd5 Kf3 80.Nd4+ Kg4 81.Ne6 Ra8 82.Ke5 Ra1 83.Ke4 Re1+ 84.Kd5 Kf5 85.Nd4+ Kf6 86.Kc4 Re4 87.Kd5 Re5+ 88.Kc4 Rh5 89.Kd3 Ke5 90.Nf3+ Kd5 91.Ke3 Rf5 92.Nd4 Rf8 93.Nf3 Re8+ 94.Kf4 Re4+ 95.Kf5 Ra4 96.Ng5 Ra1 97.Nf3 Rf1 98.Kf4 Rf2 99.Ke3 Ra2 100.Kf4 Ra3 101.Kg4 Ra4+ 102.Kg3 Ke4 103.Kf2 Ra2+ 104.Kg3 Ra3 105.Kg4 Rxf3 0-1 (105) ChessDama2021 (2673)-IMFAR (2759) Blitz 2022;

E) 13...Nf6 14.Ne5 Qd6 15.Rad1 Be6 16.b3 Rfd8 17.Na4 Bd5 18.Nc5 Ne4 19.Nxe4 Bxe4 20.Rfe1 Bd5 21.Nd3 a5 22.Nc5 Qg6 23.f4 h6 24.Qf2 Re8 25.h3 Qf6 26.Re5 Rxe5 27.fxe5 Qg6 28.Kh2 f5 29.Rd2 Rf8 30.Qf4 Qf7 31.Re2 g5 32.Qf2 f4 33.e6 Qe7 34.Re5 f3 35.g4 Qf6 36.Rf5 Qe7 37.Re5 Rf4 38.Nd3 Rf6 39.Nc5 Kh8 40.Kg1 Kg7 41.Rf5 Rxf5 42.gxf5 Qd6 43.Nd7 Kh8 44.Ne5 Kg8 45.Nxf3 Qf4 46.Ne5 Qe4 47.Kh2 h5 48.e7 Bf7 49.f6 h4 50.Qf3 Qxd4 51.Nxf7 Qd2+ 52.Kh1 Qe1+ 53.Kg2 Qd2+ 54.Kf1 Qc1+ 55.Kf2 Qd2+ 56.Qe2 Qd4+ 57.Qe3 Qxf6+ 58.Kg2

Qb2+ 59.Kf3 Qf6+ 60.Kg4 1-0 (60) Ter-Sahakyan,S (2649)-Le Tuan,M (2567) chess.com INT 2024;

F) 13...Be6

F1) 14.Ne4 Ne7 15.Nc5 Bd5 16.Ne5 f6 17.Ned3 Nf5 18.Qf4 Nd6 19.Rfe1 Re8 20.b3 a5 21.h3 Nb5 22.a4 Nd6 23.b4 Bc4 24.bxa5 Rxe1+ 25.Rxe1 Bxd3 26.Nxd3 Rxa5 27.Nc5 Ra8 28.Qf3 Kh8 29.Qxc6 h6 30.Ne6 Qe8 31.Qxc7 Nf7 32.a5 Rc8 33.Qb7 Rb8 34.Qd5 Qa4 35.Rc1 Ng5 36.Nxg5 hxg5 37.g3 Qa3 38.Re1 Qc3 39.Re3 Qd2 40.Kg2 Qc2 41.a6 Qa4 42.Re6 Qa1 43.Qe4 Rg8 44.d5 Qa5 45.h4 g4 46.Qf5 Rf8 47.Rc6 Qa4 48.Rc8 Rxc8 49.Qxc8+ Kh7 50.Qf5+ Kh8 51.Qd3 Qd7 52.d6 Qc6+ 53.Kh2 Qb6 54.Qd2 1-0 (54) Adams,M (2659)-Reprintsev,A (2256) London ENG 2025;

F2) 14.Ne5 Qh4 *(14...Qd6 15.Ne4 Qb4 16.Nxc6 Qxd2 17.Nxd2 Nf4 18.Ne4 Rfe8 19.Nc3 Bc8 20.Rfe1 Bb7 21.d5 Kf8 22.Rad1 Bxc6 23.dxc6 Nd3 24.Rxe8+ Rxe8 25.b3 Nb4 26.Kf1 Nxc6 27.Nd5 Rd8 28.Ke2 Rd7 29.f4 a5 30.a3 h5 31.g3 g6 32.Rd3 Kg7 33.Ke3 Na7 34.Nc3 Re7+ 35.Kf2 Nc8 36.Rd5 Nd6 37.Rxa5 Nf5 38.Re5 Rd7 39.Rd5 Re7 40.Rd3 c6 41.b4 Ra7 42.Ne4 Ra8 43.Nc5 Kf6 44.a4 Ke7 45.Rd7+ Kf6 46.a5 Rb8 47.Rb7 Rd8 48.Ne4+* 1-0 (48) Kamsky,G (2609)-Perez Gormaz,M (2396) chess.com INT 2024*)* 15.Nxc6 Nf4 16.f3 Rfe8 17.Rfe1 Bf5 18.g3 Nh3+ 19.Kg2 Qf6 20.Ne7+ Kh8 21.Ncd5 Qd6 22.Nxf5 Qxd5 23.Rxe8+ Rxe8 24.Re1 Rd8 25.Qe3 h6 26.Nxh6 f6 27.Kxh3 1-0 (27) Karthikeyan,M (2610)-Le,T (2567) chess.com INT 2024;

F3) 14.Rac1 Nxc3 *(14...Re8 15.Rfe1 Rb8 16.b3 h6 17.Ne5 Qd6 18.Ne4 Qb4 19.Nxc6 Qxd2 20.Nxd2 Ra8 21.Ne4 Nf4 22.Nc5 Bd5 23.Ne7+ Kh7 24.Nxd5 Nxd5 25.Kf1 a5 26.g3 g5 27.Re2 Kg7 28.Ke1 h5 29.Kd2 h4 30.Rxe8 Rxe8 31.Re1 Rd8 32.Re5 Kf6 33.Ne4+ Kg6 34.Rxg5+ Kh6 35.gxh4 Nb4 36.Rxa5 Rxd4+ 37.Ke3 Nc2+ 38.Kf4 Nb4 39.Kf3 Rd3+ 40.Kg2 Nd5 41.Ra6+ Kg7 42.f3 Nf4+ 43.Kf2 Ne6 44.Ng5 Nd4 45.Ra7 Rd2+ 46.Ke3 Rd1 47.Rxc7 Nf5+ 48.Kf4 Nh6 49.Ne4 Ra1 50.a4 Ra2 51.b4 Ng8 52.a5 Ra4 53.Rb7 Kh8 54.Nd6 Nh6 55.Rb6 Kg7 56.a6 f6 57.Rb7+ Kg6 58.h5+ Kxh5 59.Ke4 Nf5 60.Kd5 Ne3+ 61.Kc6* 1-0 (61) BlunderPandaZz (2661)-Markus_Ragger (2679) Blitz 2024 *)* 15.bxc3 *(15.Qxc3 Bxa2 16.b3 Rb8 17.Nd2 Qd5 18.Ra1 Rxb3 19.Nxb3 Bxb3 20.Rfc1 Re8 21.Ra5 Qe4 22.f3 Qf4 23.g3 Qh6 24.Re1 Rxe1+ 25.Qxe1 Be6 26.Rxa6 g6 27.Ra8+ Kg7 28.Qe5+ f6 29.Qxe6 Qc1+ 30.Kf2 Qd2+ 31.Qe2 Qxd4+ 32.Kg2 Qd7 33.Re8 Kf7 34.Re3 c5 35.Rc3 Qd4 36.Qc2* 1-0 (36) Kollars,D

(2648)-Ragger,M (2599) chess.com INT 2024*)* 15...c5 16.Rfd1 Qd6 17.dxc5 Qxc5 18.Nd4 Bc4 19.Re1 h6 20.Qf4 Rfe8 21.h4 Bxa2 22.Nf5 Be6 23.Nd4 Bd7 24.Nf3 Rxe1+ 25.Rxe1 Re8 26.Ne5 f6 27.Nf3 Rxe1+ 28.Nxe1 Qxc3 29.Nf3 a5 30.Qe4 Qc5 31.g4 Kf8 32.h5 Bc6 33.Qf4 Qd5 0-1 (33) Kostik_Mostik (2873)-toomanymanoevres (2898) Blitz 2023]

13...Re8

[13...Qd6 14.Ne5 *(14.Na3 Re8 15.Nc4 Qf6 16.Nce5 Bb7 17.b4 a5 18.bxa5 Nf4 19.Rc5 Rad8 20.Rb1 Ba8 21.Kf1 Ne6 22.Ng4 Qg6 23.Nge5 Qxb1+* 0-1 (23) Ballsy_Binge (2625)-MI-DTB (2572) Blitz 2023*)* 14...Ne7 *(14...c5 15.Rxc5 Bb7 16.Nc3 Rad8 17.Ne4 Qb6 18.Rac1 Nb4 19.a3 Na2 20.Nc4 Qg6 21.Ng3 Nxc1 22.Qxc1 Rxd4 23.Rxc7 Rfd8 24.Ne3 Qb6 25.h4 h6 26.Ngf5 Rd2 27.Ne7+ Kh8 28.N7f5 Qxb2 29.Qxb2 Rxb2 30.Rxf7 Rg8 31.Ne7 Re8 32.N3f5 Rg8 33.Ng6+ Kh7 34.Nf8+ Rxf8 35.Rxf8 Kg6 36.Ne7+ Kh7 37.Rf7 Rb5 38.Nf5 Kg6 39.Nd6 Rb1+ 40.Kh2 Bd5 41.Rd7 Be6 42.Ne8 Bxd7* 0-1 (42) Carlsen_brat (2613)-TalkingShit (2640) Blitz 2025*)* 15.Na3 *(15.Nc3 Bf5 16.Na4 f6 17.Nc4 Qe6 18.Nc5 Qf7 19.Qa5 Nd5 20.b3 Nf4 21.Qd2 g5 22.Ne3 Bg6 23.g3 Nd5 24.Ng4 Kg7 25.Re1 Rfe8 26.a4 h5 27.Ne3 h4 28.a5 h3 29.f3 Re7 30.Ng4 Rae8 31.Rxe7 Qxe7 32.Kf2 Nb4 33.Re1 Qxe1+ 34.Qxe1 Rxe1 35.Kxe1 Nc2+ 36.Kd2 Nxd4 37.Kc3 Nxf3 38.Nxa6 f5 39.Nf2 g4 40.Nxc7 Nxh2 41.a6 f4 42.Ne6+ Kf6 43.Nxf4 Nf1 44.a7 Nxg3 45.a8Q Ne4+ 46.Nxe4+ Bxe4 47.Qf8+ Kg5 48.Ne2 Kh4 49.Qf4* 1-0 (49) Ballsy_Binge (2649)-Samira_Chess2010 (2673) Blitz 2024 *)* 15...f6 16.Nec4 Qd8 17.Na5 Be6 18.Nxc6 Nxc6 19.Rxc6 Bd5 20.Rc5 c6 21.Nc2 Qd6 22.Ne3 Be6 23.Rac1 Rac8 24.Qc3 Rfd8 25.d5 cxd5 26.Qd4 Rxc5 27.Rxc5 Qe5 28.Rc4 Rb8 29.f4 Qxd4 30.Rxd4 Rxb2 31.f5 Bf7 32.a4 Ra2 33.h3 h5 34.g4 h4 35.Ng2 Ra1+ 36.Kf2 Ra2+ 37.Kg1 a5 38.Nxh4 Be8 39.Rxd5 Bxa4 40.Rxa5 Bb3 41.Rxa2 Bxa2 42.Kf2 Bd5 43.Ke3 Kf7 44.Ng6 Bg2 45.Nf4 Bc6 46.Kd4 Ba4 47.Kc5 Bc2 48.Kd6 Be4 49.Kc5 Bc2 50.Kd4 Ba4 51.Ke3 Bc6 52.Ne2 Bg2 53.Ng1 Bc6 54.Kf4 g6 55.fxg6+ Kxg6 56.h4 Bd7 57.Ne2 Kg7 58.Ng3 Bc8 59.Ne4 Bd7 60.Nd6 Be6 61.Nf5+ Kg6 62.Ng3 Bd7 63.Nf1 Bc8 64.Ne3 Bd7 65.Nc4 Be6 66.Nd6 Bd7 67.h5+ Kh6 68.Nf5+ Kh7 69.Ke4 Ba4 70.Ne3 Bc6+ 71.Kf4 Kg7 72.Nf5+ Kf7 73.Ng3 Bd7 74.Ne4 Kg7 75.Nc5 Bc8 76.Na4 Bd7 77.Nb6 Be6 78.Na4 Kf7 79.Nc5 Bc8 80.Ne4 Kg7 81.Kg3 Kh6 82.Nxf6 Kg5 83.Nh7+ Kh6 84.Nf8 Kg5 85.Nh7+ Kh6 86.Nf6 Kg5 87.Ne4+ Kh6 88.Kh4 Kg7 89.g5 Bf5 90.Nf6 1-0 (90) The_main_event003 (2762)-Gabrielian (2693) Blitz 2024]

[13...Ne7 14.Rc5 Re8 15.Nc3 f6 16.Re1 Bg4 17.Nh4 Qd7 18.h3 Be6 19.Re3 Nd5 20.Rg3 Kh8 21.Nf3 Nxc3 22.Qxc3 Bd5 23.Qd3 Re4 24.Rc1 Rae8 25.Nd2 Re2 26.Nc4 Bxc4 27.Qxc4 h6 28.b4 Qd6 29.Rf1

Rb2 30.a3 Ree2 31.Qxa6 Qxd4 32.Qc8+ Kh7 33.Qf5+ Kg8 34.Rd3 Qe5 35.Rd8+ Kf7 36.Rd7+ Ke8 37.Qxe5+ fxe5 38.Rxg7 e4 39.Rxc7 e3 40.Rxc6 exf2+ 41.Kh2 Re1 42.Rc1 Re3 43.a4 Rxb4 44.Rxf2 Rxa4 45.Rc8+ Ke7 46.Rc7+ Kd6 47.Rh7 Re6 48.Rb2 Kc6 49.Rbb7 Kd5 50.Rb5+ Ke4 51.Rh5 Raa6 52.Rb7 Rg6 53.Rb4+ Ke3 54.Re5+ Kd3 55.Rf5 Ra2 56.Rf3+ Ke2 57.Rb5 Rd2 58.Rb1 h5 59.Kg1 Rgd6 60.Rb5 Rd1+ 61.Kh2 R1d5 62.Rb2+ Rd2 63.Rxd2+ Kxd2 64.Kg3 Rg6+ 65.Kf2 Rg5 66.Rf4 Kd3 67.g4 Re5 68.Kg3 Ke3 69.Rf5 Ke4 70.Rxe5+ Kxe5 71.Kh4 hxg4 72.hxg4 Kf6 73.Kh5 Kf7 74.Kh6 1-0 (74) Saric,I (2644)-Praggnanandhaa,R (2618) Riga LAT 2021]

14.Nc3

[14.Na3 Re6 15.Nc4 Rb8 16.Nce5 Ne7 17.Rc5 f6 18.Nc4 Rb5 19.Ne3 Rd6 20.Qc2 Be6 21.a3 Bb3 22.Qe2 Rxc5 23.dxc5 Rd3 24.a4 Ng6 25.Ne1 Rd2 26.Qxa6 Ne5 27.Qb7 Be6 28.Qb4 Bc8 29.Qb3+ Kf8 30.Qc3 Ba6 31.b4 Re2 32.Rd1 Qe8 33.N1c2 Qh5 34.Qd4 Qg5 35.Qe4 Kf7 36.b5 cxb5 37.Nd4 bxa4 38.Qd5+ Kg6 39.Qe4+ Kf7 40.f4 Qh4 41.Nxe2 Bxe2 42.Nf5 Qg4 43.h3 Nf3+ 44.Kf2 1-0 (44) Sethuraman,S (2613)-Kadric,D (2572) Sitges ESP 2021]

14...Nxc3 15.Rxc3 Be6 16.Ne5

[16.Rxc6 Bd5 17.Rc3 Qd6 18.Rac1 Rad8 19.Rxc7 Bxf3 20.gxf3 Qg6+ 21.Kh1 Qf6 22.Kg2 Rxd4 23.Rc8 Red8 24.Qe3 h6 25.R1c6 R4d6 26.Rxd8+ Qxd8 27.Rxd6 Qxd6 28.Qe8+ Kh7 29.Qxf7 Qe5 30.Qb3 Qg5+ 31.Kf1 Qc1+ 32.Ke2 Qf4 33.Qd3+ Kg8 34.Qxa6 Qxh2 35.Qe6+ Kh7 36.Qe4+ Kg8 37.b4 h5 38.b5 h4 39.b6 h3 40.b7 Qb8 41.Qe6+ Kh7 42.Qc8 Kg6 43.Qxb8 1-0 (43) indomie_egg (2632)-TheDayThatNeverCome (2643) Blitz 2024]

16...Bd5 17.Nxc6 Qh4 18.Ne5 Rad8 19.Re1 Bxa2 20.b3 Rxd4 21.Nf3 Rde4 22.Rce3 Rxe3 23.Rxe3 Qd8 24.Rxe8+ 1-0 (24) vistagausta (2957)-Svallap (2789) Blitz 2023

[102] **11.0-0** Kuzmin, Alexey: 'also allows White to get a more comfortable game:' 11...0-0 Praggnanandhaa, Rameshbabu: '∓'

[11...Be6 12.Nc3 *(12.Bb3 Qd6 13.Bxe6 Qxe6 14.Re1 Qd7 15.d5 Na7 16.Qg5 Rg8 17.Nc3 Nb5 18.Ne4 0-0-0 19.Nc5 Qxd5 20.Qxe7 Nd6 21.Qe5 Qc4 22.Qc3 Qd5 23.Red1 Qc6 24.Rac1 Nb5 25.Qe1 Rge8 26.Qf1 Qg6 27.a4 Nd6 28.b4 Nf5 29.a5 h5 30.b5 axb5 31.Qxb5 Qc6 32.Qxc6 bxc6 33.a6 Kb8 34.Nd7+ Ka7 35.Rxc6 Rc8 36.Rb1 Ne7 37.Rb7+ Ka8 38.Rcxc7 Rxc7 39.Nb6#* 1-0 (39) The_main_event003 (2765)-alfredogto (2652) Blitz 2024 *)*

A) 12...Qa5 Kuzmin, Alexey: '!?' 13.Ne5 *(13.Bxc6+ Nxc6 14.d5 0-0-0 15.Rfd1 Ne7 16.Qg5 Nxd5 17.b4 f6 18.Qxg7 Qxb4 19.Nxd5 Bxd5 20.Rxd5 Rdg8 21.Qxf6 Qe4 22.Rad1* 1-0 (22) Fastchess2345 (2750)-Calzonesdesuperman (2596) Blitz 2024*)* 13...0-0-0 *(13...0-0 14.Bxc6 Nxc6 15.Nxc6 bxc6 16.Ne4 Qxd2 17.Nxd2 Rfd8 18.Nf3 Bd5 19.Rfd1 a5 20.a3 Rab8 21.Rd2 Bxf3 22.gxf3 Kf8*

23.Rc1 Rb6 24.Rc5 Rd5 25.Rdc2 Rxd4 26.Rxc6 Rxc6 27.Rxc6 Rd2 28.Rxc7 Rxb2 29.Rc5 Rb3 30.Rxa5 Rxf3 31.Ra7 g5 32.a4 h5 33.a5 g4 34.Rc7 Ra3 35.Rc5 h4 36.Rg5 h3 37.Kf1 Ra4 38.Ke2 f6 39.Rc5 Kf7 40.Ke3 Kg6 41.Rb5 f5 42.Rb6+ Kg5 43.a6 Ra3+ 44.Ke2 Kf4 45.Rb4+ Kg5 46.Rb6 Ra2+ 47.Ke1 Kf4 48.Rf6 Ke4 49.Kf1 f4 50.Rb6 g3 51.fxg3 fxg3 52.Rb4+ Kd5 53.hxg3 Ra1+ 54.Kf2 h2 55.Rb5+ Kc6 56.Rh5 h1Q 57.Rxh1 Rxh1 58.Kf3 Ra1 59.Kf4 Kd6 60.g4 Ke6 61.g5 0-1 (61) General_Zod_01 (2644)-ma_long_ma (2665) Blitz 2023*)* 14.Bxc6 Nxc6 15.Nxc6 bxc6 16.Rac1 *(16.Rab1 Rd7 17.b4 Qb6 18.Rfd1 Rhd8 19.Na4 Qxd4 20.Qe2 Qxd1+* 0-1 (20) Fastchess2345 (2700)-alfredogto (2652) Blitz 2024*)* 16...Rd7 17.Qe3 Qb4 18.Rfd1 Rhd8 19.Ne2 Bd5 20.b3 Re7 21.Qd3 Kb7 22.Nf4 Rde8 23.h4 Re1+ 24.Kh2 Rxd1 25.Rxd1 Qd6 26.Qg3 g6 27.f3 f5 28.Rd2 Re7 29.Nd3 Qf6 30.Nc5+ Ka7 31.Qf2 f4 32.Kg1 Re3 33.Qf1 1-0 (33) Hanskai (2782)-alfredogto (2670) Blitz 2024;

B) 12...Qd6 13.Ne4 Qd5 14.Neg5 0-0-0 15.Bb3 Qf5 16.Nxe6 fxe6 17.Rfe1 Nd5 18.Ne5 Rd6 19.Nxc6 Rxc6 20.Re5 Qf6 21.Rae1 Kb8 22.Qg5 Rd8 23.Qxf6 Nxf6 24.Rd1 Rcd6 25.Rxe6 Rxd4 26.Rxd4 Rxd4 27.Kf1 Rd7 28.h3 c6 29.g4 Kc7 30.g5 Nd5 31.h4 Rd6 32.Re5 Rd7 33.Kg2 Kd6 34.Re8 Re7 35.Rh8 g6 36.Kg3 b5 37.Bc2 Nb4 38.Bb3 c5 39.Bg8 Re8 40.f4 Nd5 41.h5 Ne7 42.Rxh7 Rxg8 43.h6 Ke6 44.Kg4 c4 45.Kf3 b4 46.Ke4 Rd8 47.Rg7 c3 48.bxc3 bxc3 49.h7 c2 50.Rg8 Rxg8 51.h8Q Rxh8 0-1 (53) SlimFritz (2772)-zvonokchess (2840) Blitz 2022;

C) 12...Qh5

C1) 13.Ne5 0-0 14.Bxc6 *(14.Nxc6 bxc6 15.Qf4 Qa5 16.Rac1 Rfd8 17.b3 Qb6 18.Rfd1 h6 19.Ne4 Bd5 20.Nc5 Rd6 21.Re1 Ng6 22.Qg3 Nf8 23.f3 Ne6 24.Nxe6 Bxe6 25.Qf2 Rad8 26.h3 Rxd4 27.Rxc6 Qb4 28.Rxc7 Rd2 29.Qg3 Rxa2 30.Kh2 Rdd2 31.Rg1 h5 32.Qe5 Re2 33.Qg5 Qd6+ 34.Qg3 Qd4 35.Re7 h4 36.Qb8+ Kh7 37.Bc6 Qd2 38.f4 Qc3 39.f5 Bxf5 40.Rxf7 Qxh3#* 0-1 (40) Bjerre,J (2624)-Nihal,S (2681) Dubai UAE 2023*)* 14...Nxc6 15.Nxc6 bxc6 Kuzmin, Alexey: ' ± ' Kuzmin, Alexey: 'Bologan,V - Tkachiev,V France 2010' 16.Rfe1 Rfd8 17.Rad1 Qa5 18.Re5 Qb4 19.Rc5 Qxc5 20.dxc5 Rxd2 21.Rxd2 Rb8 22.f3 Kf8 23.Kf2 Ke7 24.Ke3 a5 25.b3 g5 26.Rd4 Rb4 27.Rxb4 axb4 28.Ne4 f6 29.Nf2 Bf5 30.Nd3 1-0 (30) OUT-knock123 (2734)-Bugzilla (2689) Blitz 2022;

C2) 13.d5 Nxd5 14.Nxd5 Qxd5 15.Qf4 Qd6 16.Qe4 0-0-0 17.Bxc6 Qxc6 18.Qxc6 bxc6 19.Ne5 Kb7 20.Rfc1 Rd6 21.b4 Rhd8 22.a3 f6 23.Nf3 Rd3 24.h3 Bd5 25.Ne1 Rd2 26.Nc2 Re8 27.Ne3 Rxe3 28.fxe3 Rxg2+ 29.Kf1 Rh2 30.Re1 h5

31.Kg1 Rxh3 32.e4 Be6 33.Kg2 h4 34.e5 Rg3+ 35.Kf2 f5 36.Rg1 f4 37.Rxg3 hxg3+ 38.Kf3 g5 39.Re1 Kc8 40.a4 Kd7 41.Rc1 Bd5+ 42.Kg4 g2 43.Re1 f3 44.Kg3 Ke6 45.Kf2 g4 46.Kg3 Kf5 47.e6 Bxe6 48.Rc1 Bd5 49.Re1 Kf6 50.Rc1 Kf5 51.Re1 Bc4 52.Rc1 Bf1 53.Kf2 g3+ 54.Kxf3 g1Q 55.Re1 Qf2# 0-1 (55) Hanskai (2806)-Penguin12356 (2624) Blitz 2023]

[11...Bd7 12.Nc3 Qh5 13.d5 Ne5 14.Bxd7+ Kxd7 15.Nxe5+ Qxe5 16.Rfe1 Qh5 17.d6 cxd6 18.Rad1 Nf5 19.Qd5 Kc7 20.Re7+ Nxe7 21.Qxh5 g6 22.Qg5 Nc6 23.Nd5+ 1-0 (23) NowIAmSerious (2790)-spectraline (2596) Blitz 2023]

[11...Bg4 12.Nc3

A) 12...Qa5 13.Bxc6+ *(13.Ne5 Bd7 14.Nxd7 Kxd7 15.d5 Rad8 16.dxc6+ Kc8 17.cxb7+ Kxb7 18.Qe3 Ng6 19.Qf3+ Kb8 20.b4 Qg5 21.b5 a5 22.b6 cxb6 23.Rab1 Rd6 24.Qg3 Qf6 25.Ne4* 1-0 (25) carrider1234 (2619)-alfredogto (2628) Blitz 2024*)* 13...bxc6 14.Ne5 Be6 15.Qg5 Ng6 16.Nxf7 Qxg5 17.Nxg5 Bf5 18.Rfe1+ Kd7 19.Na4 Rab8 20.Nc5+ Kd6 21.Nf7+ Kd5 22.Nxh8 Rxh8 23.Nxa6 Nf4 24.Nxc7+ Kd6 25.Na6 Be6 26.Nc5 Bd5 27.f3 Rb8 28.b3 g5 29.Ne4+ Kc7 30.Nf6 h5 31.Nxd5+ Nxd5 32.Re5 g4 33.Rc1 Kd6 34.Rxh5 gxf3 35.Rh6+ Kd7 36.gxf3 Nf4 37.Rcxc6 Rg8+ 38.Kf1 Ra8 39.a4 Rb8 40.Rb6 Rc8 41.Rb7+ 1-0 (41) Poirot_Hercule (2759)-Calzonesdesuperman (2673) Blitz 2024;

B) 12...Qh5 13.Ne5 0-0 14.Bxc6 Nxc6 15.Nxc6 bxc6 16.Qf4 Rad8 17.Rfe1 Qg6 18.Re5 Be6 19.Rae1 h6 20.b3 Rd6 21.h4 Rfd8 22.R1e4 Bd5 23.h5 Qf6 24.Re8+ Rxe8 25.Rxe8+ Kh7 26.Qxf6 Rxf6 27.Re7 Rf4 28.Rxc7 Rxd4 29.Nxd5 cxd5 30.Rxf7 Rd2 31.a4 Rb2 32.Rd7 Rxb3 33.Rxd5 Rb6 34.a5 Rc6 35.g4 Rc4 36.f3 Ra4 37.Kg2 Kg8 38.Kg3 Kf8 39.Rc5 Kg8 40.Kf2 Ra3 41.Kg3 Ra4 42.Rf5 Rb4 43.Kf2 Rb3 44.Ke2 Ra3 45.Kd2 Rb3 46.Kc2 Ra3 47.Kb2 Re3 48.Ka2 Rd3 49.Kb2 Re3 50.Kc2 Ra3 51.Kd2 Rb3 52.Ke2 Ra3 53.Kf2 Rb3 54.Kg3 Rb4 55.g5 hxg5 56.Rxg5 Ra4 57.h6 Kh7 58.hxg7 Kg8 59.f4 Ra3+ 60.Kg4 Ra4 61.Rg6 Rxa5 62.f5 Ra1 63.Kg5 a5 64.f6 Rg1+ 65.Kf5 Rf1+ 66.Ke6 a4 67.Rh6 Re1+ 68.Kf5 Rf1+ 69.Ke4 Re1+ 70.Kd3 Kf7 71.Rh8 Rg1 72.Rf8+ Ke6 73.f7 Rxg7 74.Ra8 Kxf7 75.Ra7+ Kg6 76.Rxa4 Kh7 77.Rh4+ Kg8 78.Rf4 Rh7 79.Re4 Kh8 80.Re8+ 1-0 (80) SlimFritz (2761)-zvonokchess (2852) Blitz 2022]

12.Nc3 Praggnanandhaa,Rameshbabu: '!' 12...Qh5

[12...Qd6

A) 13.d5

A1) 13...b5 14.dxc6 *(14.Bc2 b4 15.dxc6 Qxd2 16.Nxd2 bxc3 17.bxc3 Rb8 18.Rfe1 Nxc6=)* 14...Qxd2 15.Nxd2 bxa4 16.Nxa4⩲;

A2) 13...Nb4 14.Bb3 Bf5 15.Rad1 Rad8 16.Rfe1 Nd3

17.Re3 Nc5 18.Bc2 Bxc2 19.Qxc2 Ng6 20.Ree1 Rfe8 21.b4 Nd7 22.a3 Nf6 23.g3 Ne5 24.Nxe5 Rxe5 25.Rxe5 Qxe5 26.Qd2 h6 27.Qe3 Qxe3 28.fxe3 Re8 29.Rd3 g5 30.Kg2 Kg7 31.Kf3 Nd7 32.Rd4 Ne5+ 33.Ke2 f5 34.h3 Nf7 35.a4 Nd6 36.Kf3 b5 37.Rd3 Nc4 38.Kf2 Nd6 39.Kf3 Kf6 40.Rd1 Nc4 41.e4 bxa4 42.Ra1 a3 43.g4 Nd2+ 44.Ke3 Nxe4 45.Nxe4+ Rxe4+ 46.Kd3 Rxb4 47.Rxa3 Rb6 48.Kd4 fxg4 49.hxg4 Rb4+ 50.Kc5 Rxg4 51.Rxa6+ Kg7 52.Ra7 Rg1 53.d6 Rc1+ 54.Kb5 Rb1+ 55.Kc5 Kg6 56.dxc7 Rc1+ 57.Kd5 Kf5 58.Kd6 Kg4 59.Ra4+ Kh3 60.Ra6 Rxc7 61.Kxc7 g4 62.Rxh6+ Kg2 63.Kd6 g3 64.Ke5 Kf3 65.Rf6+ Ke3 66.Rg6 Kf3 67.Rf6+ Ke3 68.Rg6 Kf3 69.Rxg3+ Kxg3 ½-½ (69) FinisEffectum (2804)-Goodgoodchess (2808) Blitz 2024;

B) 13.Ne4 Qb4 14.Qxb4 Nxb4 15.a3 Nbd5 16.Rac1 Rd8 17.Rfe1 c6 18.h3 Kf8 19.Nc5 a5 20.Kh2 Ra7 21.Bc2 Bf5 22.Ne5 Bxc2 23.Rxc2 Nf6 24.Rce2 b6 25.Na4 b5 26.Nc3 Rb7 27.Ne4 Nxe4 28.Rxe4 f5 29.Rh4 h6 30.Nd3 Kf7 31.Nc5 Ra7 32.Rd1 Nd5 33.g4 fxg4 34.Rxg4 Rd6 35.Nd3 Nf6 36.Rf4 Re7 37.Rc1 Re2 38.Ne5+ Kg8 39.Nxc6 a4 40.Ne5 Rd8 41.Nc6 Rde8 42.Rc5 Rxb2 43.Re5 Kf7 44.d5 Rxe5 45.Nxe5+ Ke7 46.Rd4 Kd6 47.Nf7+ Kc5 48.Rd1 Nxd5 49.Rc1+ Kb6 50.Ne5 Rxf2+ 51.Kg3 Ra2 52.Rc6+ Kb7 53.Rd6 Rxa3+ 54.Kg4 Nc7 55.Nd3 Rc3 0-1 (55) Giri,A (2768)-Praggnanandhaa,R (2691) chess.com INT 2023;

C) 13.Rfe1 Bg4 14.Ne4 Qd8 15.Neg5 h6 16.h3 Bh5 17.g4 Bg6 18.Ne4 Bxe4 19.Rxe4 f5 20.Re3 Nd5 21.Bb3 Kh8 22.Re6 Kh7 23.Bc2 Nce7 24.Rae1 Qd7 25.R1e5 Rae8 26.gxf5 Kh8 27.Bb3 c6 28.Rxh6+ gxh6 29.Qxh6+ Kg8 30.Ng5 Nxf5 31.Qg6+ Qg7 32.Qxe8 Rxe8 33.Rxe8+ Qf8 34.Rxf8+ Kxf8 35.Bxd5 cxd5 36.Nf3 Ke7 37.Kf1 Kf6 38.Ke2 Nd6 39.b3 Ne4 40.Ke3 b5 41.a3 a5 42.Nd2 Nc3 43.Kd3 b4 44.axb4 axb4 45.Nf1 Kf5 46.Ne3+ Kg5 47.Nc2 Na2 48.Kd2 Kf4 49.Ne3 Ke4 50.h4 Kxd4 51.h5 Nc3 52.f3 Ke5 53.h6 Kf6 54.Nc2 Na2 55.Ne3 d4 56.Nd5+ Kg6 57.Kd3 Nc1+ 58.Kc4 d3 59.Kxb4 d2 60.Ne3 Kxh6 61.Kc3 Kg5 62.b4 Kf4 63.Nd1 Kxf3 64.b5 Na2+ 65.Kc4 Ke2 66.Nb2 Nc1 67.b6 Nd3 68.Na4 d1Q 69.Nc3+ Kd2 70.Nxd1 Ne5+ 71.Kd5 Nd7 72.b7 Nb8 73.Nb2 Kc2 74.Nc4 Kb3 75.Na5+ Ka4 76.Nc6 Na6 77.Kd6 Kb5 78.Nd8 Kb6 79.Kd7 Nc5+ 80.Kc8 Nxb7 ½-½ (80) Sjugirov,S (2635)-Dubnevych,M (2296) chess.com INT 2025;

D) 13.h3 Bf5 14.Rfe1 Rad8 15.Rad1 Nd5 16.Bb3 Nce7 17.Qg5 h6 18.Qh5 Bg6 19.Qh4 Nf5 20.Qg4 Nf6 21.Qxg6 1-0 (21) SlimFritz (2828)-loaf_of_bread (2783) Blitz 2022]

[12...Qd8 13.d5 Na7 14.Rfe1 Bf5

15.Qg5 Nac8 16.Rad1 h6 17.Qh4 Bg6 18.g4 b5 19.Bb3 Re8 20.d6 Nxd6 21.Ne5 Qc8 22.Qg3 b4 23.Nd5 Nxd5 24.Bxd5 Bc2 25.Rc1 Bh7 26.Qf3 Be4 27.Rxe4 Nxe4 28.Qxe4 c6 29.Bxf7+ Kh8 30.Ng6+ 1-0 (30) Deac,B (2707)-Matinian,N (2425) chess.com INT 2022]

[12...Qa5 13.d5 Rd8 14.Bb3 Ng6 15.Rfe1 Nce7 16.Ng5 Rd6 17.Rxe7 Nxe7 18.Qe3 Bf5 19.Qxe7 Rd7 20.Qe5 Bg6 21.Re1 Qb4 22.Ne6 fxe6 23.dxe6 Rd2 24.e7+ Kh8 25.e8Q+ Bxe8 26.Qxe8+ Qf8 27.Qe3 Rxb2 28.Na4 Rxb3 29.axb3 h6 30.Nc5 b6 31.Nd7 Qf5 32.Ne5 Rd8 33.g4 Qf6 34.h4 Qe6 35.h5 Kg8 36.f3 Qd6 37.Kg2 b5 38.Ng6 c5 39.Qe4 a5 40.Re2 Qd3 41.Qe6+ Kh7 42.Nf4 Qd1 43.Qg6+ Kh8 44.Re8+ Rxe8 45.Qxe8+ Kh7 1-0 (45) Brkic,A (2622)-Marjanovic,D (2372) Sarajevo BIH 2023]

13.Rfe1

[13.d5 Ne5 *(13...Rd8 14.Qf4 Nxd5 15.Nxd5 Rxd5 16.Qxc7 Rd7 17.Rfe1 f6 18.Qf4 Rd8 19.h3 b5 20.Bb3+ Kh8 21.Qc7 Bd7 22.Rad1 Rac8 23.Qb6 Be8 24.Rxd8 Rxd8 25.g4 Qxh3 26.Rxe8+ Rxe8 27.Qxc6 Qxg4+ 28.Kf1 Qe6 29.Bxe6* 1-0 (29) Nizi3 (2665)-siroglantalibov (2740) Blitz 2023*)* 14.Nxe5 Qxe5 15.Rfe1 Qd6 *(15...Qf6 16.Ne4 Qg6 17.Rac1 Rd8 18.Rxc7 Nxd5 19.Rc5 Be6 20.Qg5 Nb4 21.Qxg6 hxg6 22.Rc7 b5 23.Bb3 Nd3 24.Bxe6 Nxe1 25.Bxf7+ Kh8 26.h4 Nd3 27.Bxg6 Rac8 28.Ra7 Ra8 29.Re7 Nf4 30.Bf7 Rd1+ 31.Kh2 Re1 32.g3 Nd3 33.Kg2 Nc5 34.Bd5 Rd8 35.b4 Rxd5 36.bxc5 Rd8 37.c6 Rc8 38.c7 Rc1 39.Nd6 R8xc7 40.Re8+ Kh7 41.h5 R1c5 42.g4 g6 43.hxg6+ Kxg6 44.Kg3 Rd7 45.Ne4 Rcd5 46.f4 Rd3+ 47.Kg2 Rc7 48.f5+ Kf7 49.Re6 Rc2+ 50.Nf2 Rdd2 51.g5 Rxf2+ 52.Kg3 Rg2+ 53.Kf4 Rcf2+ 54.Ke5 Rxg5* 0-1 (54) JanistanTV (2690)-Dekelija (2754) Blitz 2024*)*

16.Rad1

A) 16...Bf5 17.Bb3 Rae8 18.Qg5 Qg6 19.Qf4 Qd6 20.Qg5 Qg6 21.Qf4 Qd6 22.Qg5 ½-½ (22) Fastchess2345 (2680)-BENED7707 (2670) Blitz 2024;

B) 16...b5 0.52 14:32 17.Bb3 0.04 5:33 Bf5 0.38 3:52 18.Qg5 0.12 5:49 Rfe8 0.17 1:30 19.Re3 0.00 51 h6 0.17 16:24 20.Qh5 0.07 1:22 Bg6 0.25 14:37 21.Qe2 0.13 3:40 Qd7 0.11 1:18 22.g4 0.02 3:31 Kh8 0.46 4:46 23.f4 0.14 5:32 f5 0.25 2:09 24.g5 0.41 8:01 Nc8?! 1.29 2:49 Inaccuracy. Bf7 was best. *(24...Bf7 25.Qd3 Ng8 26.Rde1 b4 27.Na4 Rxe3 28.Rxe3 Re8 29.Nc5 Qd6)* 25.Rxe8+ 1.02 6:49 Qxe8 1.15 33 26.gxh6 1.32 2:40 gxh6?! 2.03 2:44 Inaccuracy. Nd6 was best. *(26...Nd6)* 27.Qe5+ 1.86 31 Qxe5 1.08 14 28.fxe5 1.73 5 Kg7?! 3.01 5:04 Inaccuracy. Bh5 was best. *(28...Bh5)* 29.Rc1 2.99 5:26 Ne7 3.07 5:07 30.Ne2 3.54 13 Rc8 3.06 13 31.Nf4 3.63 7:59 Bf7 3.54 18 32.Kf2 3.39 28 Kf8 3.52 21 33.Ke3 3.98 1:07 a5 3.97 52 34.Rc5 3.91 2:47 a4 3.83 11 35.Bd1 3.91 4 Rd8 4.17 45 36.Bf3 4.17 40 b4 4.96 4 37.e6 4.72 27 Be8 5.44 4 38.Rxc7 5.48 13 a3 5.82 5 39.bxa3 5.74 27 bxa3 5.07 32 40.Ra7 5.01 1:12 1-0 (40) Idani,P (2602)-Mamedov,E (2317) Menorca Open 2024 2024;

C) 16...Bg4 17.f3 Bf5 18.Qg5 f6 19.Qe3 Ng6 20.g4 Bc8 21.Ne4 Qe5 22.d6 cxd6 23.Nxd6 Be6 24.Qb6 Qf4 25.Rxe6 Qxa4 26.Qb3 Qxb3 27.axb3 Rad8 28.Ree1 Rd7 29.Nf5 Rfd8 30.Re8+ Rxe8 31.Rxd7 Re2 32.Rxg7+ Kf8 33.Rxh7 Ne5 34.Kf1 Rxb2 35.Nd4 Rd2 36.Ne6+ Kg8 37.Rg7+ Kh8 38.Rxb7 Nxf3 39.h3 Nh2+ 40.Ke1 Nf3+ 41.Kf1 Nh2+ 42.Ke1 Nf3+ 43.Kf1 Normal ½-½ (43) Elbece (2748)-Hard-Training (2619) Blitz 2024]

13...Be6

[13...Ng6 14.d5 Nce5 15.Nxe5 Nxe5 16.Bd1 Qf5 17.Bc2 Qh5 18.Qf4 f6 19.Re3 Bd7 20.Rae1 Rae8 21.h3 Re7 22.Qb4 Rfe8 23.Bd1 Qg6 24.Qxb7 Bxh3 25.Rxh3 Nf3+ 26.Bxf3 Rxe1+ 27.Kh2 Qg5 28.Qxc7 Qc1 29.g3 Qxb2 30.Qc5 R1e3 31.Kg2 Rxc3 32.Qd4 Rc2 33.Qa7 a5 34.Rh4 Qxa2 35.d6 Qf7 36.Qxa5 Rd8 37.Bd5 1-0 (37) DiabloDiabloDiablo (2619)-spectraline (2516) Blitz 2025]

14.Qf4

[14.Ne5 Rad8 15.Bxc6 Nxc6 16.Nxc6 bxc6 17.Qf4 Qa5 18.Rad1 Qb4 19.Qd2 Rd7 20.Re4 Rfd8 21.b3 h6 22.Na4 Qxd2 23.Rxd2 Rd5 24.Nc3 R5d6 25.Re5 Rxd4 26.Rxd4 Rxd4 27.Kf1 Bd5 28.Re8+ Kh7 29.Ra8 Rd3 30.Nxd5 cxd5 31.Ke2 Rc3 32.Rxa6 Rc2+ 33.Ke1 c5 34.Rc6 d4 35.a4 d3 36.a5 f6 37.a6 Ra2 38.Rxc5 Rxa6 39.Rc1 Re6+ 40.Kd2 Re2+ 41.Kxd3 Rxf2 42.Rb1 Rxg2 43.b4 Rg5 44.b5 Rd5+ 45.Kc4 Rd8 46.b6 Kg6 47.Rg1+ Kf7 48.Kc5 Rd2 49.Rb1 Rd8 50.b7 Rb8 51.Kd6 f5 52.Kc7 Re8 53.b8Q Rxb8 54.Rxb8 Ke6 55.Kc6 f4 56.Kc5 Kf5 57.Kd4 h5 58.Kd3 g5 59.Ke2 Kg4 60.Kf2 Kh3 61.Rh8 h4 62.Rg8 g4 63.Rg7 f3 64.Rg8 Kxh2 65.Rxg4 h3 66.Rh4 1-0 (66) Sjugirov,S (2712)-Grischuk,A (2745) Krasnogorsk RUS 2023]

14...Nd5 15.Nxd5 Bxd5 16.Ne5 Rad8 17.Bxc6 Bxc6 18.Nxc6 bxc6 19.Qxc7 Rxd4 20.Qxc6 Rd2 21.Qc3 Qd5 22.Re3 g6 23.Rae1 Rd1 24.a3 Rxe1+ 25.Rxe1 a5 26.h3 Rd8 27.Re5 Qd1+ 28.Kh2 Qd6 29.f4 a4 30.Re4 Ra8 31.Qc2 Qa6 32.Rc4 Qf6 33.Rxa4 Rxa4 34.Qxa4 Qxb2 35.Qe8+ 1-0 (35) NowIAmSerious (2841)-Fightbro (2647) Blitz 2023

[103] **11...Qa5** 12.d5 b5 13.Bb3 Nd8 14.d6 cxd6 15.Qxd6 Be6 16.0-0 Nb7 17.Qg3 Nf5 18.Qf4 0-0 19.Ng5 Qb6 20.Nd5 Qd6 21.Nxe6 fxe6 22.Qxd6 Nbxd6 23.Nc7 Ra7 24.Nxe6 Rf6 25.Rfd1 g6 26.g4 Nc4 27.gxf5 gxf5 28.Nf4 Kf8 29.Bxc4 bxc4 30.h3 Rg7+ 31.Kh2 Rb6 32.Rd2 Rgb7 33.Rc1 Rb4 34.Nd5 Ra4 35.a3 Kf7 36.Nc3 Ra5 37.Rcc2 Re5 38.Rd4 Rc7 39.Rcd2 Kg6 40.Nd5 Rb7 41.Nf4+ Kf6 42.Nd5+ Kg6 43.Rxc4 Re1 44.Nf4+ Kf6 45.Ng2 Rb1 46.Rcd4 Kf7 47.Rd6 R7xb2 48.Rxb2 Rxb2 49.Kg3 Kg7 50.Rxa6 h6 51.Ra7+ Kg6 52.f3 Kf6 53.Ra6+ Ke5 54.Rxh6 f4+ 55.Nxf4 Ra2 56.Rh5+ Kd4 57.Rd5+ Ke3 58.Re5+ Kd4 59.Re2 Ra1 60.Re4+ Kc5 61.Kh4 Kb6 62.Re5 Rh1 63.Rg5 Kc7 64.Rg4 Kd6 65.Kg5 Ke7 66.h4 Kd6 67.h5 Ke5 68.h6 Rb1 69.Ng6+ Ke6 70.Kh5 Kf7 71.Kg5 Ke6 72.Rf4 Rb5+ 73.Kg4 Rf5 74.Re4+ 1-0 (74) Mops2_2004 (2728)-alfredogto (2687) Blitz 2024

11...Qc4 12.Bb3 Qb4 13.0-0 0-0 14.h3 Ng6 15.Rfe1 Bf5 16.Qg5 Bd3 17.Rad1 Bc4 18.Bxc4 Qxc4 19.d5 Nb4 20.Re4 Qc5 21.a3 Nc2 22.Qd2 f5 23.Re2 Nxa3 24.bxa3 Rae8 25.Rde1 Rxe2 26.Rxe2 Qxa3 27.Nd4 Qd6 28.Ne6 Re8 29.Qd4 Qd7 30.h4 Nf8 31.Qe5 Nxe6 32.dxe6 Qd6 33.Qxd6 cxd6 34.Nd5 Kf8 35.e7+ Kf7 36.Rb2 Rb8 37.Rb6 g6 38.Rxd6 Re8 39.Rd8 Rxe7 40.Nxe7 Kxe7 41.Rb8 Kd6 42.Rxb7 Kc6 43.Rxh7 Kb5 44.Rg7 a5 45.Rxg6 a4 46.Rg5 a3 47.Rxf5+ Kb4 48.Rf8 Kb3 49.Ra8 a2 50.Rxa2 Kxa2 51.h5 Kb3 52.h6 Kc4 53.h7 Kd4 54.h8Q+ Kd3 55.Qh6 Ke2 56.Qh5+ Kd2 57.Qh4 Kd1 58.Qh3 Ke1 59.Qf3 Kd2 60.g4 Ke1 61.g5 Kd2 62.g6 Ke1 63.g7 Kd2 64.g8Q Ke1 65.Qc4 Kd2 66.Qfe2# 1-0 (66) Olexiy_Bilych (2624)-spectraline (2590) Blitz 2023

11...Qh5 12.0-0-0 0-0 13.Rhe1 b5 14.Bc2 Ng6 15.d5 Nb4 16.Bb1 c6 17.d6 Be6 18.a3 Nd5 19.Ne4 Rfd8 20.h3 Qh6 21.Qxh6 gxh6 22.Ba2 Kg7 23.Nd4 Rac8 24.Nc5 Rxd6 25.Ncxe6+ fxe6 26.Nxe6+ Kh8 27.Nc5 a5 28.g3 a4 29.h4 Rf6 30.f4 h5 31.Kb1 Nge7 32.Nd7 Rg6 33.Ne5 Rg7 34.Nxc6 Rxc6 35.Bxd5 Nxd5 36.Re8+ Rg8 37.Rxg8+ Kxg8 38.Rxd5 Rb6 39.Rxh5 b4 40.axb4 Rxb4 41.Ka2 Kg7 42.Rg5+ Kf6 43.Ka3 Rb3+ 44.Kxa4 Rxb2 45.Rb5 Rg2 46.Rb3 Kf5 47.Kb4 h5 48.Kc5 Rd2 49.Rc3 Kg4 50.Kc4 Rd8 51.Rd3 Rf8 52.Kd4 Re8 53.Re3 Rd8+ 54.Ke4 Re8+ 55.Kd3 Rd8+ 56.Ke2 Rf8 57.Kf2 Ra8 58.Re2 Ra3 59.Re5 Rf3+ 60.Ke2 Kxg3 61.Rxh5 Rxf4 62.Rg5+ Kxh4 63.Rg8 Rg4 64.Rh8+ Kg3 65.Rh1 Re4+ 66.Kd3 Rg4 67.Rg1+ Kf4 68.Rc1 Kg5 69.Ke2 Rg3 70.Rc4 Rg4 71.Rc5+ Kh4 72.Kf3 Kh3 73.Rh5+ Rh4 74.Rg5 Rg4 75.Rxg4 Kh2 76.Rh4+ Kg1 77.Rh5 Kf1 78.Rh1# 1-0 (78) David_B0wie (2620)-Jugandito (2602) Blitz 2022

12.Kf1

[12.Qe3 Kuzmin, Alexey: '!' Praggnanandhaa,Rameshbabu: ' ∓' Praggnanandhaa,Rameshbabu: 'This is the problem of Qf3.'

A) 12...Qxe3+ 13.fxe3

A1) 13...0-0 14.0-0

A1a) 14...Bg4 15.h3 *(15.Rac1 Rad8 16.Ne4 Bc8 17.Bb3 Nd5 18.Rfe1 Rfe8 19.Neg5 h6 20.Nxf7 Kxf7 21.e4 Be6 22.exd5 Bxd5 23.Rxe8 Kxe8 24.Bxd5 Rxd5 25.Kf2 Kd7 26.Ke3 g5 27.Ke4 Rd6 28.d5 Nb4 29.Ne5+ Kc8 30.Nc4 Rd8 31.d6 Nc6 32.Rd1 cxd6 33.Rxd6 Re8+ 34.Kf5 Rh8 35.Kg6 Kc7 36.Rf6 Rg8+ 37.Kxh6 Rh8+ 38.Kxg5 Rxh2 39.Rf7+ Kb8 40.g4 Ka7 41.Nd6 Rxb2 42.a4 Rb4 43.Kh5 Ne5 44.Rg7 Rb1 45.Kg5 Nf3+ 46.Kf6 Nd4 47.g5 Rf1+ 48.Ke5 Nc6+ 49.Kd5 Rb1 0-1 (49) Ballsy_Binge (2678)-Calzonesdesuperman (2643) Blitz 2023)* 15...Bh5 *(15...Bxf3 16.Rxf3 f6 17.Ne4 Nb4 18.Nc5 b6 19.Ne6 Rfc8 20.Bd7 Rcb8 21.a3 Nbd5 22.e4 Kf7 23.exd5 Nxd5 24.Re1* 1-0 (24) Ballsy_Binge (2647)-solxe (2605) Blitz 2023 *)*

A1a1) 16.Bb3 Bg6 17.a3 Rad8 18.Rac1 *(18.Rad1*

Nf5 19.Rfe1 Rfe8 20.Kf2 Nd6 21.Nh4 Ne4+ 22.Kg1 Nxc3 23.bxc3 Be4 24.Rf1 Re7 25.Nf3 Na5 26.Ba2 Bd5 27.Bxd5 Rxd5 28.Rfe1 Rd8 29.e4 Nc4 30.a4 b6 31.e5 Rd5 32.Re2 Ra5 33.d5 g6 34.Kf2 Kg7 35.Rd4 b5 36.axb5 axb5 37.g4 Ra6 38.Kg3 h6 39.h4 Rd7 40.Kf4 Re7 41.g5 h5 42.Ree4 Ra8 43.d6 cxd6 44.exd6 Rd7 45.Re7 Rxd6 46.Ne5 Rxd4+ 47.cxd4 Nxe5 48.Kxe5 Rd8 0-1 (48) Ballsy_Binge (2653) - Calzonesdesuperman (2642) Blitz 2023) 18...Nf5 19.Rfe1 Ng3 20.Bd5 Ne7 21.Ba2 Ne4 22.Ne5 Nxc3 23.Rxc3 c6 24.b4 Nd5 25.Rcc1 Be4 26.Kf2 g6 27.Bb3 Kg7 28.Bc2 f5 29.g3 Nf6 30.Bb3 Nd5 31.Bxd5 Bxd5 32.a4 Ra8 33.Rc5 Rfe8 34.Re2 Be4 35.b5 axb5 36.axb5 Re6 37.Rb2 Ra7 38.g4 fxg4 39.hxg4 Bd5 40.Kg3 h6 41.Rbc2 Ra3 42.Kf2 Rf6+ 43.Ke2 h5 44.bxc6 bxc6 45.gxh5 gxh5 46.Rb2 Ra7 47.Rbc2 h4 48.Nxc6 Bf3+ 49.Kd3 Ra3+ 50.R5c3 Ra1 51.Ne5 h3 52.Rc7+ Kg8 53.Nxf3 Rxf3 54.Rb7 Ra8 55.Rh2 Re8 56.Rbb2 Rexe3+ 57.Kc4 Rg3 58.Kd5 Kf7 59.Kc5 Kg6 60.Rbf2 Rc3+ 61.Kd6 Rcd3 62.d5 Rg5 63.Rd2 Rgxd5+ 64.Ke6 Rxd2 65.Rxh3 Rd6+ 66.Ke5 R6d3 67.Rg3+ Rxg3 68.Ke4 Rf2 69.Ke5 Rf5+ 70.Ke4 Rg4+ 71.Ke3 Kg5 72.Ke2 Ra5 73.Ke3 Rb4 74.Kd3 Ra3+ 75.Kc2 Rh3 76.Kd2 Rg4 77.Kc2 Rg2+ 78.Kd1 Rh1# 0-1 (78) Ballsy_Binge (2662) - Calzonesdesuperman (2603) Blitz 2023;

A1a2) 16.g4 Bg6 17.e4 Rad8 18.Rad1 b5 19.Bc2 Rfe8 20.Bb1 h6 21.d5 Na5 22.b3 Nc8 23.Rfe1 Nb7 24.Nd4 Ne7 25.a4 b4 26.Na2 a5 27.Rc1 Rd7 28.Nc6 Nc8 29.Bd3 Ncd6 30.Ba6 Bxe4 31.Re3 Nd8 32.Rce1 Nxc6 33.dxc6 Rde7 34.Bd3 Kf8 35.Bxe4 Rxe4 36.Kf2 f6 37.Nc1 Kf7 38.Nd3 Rd4 39.Rxe8 Nxe8 40.Nc5 Rd5 41.Nb7 Nd6 42.Nd8+ Kg6 43.Ne6 Rd2+ 44.Re2 Rd1 45.Nxc7 Rc1 46.Nd5 Nc8 47.c7 h5 48.Rd2 hxg4 49.hxg4 Kg5 50.Kf3 Nd6 51.Nf4 Rc3+ 52.Rd3 Rxc7 53.Ne6+ Kh4 54.Nxc7 Nf7 55.Rd5 Ng5+ 56.Ke3 Nh3 57.Rxa5 Kxg4 58.Rb5 f5 59.Rxb4+ f4+ 60.Ke2 g5 61.Nd5 Kg3 62.Kf1 f3 63.Rc4 g4 64.Rc3 Ng5 65.Ne3 Ne4 66.Nxg4 Nf6 67.Nxf6 Kf4 68.Rc2 Kg3 69.Rf2 Kf4 70.a5 Ke3 71.a6 Kf4 72.a7 Kg3 73.a8Q Kf4 74.Qxf3+ Kg5 75.Re2 Kg6 76.Rg2+ Kf7 77.Nd5+ Ke6

78.Rg6+ Ke5 79.Rg5+ Kd4 80.Qf2+ Kd3 81.Rg4 ½-½ (81) Ballsy_Binge (2629) - Calzonesdesuperman (2611) Blitz 2023;

A1a3) 16.Rac1 Rad8 17.Ne4 b5 18.Bb3 Nb4 19.Rxc7 Ned5 20.Rc5 Bg6 21.Nc3 Nxe3 22.Re1 Nf5 23.Rd1 Ne3 24.Rd2 Nd3 25.Rc7 Nf4 26.Ne5 Ned5 27.Ra7 Nxc3 28.bxc3 Rd6 29.Rf2 Ne6 30.a3 Bh5 31.g4 Bg6 32.h4 Nd8 33.h5 Be4 34.Kh2 h6 35.Kg3 Bd5 36.Bxd5 Rxd5 37.Rxa6 Ne6 38.Ra7 Ng5 39.Rf4 Rdd8 40.Nc6 Rde8 41.Re7 Rc8 42.d5 Ra8 43.d6 Ne6 44.Rf3 Ra6 45.Nb4 Rxd6 46.Rf5 Ng5 47.Re3 Rfd8 48.Rfe5 Rd1 49.Re8+ Kh7 0-1 (49) Ballsy_Binge (2681)-Calzonesdesuperman (2653) Blitz 2023;

A1b) 14...f6 15.e4 Bg4 16.d5 Ne5 17.Nxe5 fxe5 18.Rxf8+ Rxf8 19.Rc1 Nc8 20.h3 Bh5 21.Bd1 Bxd1 22.Nxd1 Rf7 23.Nc3 Nd6 24.Rf1 b5 25.b4 h5 26.h4 g5 27.Rxf7 Kxf7 28.g3 g4 29.Kf2 Ke7 30.Ke2 Kd7 31.Kd3 Nc4 32.Ke2 Nb6 33.Kd3 Kd6 34.Kc2 Nc4 35.Kd3 Nb6 36.Ke2 c6 37.dxc6 Kxc6 38.Kd3 Kd6 39.Ke2 Kc6 40.Kd3 Kd6 41.Ke2 Kc6 ½-½ (41) Samra (2661)-Sobino106 (2676) Blitz 2025;

A1c) 14...b5 15.Bb3 Na5 16.Nd5 Nxd5 17.Bxd5 Bb7 18.Bxb7 Nxb7 19.Rac1 Rac8 20.Rc6 a5 21.Rfc1 Nd6 22.b3 Nf5 23.e4 Nd6 24.e5 Nf5 25.Rxc7 Rcd8 26.Rd1 Rd5 27.Kf2 Rfd8 28.g4 Nh6 29.h3 Kf8 30.Ke3 Ng8 31.Ke4 Ne7 32.Rdc1 R5d7 33.Rxd7 Rxd7 34.Rc5 Rb7 35.d5 Ke8 36.d6 Ng6 37.Nd4 Kd7 38.Nxb5 f6 39.exf6 gxf6 40.Rh5 Ke6 41.Rd5 Ne5 42.Nd4+ Kd7 43.g5 Rb4 44.gxf6 Nf7 45.a3 Rb6 46.Nb5 Rb8 47.Kd4 Ke6 48.d7 Rd8 49.Nc7+ Kxf6 50.Rxa5 Ke7 51.Nd5+ Kxd7 52.Ra7+ Ke6 53.Re7+ Kd6 54.Rxf7 Kc6 55.Rf6+ Kb5 56.Rb6+ Ka5 57.Rc6 h5 58.Rc5+ Ka6 59.Kc4 Rf8 60.Nb4+ Kb6 61.Rc6+ Kb7 62.Rh6 Rf4+ 63.Kc5 h4 64.Nd5 Rf5 65.Rh7+ Kc8 66.Rxh4 Kd8 67.Re4 Kd7 68.h4 Kd8 69.a4 1-0 (69) scheveningensea (2722)-spectraline (2564) Blitz 2023;

A2) 13...Bd7 14.0-0 f6 15.d5 Na5 16.Bxd7+ Kxd7 17.Nd2 b5 18.Nde4 Nb7 19.Rad1 Rad8 20.b4 Rhe8 21.Nc5+ Nxc5 22.bxc5 Ng6 23.Rfe1 Ne5 24.c6+ Kc8 25.e4 Nc4 26.Rd4 f5 27.a4 fxe4 28.axb5 axb5 29.Nxb5 Nb6 30.Ra1 Kb8 31.Ra7 Rxd5 32.Rb7+ Kc8 33.Rxc7+ Kd8 34.Rxd5+ 1-0 (34) Bryce_Loski (2849)-solxe (2632) Blitz 2023;

B) 12...0-0 Kuzmin, Alexey: 'In the event of the exchange of queens,

the ending is preferable for White.' 13.0-0 *(13.Qxe6 Bxe6 14.Bxc6 bxc6 15.0-0-0 f6 16.Rhe1 Kf7 17.b3 Rfd8 18.Rd3 Nd5 19.Nxd5 Bxd5 20.g3 Bxf3 21.Rxf3 Rxd4 22.Rc3 Rd6 23.Re2 Rb8 24.Rce3 Rd7 25.Rc3 Rd6 26.Rce3 Rd7 27.Rc3* ½-½ (27) Navara,D (2679)-Ivanchuk,V (2625) Zagreb CRO 2023*; 13.0-0-0 Qd6 14.Rhe1 Nd5 15.Nxd5 Qxd5 16.Bb3 Qd6 17.Ne5 Bf5 18.g4 Be6 19.f4 Bxb3 20.Qxb3 Nxe5 21.dxe5 Qc6+ 22.Qc3 Qe6 23.f5 Qxa2 24.e6 fxe6 25.Rxe6 Rad8 26.Rde1 Qa1+ 27.Kc2 Qa4+ 28.Kb1 Qxg4 29.Qxc7 Qxf5+ 30.Ka1 Rd5 31.b4 Qf4 32.Re7 Qd4+ 33.Kb1 Qd3+ 34.Kc1 Qd2+ 35.Kb1 Qxb4+* 0-1 (35) NiccoloTartaglia (2671)-Calzonesdesuperman (2598) Blitz 2024 *)*

B1) 13...Qd6

B1a) 14.Ne4

B1a1) 14...Qd8 15.Rad1 *(15.Ng3 Nd5 16.Qd2 Nce7 17.Rfe1 Ng6 18.Ne5 Be6 19.Nxg6 hxg6 20.Bb3 c6 21.Ne4 Nc7 22.Bxe6 Nxe6 23.Rad1 Nc7 24.Qb4 Rb8 25.Nc3 Re8 26.Re5 Qd7 27.h3 Nb5 28.Rxe8+ Rxe8 29.a4 Nxc3 30.bxc3 Re2 31.c4 Qf5 32.Rf1 b5 33.axb5 axb5 34.d5 Re4 35.dxc6 Rxc4 36.Qd6 Qc8 37.Rd1 Rxc6 38.Qd8+ Qxd8 39.Rxd8+ Kh7 40.Rb8 Rc1+ 41.Kh2 Rb1 42.h4 b4 43.g4 b3 44.g5 f5 45.Kg2 Rb2 46.Kg3 Rb1 47.Kg2 b2 48.f4* ½-½ (48) Aravindh,C (2613)-Mitrabha,G (2500) Nashik IND 2022 *)* 15...Be6 16.Nc5 Bd5 17.Nxb7 Qc8 18.Nc5 Nf5 19.Qf4 Rb8 20.Bxc6 Bxc6 21.Ne5 Bb5 22.Rfe1 Rd8 23.b3 h6 24.d5 Be8 25.g4 Nd6 26.h3 Rb5 27.Rc1 Nb7 28.Nxa6 Rbxd5 29.Nxc7 Rd4 30.Qf3 Qb8 31.Nxe8 R8d7 1-0 (31) Poirot_Hercule (2693)-Dekelija (2760) Blitz 2024;

B1a2) 14...Qg6 15.Ne5 *(15.Nh4 Qh5 16.Qg3 Nxd4 17.Nf6+ Kh8 18.Nxh5 Ne2+ 19.Kh1 Nxg3+ 20.Nxg3* 1-0 (20) Ballsy_Binge (2624)-ma_long_ma (2596) Blitz 2023*; 15.Bxc6 Qxc6 16.Rac1 Qe6 17.Rfe1 Nd5 18.Qg5 c6 19.Nc3 Qd6 20.Nxd5 cxd5 21.Qe7 Qb6 22.Rc7 h6 23.b3 Qa5 24.h3 Qxa2 25.Ne5 Be6 26.Rxb7 Qd2 27.Nf3 Qc3 28.Rxe6 Rae8 29.Qxe8 Rxe8 30.Rxe8+ Kh7 31.Rxf7 Qxb3 32.Ree7 Qb1+ 33.Kh2 Qb8+ 34.Ne5* 1-0 (34) Safarli,E (2609)-Petrov,N (2561) Zagreb CRO 2023*)* 15...Nxe5 16.dxe5 Nd5 17.Qf3 *(17.Qd4 Nf4 18.Ng3 Qxg3* 0-1 (18) ice2breaker (2808)-pozvonochek (2906) Blitz 2023 *)* 17...Bg4 18.Qd3 Nf4 19.Qe3 Bh3 20.Ng3 Nxg2 21.Qe4 Qxe4 22.Nxe4

Nh4 23.Rfc1 Rad8 24.Ng5 Bf5 25.Bb3 c6 26.Rd1 Rde8 27.f4 h6 28.Nxf7 Rxf7 29.Bxf7+ Kxf7 30.Kf2 g5 31.Rd6 Re6 32.Rg1 g4 33.Rgd1 Ng6 34.Ke3 h5 35.Rd7+ Re7 36.Rxe7+ Nxe7 37.Rd6 Be6 38.Rd8 Bd5 39.Rh8 Nf5+ 40.Kf2 Kg6 41.Rf8 Be4 42.e6 h4 43.b4 g3+ 44.hxg3 hxg3+ 45.Kg1 Nd4 46.e7 Ne2+ 47.Kf1 g2+ 48.Kxe2 g1Q 49.e8Q+ Kh6 50.Rf6+ Kh7 51.Qe7+ Qg7 52.Rf7 Qxf7 53.Qxf7+ Kh8 54.Qf6+ Kg8 55.Ke3 Bh7 56.a3 b5 57.Kd4 1-0 (57) wounded_thirteenth (2843)-zvonokchess (2814) Blitz 2023;

B1b) 14.Rfe1 Nf5 15.Qe4 Nfxd4 16.Rad1 Nxf3+ 17.Qxf3 Qg6 18.Nd5 Bg4 19.Qg3 Bxd1 Normal 0-1 (19) FatherGrigoriy (2812)-Hard-Training (2626) Blitz 2024;

B1c) 14.Bxc6 Nxc6 15.d5 Ne7 16.Rad1 Nf5 *(16...Bg4 17.h3 Bh5 18.g4 Bg6 19.Rfe1 Rae8 20.Qe5 Qd8 21.Qg3 Nc8 22.Ne5 Nd6 23.h4 h5 24.f3 Bh7 25.b3 f6 26.Nc4 Nb5 27.Ne2 Rxe2 28.Rxe2 Nc3 29.Red2 Nxd1 30.Rxd1 hxg4 31.fxg4 Be4 32.d6 Bc6 33.Re1 Rf7 34.dxc7 Rxc7 35.Qd6 Rd7 36.Qe6+ Kf8 37.g5 Rd3 38.Ne3 Qc7 39.Qg4 Qe5 40.Qb4+ Kg8 41.Qc4+ Rd5 42.gxf6 Qg3+ 43.Ng2 gxf6 44.Re3 Qg7 45.Kh2 Kh7 46.Rg3 Qf7 47.Qe4+ f5 48.Qf4 Qf6 49.Ne3 Rd4 50.Qxf5+ Qxf5 51.Nxf5 Rd2+ 52.Kg1 Rxa2 53.Nd4 Bd5 54.Rg5 Bg8 55.Nf5 b5 56.Rh5+ Kg6 57.Rg5+ Kh7 58.Rh5+ Kg6 59.Rg5+ Kh7 60.Rh5+ ½-½ (60) Sadhwani, R (2619)-Erigaisi,A (2681) chess24.com INT 2022)* 17.Qd3 Qb6 18.b3 Nd6 19.Nd4 Bd7 20.h3 Rfe8 21.Rfe1 h6 22.Rc1 Rxe1+ 23.Rxe1 Re8 24.Rxe8+ Bxe8 25.Ne4 Bd7 26.Nxd6 Qxd6 27.Qe4 ½-½ (27) Tomashevsky,E (2681)-Petrov, N (2561) Samarkand UZB 2023;

B1d) 14.Rad1 Kuzmin, Alexey: '⩲'

B1d1) 14...Bg4 15.d5 *(15.Qe4 f5 16.Qd3 Kh8 17.h3 Bxf3 18.Qxf3 b5 19.Bb3 Nxd4 20.Qe3 c5 21.Rfe1 Rae8 22.Qe5 Qc6 23.Bd5 Nxd5 24.Qxd5 Qxd5 25.Nxd5 h6 26.h4 Rxe1+ 27.Rxe1 Rd8 28.Re5 c4 29.h5 a5 30.a3 Kg8 31.Ne7+ Kf7 32.Nxf5 Kf6 33.Nxd4 Kxe5 34.Nc6+ Kd5 35.Nxd8 b4 36.axb4 c3 37.bxc3 a4 38.Nb7 a3 39.Na5 a2 40.Nb3 Kc4 41.Na1 Kxc3 42.b5 Kb2 43.b6 Kxa1 44.b7 1-0 (44) gogotaniye (2768)-elconceto (2808) Blitz 2024)* 15...Bxf3 *(15...Na5 16.Rfe1 Ng6 17.Rd4 Bxf3 18.Qxf3 b5 19.Bc2 Rae8 20.Rde4*

Rxe4 21.Qxe4 Nc4 22.a4 Qc5 23.axb5 Nd6 24.Qe3 Qxe3 25.Rxe3 axb5 26.g3 Rb8 27.Na2 Nc4 28.Rc3 Nge5 29.Nb4 Nxb2 30.Rxc7 Nbc4 31.Nc6 Nf3+ 32.Kg2 Ne1+ 33.Kf1 Re8 34.Bd1 Nd3 35.Be2 Ndb2 36.Nd4 Kf8 37.Nxb5 Nd2+ 38.Kg2 Rxe2 39.Nd4 Re8 40.d6 Nb3 41.d7 Nxd4 42.Rc8 Rd8 43.Rxd8+ Ke7 44.Rb8 Kxd7 45.Rxb2 Ke7 46.Rb7+ Kf6 47.Rb6+ Kf5 48.g4+ Kg5 49.Rb7 Ne6 50.Kg3 Kf6 51.f4 g6 52.Kf3 h6 53.Rb6 Kg7 54.Ke4 Nf8 55.Rd6 Ne6 56.Ke5 Nf8 57.h4 1-0 (57) Ragger,M (2647)-Lodici,L (2537) Terme Catez SLO 2022*)* 16.Qxf3 Ne5

B1d11) 17.Qe2 b5 *(17...N7g6 18.f4 Nd7 19.Ne4 Qb6+ 20.Qf2 Qxf2+ 21.Rxf2 Nb6 22.Bb3 a5 23.a4 Nd7 24.Rc1 Rac8 25.g3 Rfe8 26.Ng5 h6 27.Nf3 b6 28.Bc2 Ne7 29.Rd1 Nc5 30.d6 cxd6 31.Rxd6 Nc6 32.Rfd2 Nb4 33.Bf5 Rb8 34.Ne5 Nxa4 35.Bd7 Nc5 36.Bxe8 Rxe8 37.Rd8 Kf8 38.Rxe8+ Kxe8 39.Rd6 Na4 40.b3 Nc5 41.Rxb6 Nxb3 42.Rb5 f6 43.Nc4 Nd4 44.Rb8+ Kf7 45.Nxa5 Nd5 46.Nc4 Kg6 47.Rd8 Ne2+ 48.Kf2 Nec3 49.Rd7 h5 50.Kf3 Kh6 51.Nd6 Kg6 52.Ne8 Kf5 53.Nxg7+ Kg6 54.Ne6 Nb4 55.Nf8+ Kf5 56.h3* 1-0 (56) Safarli,E (2610)-Schneider,I (2414) Skopje MKD 2024*)* 18.Bb3 N7g6 19.f4 Nd7 20.Ne4 Qb6+ 21.Qf2 Rfe8 22.Qxb6 Nxb6 23.Nc5 a5 24.d6 a4 25.d7 Red8 26.Bc2 Nf8 27.Rd4 a3 28.bxa3 Rxa3 29.Bb3 Ra7 30.Re1 Nbxd7 31.Re7 c6 32.Bxf7+ Kh8 33.Be6 h6 34.Bxd7 b4 35.Re8 Rxe8 36.Bxe8 Rxa2 37.Rd8 Kh7 38.Bxc6 Ra5 39.Be4+ g6 40.Rxf8 Rxc5 41.Rb8 Rc4 42.Rb7+ Kh8 43.Bxg6 Rxf4 44.g3 Rd4 45.Kg2 Kg8 46.h4 Kf8 47.h5 Rc4 48.Kh3 Rd4 49.g4 Kg8 50.Kh4 Rc4 51.Bf7+ Kh8 52.Bxc4 b3 53.Bd3 b2 54.Bg6 b1Q 55.Rxb1 Kg8 56.Rf1 Kg7 57.g5 hxg5+ 58.Kxg5 Kg8 59.h6 Kh8 60.Rf8# 1-0 (60) U_modi_je_biti_Supak (2785)-KKlie4 (2786) Blitz 2023;

B1d12) 17.Qh3 Rad8 *(17...N7g6 18.Bc2 Rae8 19.Kh1 h6 20.Qf5 Nc4 21.b3 Na3 22.Be4 Nb5 23.Nxb5 axb5 24.Bb1 b4 25.g3 Re5 26.Qf3 Rd8 27.Be4 Nf8 28.Rfe1*

Rde8 29.Re3 Nd7 30.Rde1 Nf6 31.Bc2 Rxe3 32.Rxe3 Rxe3 33.Qxe3 Qxd5+ 34.Kg1 Qc6 35.Bf5 g6 36.Bd3 Qc3 37.Qe2 c6 38.Bc4 b5 39.Bd3 Kg7 40.h4 h5 41.Kg2 Ng4 42.Be4 Qe5 43.Qd3 Qb2 44.Qf3 c5 45.Bd5 Nf6 46.Bc6 c4 47.Bxb5 c3 48.Bd3 Qxa2 49.Qd1 Qd2 50.Bc2 Ne4 51.Qxd2 cxd2 52.Kf3 Nc3 0-1 (52) indomie_egg (2677)-zvonokchess (2868) Blitz 2024*; 17...f5 18.Bb3 N7g6 19.Ne2 Rae8 20.Nd4 Nf4 21.Qg3 Ng4 22.h3 Re4 23.Kh1 Rf6 24.Ne6 Rh6 25.Bc2 Nxh3 26.gxh3 Nxf2+ 27.Kg2 Rg6 28.Ng5 f4 29.Qxf2 Rxg5+ 30.Kh1 Re3 31.Rd3 Rgg3 32.Rxe3 Rxe3 33.Qxf4 Qxd5+ 34.Kh2 Re2+ 35.Rf2 Qd4 36.Qf7+* 1-0 (36) Ter Sahakyan,S (2611)-Nasuta,G (2513) chess.com INT 2025*)* 18.Bc2 N7g6 19.Ne4 Qb6 20.Ng5 h6 21.Ne4 Qxb2 22.Bb3 Qe2 23.Rfe1 Qg4 24.Qxg4 Nxg4 25.Nc5 Nf6 26.Nxb7 Rb8 27.Nc5 Rb6 28.g3 Rd8 29.f4 Kf8 30.Kg2 Ne7 31.Re5 Nd7 32.Nxd7+ Rxd7 33.Re3 Rbd6 34.Rde1 g5 35.Ba4 gxf4 36.gxf4 Nxd5 37.Re8+ Kg7 38.Bxd7 Rxd7 39.Kf3 Nf6 40.R8e7 Rd3+ 41.R1e3 Rd2 42.Rxc7 Rxh2 43.Ree7 Rxa2 44.Rxf7+ Kg6 45.Rg7+ Kf5 46.Rc5+ Ke6 47.Rg6 Ra3+ 48.Kg2 Kf7 49.f5 Ra2+ 50.Kf3 Ra3+ 51.Ke2 Ra2+ 52.Kd3 Ra3+ 53.Kc2 Re3 54.Rc7+ Re7 55.Rc6 Ne4 56.Rxh6 Kg7 57.Rcg6+ Kf7 58.Rxa6 Re5 59.Rh7+ Kg8 60.Rh5 Kf7 61.Ra7+ Kg8 62.Rh6 Rxf5 63.Rb6 Rf8 64.Rbb7 Nf6 65.Rg7+ Kh8 66.Rg6 Nh7 67.Rh6 Rf2+ 68.Kd3 Rf3+ 69.Ke4 Rf4+ 70.Ke3 Kg8 71.Ke2 1-0 (71) Ballsy_Binge (2684)-elconceto (2785) Blitz 2024;

B1d13) 17.Qg3 f5 *(17...Nc4 18.Rfe1 Ng6 19.Qxd6 Nxd6 20.Ne4 Rfd8 21.g3 Ne5 22.Kg2 Nec4 23.Nxd6 cxd6 24.Re2 b5 25.Bb3 Rac8 26.Bxc4 Rxc4 27.Re7 Rc2 28.Ra7 Rxb2 29.Rxa6 g5 30.Rd4 Rc8 31.Rd3 g4 32.Rd4 Rc4 33.Rxc4 bxc4 34.Rxd6 Rxa2 35.Rc6 Rc2 36.d6 Kg7 37.d7 Rd2 38.Rxc4 Rxd7 39.Rxg4+ Kf6 40.Rf4+ Kg6 41.h4 h5 42.Ra4 f6 43.Ra5 Rd3 44.Rc5 Rb3 45.Rc4 Ra3*

46.Rf4 Rb3 47.Rf3 Rb4 48.Re3 Ra4 49.Kf3 Rb4 50.Re4 Rb3+ 51.Kf4 Rb2 52.Kf3 Rb3+ 53.Re3 Rb1 54.Ra3 Rc1 55.Ra8 Rb1 56.Kg2 Rc1 57.Rg8+ Kf7 58.Rh8 Kg6 59.Rg8+ Kf7 60.Rd8 Kg6 61.Rd4 Rb1 62.Rf4 Rc1 63.Rf3 Rb1 64.Rc3 Ra1 65.Kf3 Rb1 66.Ke3 Ra1 67.Rb3 Rc1 68.Kd2 Rf1 69.Ke2 Ra1 70.Rd3 Ra2+ 71.Rd2 Ra8 72.Rd4 Ra2+ 73.Kf3 Ra3+ 74.Kf4 Ra2 75.f3 Rf2 76.Re4 Rf1 77.Re8 Kh6 78.Ke4 Kg6 79.Rg8+ Kh6 80.Ra8 Kg6 81.Ra6 Re1+ 82.Kf4 Rf1 83.Ra8 Re1 84.Rg8+ Kf7 85.Rh8 Kg6 86.g4 hxg4 87.fxg4 Rf1+ 88.Kg3 Ra1 89.Rg8+ Kf7 90.Rb8 Ra3+ 91.Kf4 Ra4+ 92.Kf3 Ra3+ 93.Kf4 Ra4+ 94.Kf3 Ra3+ 95.Kf4 ½-½ (95) Hard-Training (2671)-ma_long_ma (2660) Blitz 2023 *)* 18.Ne2 N7g6 19.f4 Nc4 20.Qc3 b5 21.Bb3 Rae8 22.Bxc4 bxc4 23.Qxc4 Re4 24.Rd4 Rfe8 25.Nc3 Re3 26.g3 h5 27.Qc6 h4 28.Qxd6 cxd6 29.Kf2 Nf8 30.Rd2 Nd7 31.Re2 Rxe2+ 32.Nxe2 Nf6 33.Nc3 h3 34.Kg1 Ng4 35.a4 a5 36.Rd1 Re3 37.Rf1 Kf7 38.Rd1 Ke7 0-1 (38) Demian_33 (2813)-zvonokchess (2819) Blitz 2023;

B1d2) 14...Bf5 15.d5 Na7 16.Rfe1 Ng6 17.h4 Bg4 18.Rd4 h5 19.Ne5 Nxe5 20.Qxe5 Qb6 21.Bb3 Nb5 22.Nxb5 axb5 23.Rde4 Rad8 24.Qf4 Rd6 25.Re7 Rf6 26.Qe3 Qd6 27.Qe5 Qb6 28.Re3 c5 29.Qc7 Qa5 30.Qxa5 1-0 (30) Hard-Training (2651)-Calzonesdesuperman (2638) Blitz 2023;

B1d3) 14...b5 15.Bb3 Bg4 16.Ne4 Qg6 17.d5 Nf5 18.Qf4 Bxf3 19.Qxf3 Ncd4 20.Qh3 Ne2+ 21.Kh1 Nf4 22.Qf3 Nh4 23.Qg3 Qxe4 24.f3 Qg6 25.Rd2 Qf6 0-1 (25) Ballsy_Binge (2650)-gogotaniye (2760) Blitz 2023;

B1d4) 14...Be6N 15.Ng5 Nd5 16.Qd3 g6 17.Nce4 Qe7 18.Nxe6 Qxe6 19.Bb3 Nce7 20.Rfe1 Rad8 21.h4 h5 22.Ng5 Qf6 23.Qg3 c6 24.Ne4 Qg7 25.Nc5 Nf5 26.Qg5 b6 27.Ne4 Kh8 28.Bxd5 Rxd5 29.Nf6 Rxd4 30.Rxd4 Nxd4 31.Ne8 f6 32.Qf4 Qf7 33.Nd6 Qd5 34.Qh6+ Kg8 35.Qxg6+ Kh8 36.Re7 Ne2+ 37.Rxe2 Qd1+ 38.Kh2 Qxe2 39.Qh6+ Kg8 40.Qg6+ Kh8 41.Nf5 Qg4 42.Qh6+ Kg8 43.Ne3 Qg7 44.Qxh5 Qf7 45.Qf5 Re8 46.Qg4+ Qg7 47.Qf3 Qf7 48.Qxc6 Re6 49.Qa8+

Qe8 50.Qxa6 Qb8+ 51.g3 Qe8 52.Qd3 Re5 53.Qd2 Re6 54.Qd1 Qg6 55.Qf3 Qe4 56.Qxe4 Rxe4 57.b3 Rd4 58.Nc4 b5 59.Ne3 b4 60.Nc4 Rd3 61.Kg2 Rc3 62.Nb6 Rc5 63.Kf3 Ra5 64.Ke3 Rxa2 65.Nd5 Rb2 66.Nxb4 Rxb3+ 67.Nd3 Kf7 68.Ke4 Kg6 69.Nf4+ Kf7 70.Kf5 Rb5+ 71.Kg4 Re5 72.h5 Rg5+ 73.Kh4 Ra5 74.g4 Kg7 75.Ne6+ Kh6 76.Nd4 Ra4 77.Nf5+ Kh7 78.Kg3 Ra3+ 79.f3 Ra4 80.Ne3 Ra3 81.Nd5 Kg7 82.Ne7 Ra5 83.Kf4 Ra4+ 84.Kf5 Ra5+ 85.Kf4 Ra4+ 86.Kg3 Ra3 87.Nd5 Rd3 88.Nf4 Ra3 89.Ne2 Ra4 90.Nc3 Rc4 91.Ne4 Ra4 92.Kf4 Ra5 93.Nd6 Ra4+ 94.Ke3 Ra3+ 95.Kf2 Ra4 96.Nf5+ Kh7 97.Kg3 Rb4 98.Nd6 Kg7 99.f4 Rb3+ 100.Kg2 Rb6 101.Nf5+ Kh7 102.Kf3 Rb5 103.Ne3 1-0 (103) Safarli,E (2609)-Deac,B (2696) chess.com INT 2025;

B1d5) 14...Nb4 15.Ne5 Nbd5 16.Qf3 c6 *(16...Nf6 17.Bb3 c6 18.Ne4 Nxe4 19.Nxf7 Nd5 20.Nxd6 Rxf3 21.Nxe4 Rf8 22.Nc5 b6 23.Nd3 Be6 24.Rfe1 Rfe8 25.Ne5 Nb4 26.Bxe6+ Rxe6 27.a3 Nd5 28.Nf3 Rae8 29.Re5 Rxe5 30.dxe5 h6 31.g3 Kf7 32.b4 Re7 33.Kg2 Ke8 34.Nd4 Kd7 35.e6+ Kc7 36.Rc1 c5 37.bxc5 b5 38.Kf3 g6 39.Ke4 Nf6+ 40.Kd3 Ng4 41.f3 Ne5+ 42.Ke4 Nc6 43.Nxc6 Rxe6+ 44.Kd5 Rxc6 45.Re1 Rf6 46.f4 Rf5+ 47.Re5 Rf7 48.Re6 Rf5+ 49.Kd4 g5 50.Rxa6 gxf4 51.gxf4 Rxf4+ 52.Kd5 Rf5+ 53.Kd4 Rf4+ 54.Ke5 Rh4 55.Kd5 Rh5+ 56.Kd4 Rxh2 57.Rg6 Rh4+ 58.Kd3 Rh5 59.Kd4 Rh4+ 60.Kd5 Rh5+ 61.Kd4 Rh4+* ½-½ (61) Ter Sahakyan,S (2605)-Damjanovic,V (2361) Almaty KAZ 2022*)* 17.Bb3 Be6 *(17...h6 18.Rfe1 Be6 19.Ne4 Qc7 20.Nc5 Bc8 21.h3 a5 22.a3 b6 23.Ne4 Be6 24.Ng3 Rae8 25.Rc1 Qd6 26.Ne4 Qc7 27.Ba4 Bd7 28.Qg3 Rc8 29.Qf3 f6 30.Nxd7 Qxd7 31.Ng3 Kh8 32.Nh5 Qd6 33.Qg4 g6 34.Ng3 h5 35.Qf3 Kg7 36.Ne4 Qf4 37.Qd3 Rfd8 38.Rcd1 Nf5 39.g3 Qc7 40.Qf3 Re8 41.Kg2 Re7 42.Qd3 h4 43.Nc3 Nde3+ 44.fxe3* 0-1 (44) Najer,E (2648)-Praggnanandhaa,R (2707) Dusseldorf GER 2023*; 17...Bf5 18.Rfe1 Rad8 19.Na4 Bc8 20.Nc5 Ng6 21.Nxg6 hxg6 22.Re5 Nf6 23.h3 Nd7 24.Nxd7 Rxd7 25.Qe4 Rdd8 26.g4 Bd7 27.Rd3 Rde8 28.Rf3 Be6 29.Re3 Bd7 30.a3 b6 31.Qd3 a5 32.Ba2 b5 33.Qe4 Rxe5 34.dxe5 Qd2 35.Re2 Qc1+ 36.Kg2 Kh7 37.h4 Be6 38.Bxe6 fxe6*

39.h5 Qg5 40.Kg3 Kg8 41.f4 Qd8 42.Qxg6 Qd4 43.Qe4 Qg1+ 44.Rg2 Qh1 45.h6 gxh6 46.Qxc6 Qe1+ 47.Rf2 Rxf4 48.Qa8+ Kh7 49.Qa7+ Kg6 50.Kxf4 1-0 (50) Sjugirov,S (2636)-Bai,A (2415) Abu Dhabi UAE 2025 *)* 18.Ne4 Qc7 19.Nc5 Ng6 20.Nxg6 hxg6 21.Nxe6 fxe6 22.Qg4 Rf6 23.Bc2 Qf7 24.g3 Rf8 25.Qe2 a5 26.Be4 a4 27.a3 Qc7 28.h4 Qb6 29.Rd2 Qc7 30.Bg2 Qf7 31.Qc4 g5 32.hxg5 Rf5 33.Re2 Rxg5 34.Rfe1 Rf5 35.Bh3 Rf6 36.f4 Qg6 37.Kh2 Qh5 38.Rxe6 Rxe6 39.Rxe6 Rf6 40.Qe2 Qxe2+ 41.Rxe2 Kf7 42.Bc8 b5 43.Bd7 Rd6 44.Be8+ Kf6 45.Rc2 Ne7 46.Kh3 g5 47.Kg4 gxf4 48.gxf4 Rxd4 49.Bxc6 b4 50.Bf3 bxa3 51.bxa3 Ng6 52.Rc6+ Kg7 53.Kg5 Nxf4 54.Rc7+ Kf8 55.Bg4 Nd5 56.Ra7 Rd3 57.Be6 Ne7 58.Kf6 Rf3+ 59.Kg5 Rxa3 60.Kh6 1-0 (60) InFighter (2864)-pozvonochek (2853) Blitz 2023;

B2) 13...Rd8 14.Ng5 *(14.Rac1 b5 15.Bb3 Qxe3 16.fxe3 Na5 17.Ne5 Nxb3 18.axb3 f6 19.Nd3 Be6 20.Nc5 Bf7 21.Rfd1 c6 22.b4 a5 23.bxa5 Rxa5 24.Nb7 Rda8 25.Nxa5 Rxa5 26.Ra1 Rxa1 27.Rxa1 h6 28.Ra8+ Kh7 29.Ra7* 1-0 (29) Ballsy_Binge (2662)-Calzonesdesuperman (2665) Blitz 2023*)* 14...Qg6 15.Rfe1 Bd7 16.Bb3 Be8 17.d5 Nf5 18.Qf4 Ncd4 19.g4 h6 20.gxf5 Qxg5+ 21.Qxg5 hxg5 22.Re7 Rac8 23.Rae1 Nf3+ 24.Kg2 Nxe1+ 25.Rxe1 Kf8 26.Kg3 c6 27.Kg4 f6 28.dxc6 Bxc6 29.Be6 Rd4+ 30.Kg3 Rcd8 31.Bb3 Rd2 32.Kg4 R8d4+ 33.Kh5 Be8+ 34.Rxe8+ Kxe8 35.Kg6 Kf8 36.Be6 Rh4 0-1 (36) Ballsy_Binge (2674)-AgressiveMode (2755) Blitz 2023;

B3) 13...h6 14.Rfe1 Qxe3 15.fxe3 Rd8 16.Rad1 Bg4 17.h3 Bxf3 18.gxf3 b5 19.Bc2 Rac8 20.Ne4 Nb4 21.Bb1 c6 22.Kf2 Nbd5 23.Nc5 Ra8 24.e4 Nb6 25.b3 Nd7 26.Nb7 Rdb8 27.Nd6 Rd8 28.Nb7 Rdb8 29.Na5 c5 30.d5 Rd8 31.Nb7 Rdb8 32.Nd6 Ng6 33.Kg3 Rd8 34.Nb7 Rdb8 35.Na5 Rc8 36.f4 c4 37.bxc4 bxc4 38.Bc2 Rab8 39.Rb1 c3 40.Nc6 Rb2 41.Rxb2 cxb2 42.Rb1 Re8 43.Rxb2 Nc5 44.e5 Kh8 45.Rb8 Rxb8 46.Nxb8 Nf8 47.Kf3 Kg8 48.Ke3 Nfd7 49.Nxd7 Nxd7 50.Kd4 Kf8 51.a4 Ke7 52.a5 h5 53.Bd3 g6 54.Bxa6 1-0 (54) Ballsy_Binge (2631)-Calzonesdesuperman (2642) Blitz 2023;

B4) 13...Nb4 14.Bb3 *(14.Ne5 Nbd5 15.Qd2 c6 16.Rae1 Qf5 17.Bc2 Qh5 18.Ne4 f6 19.Ng3 Qe8 20.Nc4 Qd8 21.b4 Ng6 22.Ne4 Bf5 23.Nc5 Bxc2 24.Qxc2 Nxb4 25.Qb3 a5 26.Ne6 Qd5 27.Nxf8 Kxf8 28.a3 b5 29.axb4 bxc4 30.Qa3*

Qd6 31.Rb1 Nf4 32.Kh1 Nd5 33.Qh3 axb4 34.Qxh7 Ra2 35.Qh8+ Kf7 36.Qh5+ Kf8 37.Rfe1 Ne7 38.Re4 c3 39.Rbe1 Rxf2 40.Qh8+ Kf7 41.Qh5+ Ng6 42.Rg4 f5 43.Rg5 c2 44.Rxf5+ Rxf5 45.Qxf5+ Kg8 46.Qxc2 Nf4 47.Qc4+ Qd5 48.Qf1 g5 49.Rb1 b3 50.Kg1 b2 51.Kh1 Qxd4 52.g3 Qd5+ 53.Kg1 Nh3+ 54.Qxh3 Qd4+ 55.Kh1 Qd3 56.Kg2 Qe4+ 57.Kg1 Qxb1+ 58.Qf1 Qc2 59.Qf2 b1Q+ 0-1 (59) Ballsy_Binge (2638)-BossHubDotCom (2677) Blitz 2023*)* 14...Nbd5 *(14...Qd6 15.Rfe1 Nbd5 16.Nxd5 Nxd5 17.Qe4 Nf6 18.Qh4 c6 19.Ne5 Bd7 20.Re3 Rad8 21.Rae1 Bf5 22.Rg3 Bg6 23.Rxg6 hxg6 24.Nxg6 Nh7 25.Nxf8 Rxf8 26.Re7 b5 27.h3 Nf6 28.Re3 Rd8 29.Rd3 c5 30.Rd2 cxd4 31.Rd3 Qe5 32.Qg3 Qe2 33.Kh2 Qe4 34.Bc2 Qc6 35.Rf3 Qxc2 36.Rxf6 d3 37.Rd6 Rxd6 38.Qxd6 d2 39.Qd8+ Kh7 40.Qh4+ Kg6 41.Qg4+ Kf6 42.Qf4+ Ke6 43.Qe3+ Kd6 44.Qd4+ Kc6* 0-1 (44) Ivic,V (2622)-Nakamura, H (2802) chess.com INT 2024*)* 15.Qe5 *(15.Qd2 c6 16.Rfe1 Qf6 17.Ne4 Qg6 18.Ne5 Qh5 19.Ng3 Qh4 20.Re4 Qf6 21.Rae1 Bf5 22.Nxf5 Nxf5 23.Bxd5 cxd5 24.Rf4 Qg5 25.g3 Nd6 26.h4 Qh6 27.Qd3 Ne4 28.Kg2 b5 29.Qb3 Rad8 30.Ng4 Qb6 31.Qd3 h5 32.Ne3 Nf6 33.Nf5 Rfe8 34.Re5 Ng4 35.Ne7+ Kf8 36.Qh7 Nxe5 37.dxe5 Kxe7 38.Qxg7 Rf8 39.Rf6 Qd4 40.Rxa6 Qe4+ 41.Kh2 Rd7 42.Qf6+ Ke8 43.Ra8+ Rd8 44.Rxd8#* 1-0 (44) MatthiasMurdock (2609)-Wyssegga (2515) Blitz 2025*)* 15...Qxe5 16.Nxe5 c6 17.Bxd5 Nxd5 18.Nxd5 cxd5 19.Rac1 f6 20.Nd3 Bf5 21.Nf4 Rad8 22.Rc7 Rf7 23.Rfc1 Rdd7 24.Rxd7 Rxd7 25.f3 g5 26.Nh5 Kf7 27.Kf2 Bg6 28.Ng3 Ke7 29.Nf1 Kd6 30.Ne3 h5 31.h4 Ke6 32.g3 Kd6 33.Rc5 Ke6 34.a3 Bd3 35.Rc8 Kd6 36.Ke1 Rc7 37.Rxc7 Kxc7 38.Nxd5+ Kd6 39.Nxf6 gxh4 40.gxh4 Bf5 41.Kd2 1-0 (41) InvisibleGuest2023 (2908)-alfredogto (2676) Blitz 2024]

[12.Ne2 0-0 13.0-0 Rd8 14.Rfe1 Qf6 15.Ng3 Bg4 16.Ne5 Rxd4 17.Nxg4 Rxg4 18.Bxc6 Nxc6 19.Qd7 h5 20.Nxh5 Qg6 21.Ng3 Rb4 22.b3 Qd6 23.Rad1 Qxd7 24.Rxd7 Rc8 25.Nf5 Rf4 26.Ne7+ Nxe7 27.Rexe7 c5 28.g3 Rf6 29.Rxb7 c4 30.bxc4 Rxc4 31.Re2 Ra4 32.Kg2 g6 33.h4 Kg7 34.Rb3 a5 35.a3 Rc4 36.Rd3 Rfc6 37.Rd5 R6c5 38.Rxc5 Rxc5 39.Re4 f5 40.Ra4 Kf6 41.f3 Ke5 42.g4 fxg4 43.fxg4 Rc2+ 44.Kf3 Rc3+ 45.Ke2 Rh3 46.h5 gxh5 47.gxh5 Rh2+ 48.Kf3 Rh3+ 49.Kg2 Rb3 50.Rxa5+ Kf6 51.h6 Kg6 52.Ra6+ Kh7 53.a4 Ra3 54.a5 Ra4 55.Kf3 Rh4 56.Rb6 Ra4 57.a6 Ra1 58.Ke3 Ra4 59.Kd3 Rh4 60.Kc3 Ra4 61.Kb3 Ra1 62.Kb4 Rb1+ 63.Kc5 Ra1 64.Kc6 Kxh6 65.Kb7+ Kg7 66.a7 1-0 (66) Laezee (2840)-KKlie4 (2846) Blitz 2022]

[12.Qe2 0-0 13.0-0 Qxe2 14.Nxe2 Bg4 15.Rac1 Rfd8 16.Rfd1 Rac8 17.Kf1 Bxf3 18.gxf3 Nb4 19.a3 Nbd5 20.Rc5 c6 21.Rdc1 Nf5 22.Bb3 Nfe7 23.Ng3 g6 24.Ne4 Kg7 25.Nc3 Nf4 26.Rd1 Nf5 27.d5 cxd5 28.Rxc8 Rxc8 29.Bxd5 Rc7 30.Be4 Ne7 31.Ne2 Ne6 32.f4 Nc5 33.Bc2 Nc6 34.Rd5 Nd7 35.f5 Nf6 36.Rd2 Ne5 37.fxg6 hxg6 38.Nd4 Neg4 39.h3 Ne5 40.Re2 Nc6 41.Nf3 Re7 42.Rd2 Ne4 43.Re2 Nf6 44.Rd2 Ne4 45.Re2 Nf6 ½-½ (45) sonnythehedgehog (2782)-Calzonesdesuperman (2608) Blitz 2023]

[12.Ne5 0-0 13.0-0-0 Nxe5 14.Rhe1 Qb6 15.Rxe5 Ng6 16.Re3 Bf5 17.h4 Nxh4 18.Rh1 Ng6 19.Qd1 Nf4 20.g3 Ne6 21.d5 Nc5 22.g4 Bg6 23.Bc2 Qf6 24.Qe2 h6 25.d6 c6 26.Bxg6 Qxg6 27.Rd1 Rad8 28.Qc4 b6 29.b4 Ne6 30.d7 c5 31.Rd6 Qf6 32.bxc5 bxc5 33.f4 Rb8 34.f5 Rb4 35.Qd3 Rd4 36.fxe6 fxe6 37.Rxd4 cxd4 38.Rf3 Qg5+ 39.Kc2 Rxf3 40.Qxf3 Qa5 41.Qa8+ Kf7 42.Qe8+ 1-0 (42) Bacrot,E (2635)-Nguyen,T (2674) Linares ESP 2025]

12...Qc4+

[12...0-0 13.d5 Nxd5 14.Qxd5 Qg6 15.Bxc6 bxc6 16.Qg5 Qd3+ 17.Kg1 Re8 18.h4 h6 19.Qd2 Qg6 20.h5 Qf6 21.Rh4 Bf5 22.Rf4 Qe6 23.Nd4 1-0 (23) Rory_Sutherland (2714)-BossHubDotCom (2639) Blitz 2024]

[12...b5 13.d5 Qd6 14.dxc6 Qxd2 15.Nxd2 bxa4 16.Nxa4 Nxc6 17.Nb3 0-0 18.f3 Be6 19.Nbc5 Bc4+ 20.Kf2 Bb5 21.Rad1 Rad8 22.Nc3 g6 23.a4 Bc4 24.b3 Be6 25.Nxe6 fxe6 26.Ne4 Rd5 27.Rd2 Nd4 28.Rhd1 Nxb3 29.Rxd5 exd5 30.Rxd5 Rb8 31.Rd7 h5 32.Rxc7 Nd4 33.Nf6+ Kf8 34.Nd7+ 1-0 (34) Normal_one (2621)-solxe (2622) Blitz 2023]

13.Kg1 0-0

[13...Be6!= 14.Ne5 *(14.a3=* This is forced according to the computer, but doesn't seem forced for humans. *0-0-0* This was one of my first intentions, but I didn't like it so much that after h5, the bishop on f2 becomes very bad. *15.b3∞ Nxd4!±* This is accurate to keep the Rad1 option. *16.bxc4!* Probably my opponent was hesitant to play g6 as it weakens the kingside. But more importantly, it makes white pieces bad and stops white's plan on time *Nxf3+ 17.gxf3 Rxd2; 14.b3 Qb4)* 14...Qb4 15.a3 *(15.Nxc6 Nxc6 16.Bxc6+ bxc6 17.Rd1)* 15...Qb6 Slightly inaccurate, ...g6 was better. 16.Bxc6+?! I wanted to stop Bb7. *(16.Nxc6 Nxc6 17.d5 0-0-0 18.Rd1 Ne7 19.Qg5 Qc5 20.h4)* 16...Nxc6?! In this line the knight should go to f6. As it happened in the game, the knight got misplaced. 17.Nxc6 Qxc6

A) 18.d5 0-0-0! It is very interesting to see that white can just give 2 pawns for nothing and still be better, showing how strongly the white pieces are placed. 19.Rd1 *(19.dxc6 Rxd2)* 19...Qb6 20.Qe3 Qxe3 21.fxe3 Bd7!;

B) 18.h4 0-0-0 Finally black had to play ...g6 if he wants to move his knights. 19.h5 Bd5 20.f3! The main plan in this position. *(20.Nxd5* White has a plesant position here. *Rxd5! 21.Rh4 Rhd8!* Objectively this is correct, but I never even considered it.*)* 20...Qf6 21.Qf2 Bb3 22.Rh4 Rhe8 23.Rg4

Qh6 24.Re1!? f5?! 25.Rh4! Whole point of a4 Bf7 *(25...Rxe1+ 26.Qxe1±* Just improving the position and preparing g4. *Qf6* I was expecting this move more with the plan to play Bb7 *27.Qf2* I was intending this just to improve. I didn't find any other useful move for white. *Bf7)* 26.Kh2 *(26.Rxe8* Here I felt both bishop a6 and knight a4 are bad. *Rxe8!?* This was the top choice of computers, but I think a4 is more practical. *)*

B1) 26...Rxe1!? 27.Qxe1 I was expecting this during the game to have better version than what happened. Bxh5 28.Qe5 *(28.Qe7* I was planning to play this. *g5 29.Rh3 g4)* 28...Qg5!? 29.Rh3 Re8! This is dangerous according to the computer.;

B2) 26...Bxh5 27.Rxe8 Rxe8? 28.Qg3 *(28.g4 fxg4 29.fxg4 Qd6+=)* 28...Qg6? I was very suprised to see this on the board. 29.Qf4 Qf7 30.d5 White is exchange up plus has a very good attack Bg6 31.d6 Rd8 32.dxc7! Qxc7 33.Qxc7+ Threating Bf5 ideas Kxc7 34.Ne2 *(34.Rc4+* When I played a4 I thought this was over, completely missing Rf7 here. *Kb8* White has to take draw*)* 34...Rd2 *(34...h6 35.Rc4+±* Still Black has to work a lot to make a draw, *Kb8 36.Rd4)* 35.Nf4 Rxb2 *(35...Kb6 36.Nxg6 hxg6 37.Rh7 Rd7)* 36.Nxg6 With the idea of Bf5 hxg6 37.Rh7 Kb6 *(37...Rb6? 38.Rxg7+ Kb8 39.Kg3= a5! 40.Kf4 a4)* 38.Rxg7 Ka5 39.Rxg6 Ka4

B2a) 40.Rf6+- This is difference between Qf2 and Qg3.

B2a1) 40...Kxa3 41.Rxf5 b5 42.Kh3! a5 *(42...b4 43.Ra5+ Kb3 44.Rxa6+-* I saw this line during the game but assesed it wrongly. I thought black has some counterplay but it is completely winning for white. *)* 43.g4 a4 44.g5+- b4! 45.g6 Rb1 46.Kg2 *(46.g7 Rg1)* 46...Rb2+! 47.Kh3 Rb1;

B2a2) 40...Rb5 41.g4 fxg4 42.fxg4+- Kxa3 43.Kg3+-;

B2b) 40.Rg5

B2b1) 40...Rb5 probably this was the reason my opponent might have rejected this line 41.g4 Here I was calculating Qe1 or Qe3 during the game Rb2+! *(41...fxg4!±* The computer says this is very strong. *42.Rxb5? axb5 43.fxg4 Kxa3 44.g5 b4 45.g6 b3+-* I saw this and thought I was winning If black plays Bd5 *46.g7?! b2 47.g8Q b1Q* Here white has nothing it seems. *48.Qa8+!* also wins *Kb2 49.Qxb7+ Ka1 50.Qxb1+ Kxb1)* 42.Kg3! I just didn't understand that white has no threat. fxg4 43.f4;

B2b2) 40...f4 41.Rf5 Kxa3 42.Rxf4 b5 43.Kh3 *(43.Rf5 a5 44.Kh3 a4+-*

45.g4!+- This would have been a nicer finish to this game. *b4 46.g5*+- *Rc2* I think this was practically very hard move to make. Just to allow Re7 looks completely bad for black, but apparently there is nothing concrete. *47.g6 Rc8)* 43...b4 44.g4 b3 45.Rf5 *(45.g5 Rb1 46.Rf6 a5 47.Rb6 b2* This is completely over, white will get two connected passed pawns on the kingside. *48.f4 Rf1)* 45...Ra2 46.g5 *(46.Ra5+ Kb4)* 46...b2 47.Rf6 a5 *(47...b1Q 48.Rxa6+* I was very happy to finish the tournament with a win! *Kb3 49.Rb6+ Kc2 50.Rxb1 Kxb1 51.Kg4+-* The g5 pawn is much stronger than these two connected pawns.*)* 48.Rb6 Ra1 49.f4 b1Q 50.Rxb1 Rxb1 51.g6 Rg1 52.f5 Just playing around for some moves before going for the plan, Rg5 1-0 (52) Praggnanandhaa,R (2612)-Esipenko,A (2714) Wijk aan Zee 2022 CBM 206 [Praggnanandhaa, Rameshbabu] *(52...Rg5 53.Kh4 Rxf5 54.g7 Rf1 55.g8Q Rh1+! 56.Kg5 Rg1+ 57.Kf6 Rxg8)*]

14.d5

[14.Re1 Bg4 15.Ne5 Nxe5 16.Rxe5 Ng6 17.Rc5 Qb4 18.h3 Rad8 19.Rxc7 Rxd4 20.Qe3 Be6 21.Rxb7 Qxb7 22.Qxd4 Qxb2 23.Kh2 Qb8+ 24.g3 Ne5 25.Bd1 Rd8 26.Qe4 Qb2 27.Ne2 Bd5 0-1 (27) JanistanTV (2691)-Dekelija (2753) Blitz 2024]

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[14...Nb8 15.Re1 Ng6 16.h4 h5 17.Re4 Qc5 18.Qg5 b5 19.Bb3 Nd7 20.g4 Nf6 21.gxh5 Nxe4 22.Nxe4 Qe7 23.hxg6 Qxe4 24.Ne5 fxg6 25.f3 Qb1+ 26.Kg2 Qxb2+ 27.Kg3 Rf5 28.d6+ Qxb3 29.axb3 Rxg5+ 30.hxg5 cxd6 31.Nxg6 a5 32.Ne7+ Kf7 33.Nd5 Ra7 34.Nc3 Bd7 35.Rd1 a4 36.bxa4 bxa4 37.Rxd6 a3 38.Rd2 Be6 39.Rd1 a2 40.Ra1 Ra3 41.Ne4 Ra8 42.Kf4 Rb8 43.Nd2 Rb2 44.Ke3 Kg6 45.f4 Kf5 46.Nf3 Rb1 47.Nd4+ Kg4 48.Nc2 Bb3 0-1 (48) Bernadskiy,V (2600)-Petrov,N (2570) Novi Sad SRB 2021]

15.Re1 Ng6 16.h4 h5 17.Ne5

[17.Bc2 Bg4 18.Ng5 Qf4 19.Qd3 Rae8 20.Rxe8 Rxe8 21.g3 Qf6 22.Nce4 Qxb2 23.Nxf7 Ne5 24.Nxe5 Qxe5 25.Ng5 Kf8 26.Kg2 Ke7 27.Qb3 Bc8 28.Nf3 Qd6 29.Qc3 Qf6 30.Qxc7+ Kf8 31.Qc5+ Kg8 32.Qxa7 Rf8 33.Qe3 Bd7 34.Ng5 g6 35.Re1 Bg4 36.f3 Bd7 37.Qe7 Qxe7 38.Rxe7 Bf5 39.Bb3 Kh8 40.d6 Rd8 41.Rh7# 1-0 (41) Rory_Sutherland (2647)-Calzonesdesuperman (2615) Blitz 2024]

17...Nxe5 18.Rxe5 Nb5 19.Bb3 Qd4 20.Qxd4 Nxd4 21.f3 Bd7 22.Kf2 Rfe8 23.Rxh5 Nxb3 24.axb3 f6 25.d6 cxd6 26.Rd5 Be6 27.Rxd6 Rad8 28.Rhd1 Rxd6 29.Rxd6 Kf7 30.b4 Re7 31.Rd4 Rc7 32.g4 g6 33.Ke3 Ke7 34.Ne4 Rc2 35.Nc5 Rxb2 36.Re4 1-0 (36) Feokl1995 (3053)-NIndja64 (2899) Blitz 2021

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[6...Bb6 7.d4 0-0

A) 8.dxe5 Nxe4 9.Qd5 *(9.Nbd2 d5 10.Bxc6 bxc6 11.Nxe4 dxe4 12.Nd4 Qd5 13.Bf4 Rd8 14.Qc2 c5 15.Ne2 Bb7 16.c4 Qd3 17.Rac1 Ba5 18.Be3 Bd2 19.Nf4 Qxc2 20.Rxc2 Bxe3 21.fxe3 Re8 22.Rd2 Bc6 23.Nd5 Rac8 24.Rf5 Bd7 25.Rg5 Kf8 26.Rh5 h6 27.Nf6 gxf6 28.Rxd7 Rxe5 29.Rxh6 Kg7 30.Rh3 Rb8 31.Rg3+ Kf8 32.b3 a5 33.Rxc7 a4 34.Rh3 Kg7 35.Rg3+ Kf8 36.Rh3 Kg7 37.Rg3+ Kf8* ½-½ (37) Hanskai (2664)-sony7 (2601) Blitz 2020*)* 9...Nc5 10.Bc2 Re8 11.Bg5 Ne7 12.Qd1 Ne6 13.Re1 Nxg5 14.Nxg5 Ng6 15.Qh5 Qf6 16.Qxh7+ Kf8 17.Nf3 Rxe5 18.Nbd2 Re6 19.Rxe6 dxe6 20.Bxg6 Qxg6 21.Qxg6 fxg6 22.Ne5 Ke7 23.Ne4 g5 24.Rd1 c6 25.Nd6 Bc7 26.Ng6+ Kf6 27.Ne8+ Kxg6 28.Nxc7 Rb8 29.Rd8 Kf7 30.Re8 b5 31.b4 a5 32.bxa5 b4 33.cxb4 Rxb4 34.h4 Bd7 35.Rd8 Rd4 36.hxg5 Ke7 37.Rg8 Kd6 38.a6 Ra4 39.Ne8+ Ke5 40.Nxg7 c5 41.Nh5 Rxa6 42.Nf6 Bc6 43.Rc8 Rxa2 44.Ng4+ Kf5 45.f3 1-0 (45) hungzhao (2692)-T_A_T_A_P (2509) Blitz 2024;

B) 8.Nbd2 exd4 9.e5 dxc3 10.exf6 cxd2 11.fxg7 Re8 12.Bxd2 d5 13.Bg5 Qd6 14.Bb3 Be6 15.Re1 d4 16.Bc2 Nb4 17.Be4 Bd5 18.Nd2 Kxg7 19.Qg4 Bxe4 20.Bf6+ Kxf6 21.Nxe4+ Rxe4 22.Rxe4 Nc2 23.Rd1 d3 24.h4 h6 25.Qf3+ Kg7 26.Rxd3 Nd4 27.Qg4+ Kf8 28.Rexd4 Bxd4 29.Rxd4 Qe5 30.Rd7 Re8 31.g3 Qxb2 32.Rxc7 Qb6 33.Qd7 Qb1+ 34.Kh2 Qxa2 35.Qd4 Kg8 36.Rxb7 Qe2 37.Qf4 Re7 38.Rxe7 Qxe7 39.Qxh6 Qc5 40.Qf4 a5 41.Kg1 Qb4 42.Qg5+ Kh7 43.Qf6 Kg8 44.h5 a4 45.h6 Qb1+ 46.Kg2 Qe4+ 47.Kf1 Qb1+ 48.Ke2 Qa2+ 49.Kd3 Qb3+ 50.Qc3 Qd1+ 51.Kc4 Qg4+ 52.Kb5 a3 53.Qxa3 Qe2+ 54.Kc6 Qe4+ 55.Kc7 Qc2+ 56.Kd8 Qxf2 57.Qd6 Qf5 58.Qf4 Qg6 59.Kc7 f6 60.Kd8 f5 61.Kd7 Qf7+ 62.Kd6 Qf6+ 63.Kc5 Kh7 64.Kd5 Kg6 65.Qe3 Kh7 66.Qe5 Qg6 67.Qe7+ Kxh6 68.Qh4+ Kg7 69.Ke5 Kf7 70.Kf4 Ke6 71.Kf3 Kd5 72.Qd8+ Ke6 73.Qb6+ Kf7 74.Qb7+ Ke6 75.Qc6+ Kf7 76.Qd7+ Kf8 77.Kg2 Qf7 78.Qd4 Qg6 79.Qd8+ Kg7 80.Qd4+ Kf8 81.Qd8+ Kg7 82.Qd4+ Kh7 83.Qd7+ Kg8 84.Kf2 Kh8 85.Qe7 Qg4 86.Qf7 Qe4 87.Qf8+ Kh7 88.Qf7+ Kh8 89.Qf8+ Kh7 90.Qf7+ Kh8 ½-½ (90) Cheng-4 (2732)-Lynx_BOT (2698) Rapid 2025]

[6...Nxe4 7.d4

A) 7...exd4 8.cxd4 Bb6 *(8...Be7 9.d5 Nb8 10.Re1 Nd6 11.Nc3 0-0 12.Bc2 Bf6 13.Bf4 Ne8 14.Qd3 g6 15.Bh6 Bg7 16.Bxg7 Nxg7 17.Qd4 d6 18.Ne4 Nd7 19.Neg5 Ne5 20.Nxe5 dxe5 21.Qh4 h5 22.Rad1 Re8 23.Qg3 Bf5 24.Bb3 Qd6 25.Nf3 Bg4 26.Bc2 f5 27.h3 f4 28.Qh4 Bf5 29.Bb3 e4 30.Nd4 Kh7 31.Ne6 Bxe6 32.dxe6 Qe5 33.Rd7 Kh6 34.Bc2 g5 35.Rxe4 Qxe4 36.Bxe4 gxh4 37.Bxb7*

Rad8 38.Rxc7 Nxe6 39.Rc6 Rd1+ 40.Kh2 Kg5 41.Bxa6 Nd4 42.Rc5+ Kf6 43.Bc4 Ne6 44.Rc6 Ke5 45.Bxe6 Rxe6 46.Rc5+ Kf6 47.Rxh5 Ree1 48.Rh6+ Kg5 49.Rg6+ Kxg6 50.g3 Rh1+ 51.Kg2 fxg3 52.Kf3 1-0 (52) DJaeggi (2614)-BughouseKnight (2602) Blitz 2021*)* 9.d5 Ne7 10.Bc2 Nd6 11.Nc3 0-0 12.Bxh7+ Kxh7 13.Ng5+ Kg6 14.Ne2 Kf6 15.Qd3 Nef5 16.Nh7+ Kg6 17.Nxf8+ Qxf8 18.g4 Kh7 19.gxf5 Kg8 20.f6 Qd8 21.fxg7 Qf6 22.Be3 Qxg7+ 23.Kh1 Kf8 24.Rg1 Qf6 25.Bxb6 cxb6 26.Ng3 Qxb2 27.Rae1 Qf6 28.Qa3 Qg6 29.Nf5 Kg8 30.Rxg6+ fxg6 31.Qxd6 gxf5 32.Qg6+ Kf8 33.Re8# 1-0 (33) Weiawaga (2647)-FataliiBot (2308) Blitz 2024;

B) 7...Bd6 8.Re1 f5 9.dxe5 Nxe5 10.Nxe5 Bxe5 11.Rxe4 fxe4 12.Qh5+ Kf8 13.Qxe5 Qe7 14.Qxc7 d5 15.Qxe7+ Kxe7 16.Be3 Bd7 17.Bb3 Bc6 18.Na3 h6 19.Nc2 g5 20.Rd1 Rad8 21.Nb4 Ke6 22.Bb6 Rd7 23.Re1 Kf5 24.h3 h5 25.Bc2 g4 26.h4 Re8 27.g3 Ree7 28.Bb3 Re8 29.Be3 Rc8 30.Nc2 Kg6 31.Nd4 Rf8 32.Ne6 Re8 33.Nf4+ Kf5 34.Nxh5 Bb5 35.Nf4 Bc4 36.Bd4 Bxb3 37.axb3 a5 38.Ng2 b5 39.Ne3+ Ke6 40.Nxg4 a4 41.Nf6 Ra8 42.Nxd7 Kxd7 43.bxa4 Rxa4 44.b4 Ke6 45.Kg2 Kf5 46.h5 Kg5 47.Rh1 Ra2 48.Be3+ Kf6 49.h6 1-0 (49) AgressiveMode (2720)-AmyMacdonald (2592) Blitz 2023]

[6...0-0

A) 7.Bc2 d5 8.exd5 Qxd5 9.d3 Rd8 *(9...Bg4 10.Nbd2 Rad8 11.b4 Ba7 12.Bb2 Rfe8 13.Qe1 Qd7 14.a4 b5 15.axb5 axb5 16.Ng5 Qf5 17.Nde4 Nd5 18.Ra6 Bb6 19.h3 Nf4 20.Rxb6 cxb6 21.Qe3 h6 22.Nf3 Bxh3 23.Ng3 Qg6 24.Nh4 Qg4 25.Qf3 Qxh4 26.Qxc6 Bxg2 27.Qxg2 Nxg2 28.Kxg2 f5 29.Rh1 Qg5 30.Bc1 f4 31.Rh5 Qg6 32.Bb3+ Kh8 33.Rh3 Rxd3 34.Bc2 Rxg3+ 35.fxg3 Qxc2+* 0-1 (35) redkostephan (2606)-RedWhite_SM (2493) Blitz 2024*)* 10.Nbd2 Bf5 11.Ne1 Ba7 12.Nc4 Bg4 13.Qd2 e4 14.Ne3 Qh5 15.d4 Be2 16.Bd1 Bxd1 17.Qxd1 Qg6 18.Kh1 Ne7 19.f4 exf3 20.Qxf3 Ned5 21.Nc4 Qe4 22.Ne5 Re8 23.Bg5 Qxf3 24.N1xf3 Ne4 25.Bh4 f6 26.Nd3 Ne3 27.Rfc1 Rad8 28.Nf2 c5 29.Nxe4 Rxe4 30.dxc5 Bxc5 31.Bf2 Rd5 32.Re1 Kf7 33.Re2 f5 34.Ng5+ Kf6 35.Nxe4+ fxe4 36.Bxe3 Bxe3 37.Rxe3 Ke5 38.Rae1 1-0 (38) Turtlefay (2698)-merrychristmas123 (2654) Blitz 2023;

B) 7.Nxe5 Nxe5 8.d4 Nxe4 9.dxc5 Nxc5 10.Bc2 d5 11.Bxh7+ Kxh7 12.Qh5+ Kg8 13.Qxe5 Nd3 14.Qg3 Nxc1 15.Rxc1 Bf5 16.Nd2 Re8 17.Nf3 Be4 18.Rd1 c6 19.Rd4 Qe7 20.h3 Rad8 21.Re1 Qf6 22.Ng5 Bg6 23.Re3 Rxe3 24.Qxe3 c5 25.Rxd5 Rc8 26.Rxc5 Rd8 27.Rd5 Rc8 28.Re5 Qd8 29.Re7 b5 30.f4 b4 31.cxb4 Kf8 32.Ra7 Rc2 33.Kh2 Kg8 34.Qd4 Qf8 35.Rxa6 f6 36.Qd5+ Kh8 37.Ra8 Rc8 38.Rxc8 Qxc8 39.Ne6 Bf7 40.Qd8+ Qxd8 41.Nxd8 Bd5 42.b5 Kg8 43.b6

1-0 (43) drawingchest (2620)-justdrinkRadegast (2607) Blitz 2023;

C) 7.d4]

[6...d6 7.d4 b5 *(7...Ba7 8.dxe5 Nxe4 9.Qe2 d5 10.Nbd2 Nc5 11.Bc2 0-0 12.Nb3 Bg4 13.Bf4 Bh5 14.Rad1 Nxb3 15.Bxb3 d4 16.h3 Re8 17.g4 Bg6 18.Rfe1 d3 19.Qf1 Na5 20.Bc2 Qd5 21.Nh4 Qxa2 22.Bxd3 Qxb2 23.Nxg6 hxg6 24.Bd2 Re6 25.Re2 Qa3 26.Rb1 Qe7 27.Qe1 Re8 28.Bf4 Bb6 29.Bg3 Nc6 30.Bc4 Nxe5 31.Bxe5 Rxe5 32.Rbb2 Kf8 33.Rxe5 Qxe5 34.Re2 Qg3+ 35.Kf1 Qxh3+ 36.Kg1 Qg3+ 37.Kf1 Qh3+ 38.Kg1 Qxg4+ 39.Kh1 Qh3+ 40.Kg1 Qg3+ 41.Kf1 Qh3+ 42.Kg1 Rxe2 43.Qxe2 Qxc3 44.Bd5 Qa1+ 45.Kg2 Qf6 46.Bxb7 Qg5+ 47.Kf1 a5 48.Bc6 Qe7 49.Qa6 Kg8 50.Qa8+ Qf8 51.Be4 Qxa8 52.Bxa8 Kf8 53.Bd5 Ke7 54.Ke2 a4 55.f3 a3 56.Kd3 f6 57.Ba2 Kd6 58.Ke4 Kc5 59.Bf7 Kb4 60.Kd3 g5 61.Be6 f5 62.Kc2 g6 63.Bf7 g4 64.fxg4 fxg4 65.Bxg6 g3 66.Be4 Bd4 67.Bd5 a2* 0-1 (67) Petrosyan,M (2637)-Aradhya,G (2236) chess.com INT 2022 *)* 8.dxc5 bxa4 9.Qxa4 Bd7 10.cxd6 cxd6 11.Nbd2 0-0 12.Qc2 Rc8 13.Qd3 Be6 14.Qxa6 Nh5 15.Re1 f5 16.exf5 Nb8 17.Qa3 Bxf5 18.Nf1 Bg4 19.Ng5 Qe7 20.h3 Bd7 21.Ne4 Rc6 22.Qb3+ Be6 23.Qd1 Nf4 24.Bxf4 Rxf4 25.Neg3 Qf7 26.Qd2 h6 27.Ne3 Nd7 28.a4 Nc5 29.Qe2 e4 30.a5 Bc8 31.Qh5 Rxf2 32.Qxf7+ Rxf7 33.Nd5 Be6 34.Nb4 Rcc7 35.Nxe4 Nxe4 36.Rxe4 Bf5 37.Rd4 Rfd7 38.a6 Kh7 39.Ra5 Be6 40.Nd5 Ra7 41.Nb4 1-0 (41) Karpov,A (2679)-Markantonaki,H (2056) Rethymnon GRE 2001]

7.Bc2 d5

[7...d6 8.d4 Ba7 9.h3 Bb7 *(9...h6 10.Be3 Ne7 11.Qd2 0-0 12.a4 c6 13.dxe5 dxe5 14.Qxd8 Rxd8 15.Bxa7 Rxa7 16.axb5 cxb5 17.Nxe5 Ng6 18.Nxg6 fxg6 19.e5 Nh7 20.Bxg6 Be6 21.Bxh7+ Kxh7 22.Na3 Rc7 23.Nc2 Rd2 24.Nd4 Bc4 25.Rfe1 Rxb2 26.e6 Re7 27.Nf5 Rxe6 28.Rxe6 Bxe6 29.Nd4 Bc4 30.Rxa6 Rb1+ 31.Kh2 Rc1 32.Rc6 Rxc3 33.Nxb5 Rxh3+ 34.Kxh3 Bxb5 35.Rc7 Bd3 36.g4 Kg6 37.f4 h5 38.Rc6+ Kh7 39.gxh5 Be2 40.Kh4 Bf3 41.Rd6 Be2 42.Kg5 Bf3 43.f5 Be4 44.Rd7 Kg8 45.Kg6 Bf3 46.Rd8#* 1-0 (46) kivanchaznedaroglu (2652)-RSNT95 (2728) Blitz 2021*)* 10.Be3 exd4 11.cxd4 Nb4 12.Nbd2 Nxc2 13.Qxc2 0-0 14.Bg5 h6 15.Bxf6 Qxf6 16.Qxc7 Rab8 17.Qc3 Rbc8 18.Qb4 Rc2 19.Rfc1 Rfc8 20.Rxc2 Rxc2 21.Qb3 Rc7 22.Qb4 Qe6 23.Re1 Rc2 24.a4 Qd7 25.a5 Qe6 26.Qa3 Kh8 27.Qd3 Qc8 28.Qa3 Rc1 29.Kf1 Rc2 30.Rd1 Qe6 31.Rb1 Rc7 32.d5 Qg6 33.Qd3 Rc5 34.b4 Rc8 35.Ra1 Kg8 36.Ra2 Rc1+ 37.Ne1 Qf6 38.Ndf3 Rc3 39.Qe2 Qe7 40.Rc2 Rxc2 41.Nxc2 f5 42.exf5 Qf7 43.Nfd4 Bxd5 44.Qe3 Kh7 45.Qf4 Qf6 46.g4 Qh4 47.Ne3 Qxh3+ 48.Ke2 Bc4+ 49.Nxc4 bxc4 50.Qf3 Qxf3+ 51.Nxf3 Kg8 52.Nh4 Kf7 53.Ng2 Bd4 54.Ne3 Ke7 55.f4 Kd7 56.g5 h5 57.f6 gxf6 58.g6 Ke8 59.Nxc4 d5 60.Ne3 Kf8 61.Nxd5 Kg7 62.f5 Be5 63.b5 axb5 64.a6 Bb8 65.Ne7 Ba7 66.Nc6 Bc5 67.a7 Bxa7 68.Nxa7 b4 69.Kf2 b3 70.Nb5 h4 71.Kg2 b2 72.Nc3 Kh6 73.Kh3

Kg7 74.Kxh4 Kf8 75.Kh5 Kg7 76.Nb1 Kg8 77.Kh6 Kh8 78.Nc3 Kg8 79.g7 Kf7 80.Kh7 Ke7 81.g8Q b1Q 82.Nxb1 Kd6 83.Qc4 Kd7 84.Qc5 Kd8 85.Nc3 Kd7 86.Nd5 Kd8 87.Qc7+ Ke8 88.Qe7# 1-0 (88) LeelaMultiPoss (2946)-expositor (2604) Classical 2024]

[7...0-0 8.d4 Bd6 *(8...Bb6 9.dxe5 Ng4 10.Bf4 Re8 11.Nbd2 Ngxe5 12.Nxe5 Nxe5 13.a4 Bb7 14.b4 Ng6 15.Bg3 d5 16.axb5 dxe4 17.Nc4 axb5 18.Rxa8 Qxa8 19.Nxb6 cxb6 20.Qd6 e3 21.fxe3 Bxg2 22.Rxf7 Bh3 23.Rf2 Rxe3 24.Bb3+ Kh8 25.Qd2 Qe8 26.Rf7 h6 27.Bf2 Qe4 28.Qd8+ Kh7 29.Rxg7+ Kxg7 30.Qg8+ Kf6 31.Qf7+ Kg5 32.Qd5+ Ne5 33.Qd8+ Kh5 34.Qe8+ Ng6 35.Bd1+ Bg4 36.Qxe4 Rxe4 37.Bc2 Re2 38.Bd3 Ra2 39.Bd4 Nf4 40.Be4 Ra1+ 41.Kf2 Nh3+ 42.Kg3 Rg1+ 43.Bxg1 Nxg1 44.Bd5 Ne2+ 45.Kf2 Nxc3 46.Bf7+ Kg5 47.Bd5 Kh4 48.Bg2* 1-0 (48) FrancoyElsa (2615)-AmyMacdonald (2645) Blitz 2023*)* 9.dxe5 Nxe5 10.Nxe5 Bxe5 11.f4 Bd6 12.e5 Bc5+ 13.Kh1 Ne8 14.Qd5 Bb6 15.Qxa8 c6 16.a4 Qc7 17.axb5 Bb7 18.Qxb7 Qxb7 19.bxa6 Qa7 20.Nd2 d5 21.Nb3 Nc7 22.f5 c5 23.Bf4 Nxa6 24.f6 Qb7 25.fxg7 Re8 26.Rad1 Kxg7 27.Bg5 Bd8 28.Bf6+ Bxf6 29.exf6+ Kh8 30.Rde1 Qb8 31.Na5 Nc7 32.Nc6 Qxb2 33.Bf5 Qxc3 34.Rc1 Qd2 35.Rcd1 Qg5 36.Bd7 Rg8 37.Bh3 d4 38.Rde1 Ne6 39.Ne5 Rf8 40.Nd7 Rg8 41.Ne5 Rf8 42.Nd7 Rg8 43.Ne5 ½-½ (43) Maldnus_Blundersen (2637)-AmyMacdonald (2641) Blitz 2023]

8.d3

[8.d4 dxe4 9.Nxe5 Nxe5 10.dxc5 Qxd1 11.Rxd1 Ng6 12.a4 Bb7 13.axb5 axb5 14.Rxa8+ Bxa8 15.Na3 Bc6 16.Bg5 0-0 17.Bb3 Re8 18.Nc2 h6 19.Bxf6 gxf6 20.Nb4 Bb7 21.Rd7 Re7 22.Rd8+ Kg7 23.c6 Bxc6 24.Nxc6 1-0 (24) Esssquire (2735)-retardedplatypus123 (2649) Blitz 2021]

[8.exd5 Qxd5 *(8...Nxd5 9.d4 exd4 10.cxd4 Be7 11.Nc3 Be6 12.Re1 0-0 13.a3 Bf6 14.Ne4 Bg4 15.Nxf6+ Qxf6 16.Be4 Rad8 17.Bg5 Qxg5 18.Nxg5 Bxd1 19.Rexd1 h6 20.Rac1 Na5 21.Nf3 Nb3 22.Rc6 Rfe8 23.Bc2 Na5 24.Rxa6 Nc4 25.b3 Nc3 26.Rd3 Ne2+ 27.Kf1 Nb6 28.g3 Nd5 29.Rc6 Rd6 30.Rc5 Nc1 31.Rd2 c6 32.Bd1 Rf6 33.Rxc1* 1-0 (33) cheburashka15 (2654)-Niclasen,A (1448) Blitz 2023 *)*

A) 9.d4 exd4 10.Re1+ Be6 11.cxd4 *(11.Bb3 Qd6 12.Bxe6 fxe6 13.Ng5 e5 14.Qb3 0-0-0 15.Nf7 Qd5 16.Nxh8 Rxh8 17.Nd2 Rf8 18.Qxd5 Nxd5 19.Ne4 Bb6 20.a4 Na5 21.axb5 axb5 22.Bd2 Nb3 23.Rad1 Nxd2 24.Rxd2 Nf4 25.g3 Ne6 26.Kg2 Kb7 27.Rdd1 Rf5 28.h4 h5 29.Re2 Kc6 30.f3 g5 31.hxg5 Nxg5 32.Nxg5 Rxg5 33.Kh3 Bc5 34.Rde1 Bd6 35.Re4 dxc3 36.bxc3 Kd5 37.Kh4 Be7 38.Kh3 Bd6 39.Rd1+ Ke6 40.Kh4 Rf5 41.Rd3 Be7+ 42.Kh3 Bd6 43.Kg2 c5 44.Rd1 c4 45.Ra1 Kd7 46.Ra6 Rf6 47.Rb6 Kc7 48.Rxb5 Kc6 49.Ra5 Rf7 50.Ra1 Rb7 51.Rxc4+ Kd5 52.Re4 Rb2+ 53.Kh3 Rc2 54.Rf1 Ke6 55.Kh4 Rb2 56.Kxh5 Rb8 57.Kg6 Be7*

58.Kh7 Rf8 59.Rfe1 Rf7+ 60.Kh6 Kf6 61.Rxe5 Bf8+ 62.Kh5 Rh7+ 63.Kg4 Rg7+ 64.Kf4 Rf7 65.Ke4 Kg7 66.Re6 Rb7 67.Ke3 Rf7 68.Kd3 Bc5 69.Rg6+ Kxg6 70.Kc4 Rd7 71.Re6+ 1-0 (71) RL12 (2613)-retardedplatypus123 (2609) Blitz 2021*)* 11...Nxd4 12.Nxd4 Qxd4 13.Qxd4 Bxd4 14.Nc3 0-0 15.Bg5 h6 16.Bf4 Bb6 17.Rad1 Rad8 18.h3 Rfe8 19.a3 Kf8 20.Be5 Nd7 21.Bg3 Nf6 22.Be5 Ke7 23.g4 Rxd1 24.Rxd1 Rd8 25.Re1 Rd2 26.Re2 Rxe2 27.Nxe2 g5 28.Kg2 Bd5+ 29.f3 Be6 30.Ng3 Nd5 31.Be4 Ne3+ 32.Kh2 f6 33.Bc3 Nd1 34.Nf5+ Bxf5 35.Bxf5 Nxc3 36.bxc3 Bc5 37.Bc8 Bxa3 38.Bxa6 Bb2 39.Bxb5 Bxc3 40.Kg2 Bd2 41.Kf1 Kd6 42.Ke2 Bf4 43.Be8 Kc5 44.Kd3 Kb4 45.Bc6 Kc5 46.Be8 c6 47.Ke4 Kd6 48.Kf5 Be5 49.Kg6 c5 50.Bf7 Kc6 51.Kxh6 Kb5 52.Kh5 c4 53.h4 gxh4 54.Kxh4 c3 55.Bb3 Kb4 56.Bc2 Ka3 57.Kh5 Kb2 58.Be4 c2 59.Bxc2 Kxc2 60.Kg6 Bc3 61.Kf5 Kd3 62.f4 Ke3 63.g5 fxg5 64.fxg5 Bd4 65.g6 Bc3 66.Ke6 Bg7 67.Kf7 Bd4 68.Ke6 Ke4 69.Kd6 Be5+ 70.Ke6 Kf4 71.Kf7 Kf5 72.g7 Bxg7 ½-½ (72) alina0220 (2642)-retardedplatypus123 (2574) Blitz 2022;

B) 9.Re1 0-0 10.Nxe5 Nxe5 11.d4 Bh3 12.gxh3 Nf3+ 13.Kf1 0-1 (13) samidescalona2002 (2666)-kartoGM (2669) Blitz 2021]

8...0-0 9.Nbd2 h6 10.Qe2 Be6 11.b4 Bb6 12.a4 d4 13.Bb2 Bg4 14.h3 Bh5 15.axb5 axb5 16.Rxa8 Qxa8 17.cxd4 exd4 18.g4 Bg6 19.Bb3 Qd8 20.Rc1 Nxb4 21.Ne5 Bh7 22.Ba3 c5 23.Bxb4 cxb4 24.Ndf3 Nd7 25.Qa2 Nxe5 26.Nxe5 Qg5 27.Rc6 Qxe5 28.Rxb6 h5 29.Kg2 hxg4 30.hxg4 Qf4 31.Qe2 Rb8 32.Rc6 Re8 33.Qf3 Qxf3+ 34.Kxf3 Kf8 35.Rb6 Rc8 36.Rxb5 Rc3 37.Bc4 Bg6 38.Rxb4 Ke7 39.g5 Kd6 40.Kf4 Rc2 41.f3 Bh5 42.e5+ Kc6 43.Ke4 Rf2 44.f4 Bg6+ 45.Kxd4 Rxf4+ 46.Ke3 Rf1 47.d4 Re1+ 48.Kd2 Rg1 49.Ra4 Rg2+ 50.Ke3 Rxg5 51.Ra6+ Kb7 52.Rd6 Rg3+ 53.Kf4 Rc3 54.Bd5+ Kc7 55.Ra6 Rd3 56.Ra7+ Kb6 57.Rb7+ Ka6 58.Rb4 Ka5 59.Rc4 Rd2 60.Rc5+ Kb4 61.Rc4+ Kb5 62.Ke3 Rd3+ 63.Kf4 Ra3 64.Rc5+ Kb6 65.Rc4 Rb3 66.Rc6+ Kb5 67.Bxb3 Kxc6 68.d5+ Kc5 69.Kg5 Be4 70.d6 Kc6 71.Bxf7 Kd7 72.Bg6 Bc6 73.Bf5+ Kd8 74.Kg6 Ke8 75.Kxg7 Kd8 76.e6 Ke8 77.e7 Bd5 78.Bg6+ Kd7 79.e8Q+ Kxd6 80.Qd8+ Kc5 81.Kf6 Kd4 82.Qe7 Bc4 ½-½ (82) Wollongong2021 (3004)-BMWHero (2826) Blitz 2022

6.d3 b5 7.Bb3

[7.Bc2 0-0 8.0-0 d6 9.a4 Bd7 10.Nbd2 h6 11.h3 Ba7 12.Re1 Re8 13.Nf1 Ne7 14.d4 Ng6 15.Ng3 c5 16.dxe5 dxe5 17.Be3 Bc6 18.axb5 Bxb5 19.Qc1 c4 20.Rd1 Qc7 21.Nf5 Bxe3 22.Qxe3 Kh7 23.Rd6 Re6 24.Rxe6 fxe6 25.Ng3 Nf4 26.Ne2 Rd8 27.Nxf4 exf4 28.e5+ Kg8 29.Qxf4 Bc6 30.Nd4 Nh5 31.Qg4 Qxe5 1-0 (31) gsvc (2731)-Like_a_Gin (2727) Blitz 2021]

7...d6 8.h3

[8.Bg5 h6 9.Bh4 g5 10.Nxg5 hxg5 11.Bxg5 Bxf2+ 12.Kxf2 Nxe4+ 13.dxe4 Qxg5 14.Nd2 Qh4+ 15.g3 Qf6+ 16.Qf3 Qxf3+ 17.Nxf3 Be6

18.h4 Ke7 19.Rag1 Bg4 20.Nh2 Bd7 21.Nf3 Na5 22.h5 Rag8 23.Rh4 Rg4 24.Rgh1 Rh6 25.Bd1 Rg8 26.g4 Rxg4 27.Rxg4 Bxg4 28.Nh4 Be6 29.b3 Nb7 30.Rg1 Nc5 31.Ke3 Kf8 32.Rf1 Nd7 33.Be2 Ke7 34.Rg1 Nf6 35.Rh1 Rh7 36.h6 Ng8 37.Nf5+ Bxf5 38.exf5 Rxh6 39.Rg1 Nf6 40.a4 Rh3+ 41.Kd2 Ne4+ 42.Ke1 Nxc3 43.Bf1 bxa4 44.Bxh3 a3 45.Kd2 Ne4+ 46.Kc2 Nc5 47.Ra1 Kf6 48.Kc3 a5 49.Bf1 Ne4+ 50.Kc2 Nc5 51.Be2 d5 52.Bc4 dxc4 53.bxc4 e4 54.Rxa3 Ke5 55.Rxa5 Kd6 56.Ra3 Nd7 57.Re3 Ne5 58.Rxe4 Nc6 59.Rd4+ Nxd4+ 0-1 (59) Den78 (2653)-Hirschman2104 (2566) Blitz 2022]

8...Bb6 9.Nbd2 Na5 10.Bc2 c5 11.Nf1 Nc6 12.Bg5 Be6 13.Ne3 h6 14.Bxf6 Qxf6 15.Bb3 c4 16.dxc4 Bxe3 17.fxe3 bxc4 18.Ba4 Kd7 19.0-0 Kc7 20.Bxc6 Kxc6 21.Nd4+ exd4 22.Rxf6 gxf6 23.cxd4 d5 24.Rc1 f5 25.Qa4+ Kb7 26.exd5 1-0 (26) Bakayoyo (2754)-BughouseKnight (2638) Blitz 2021

6.Bc2 0-0 7.d4 Ba7 8.0-0 d6 9.h3 h6

[9...Re8 10.Re1 exd4 11.cxd4 Nb4 12.Nc3 Nxc2 13.Qxc2 h6 14.Bf4 Nh7 15.Rad1 c6 16.Ne2 Qf6 17.Be3 Ng5 18.Nxg5 hxg5 19.Ng3 Bd7 20.e5 Qe6 21.Bxg5 dxe5 22.Rxe5 Qxa2 23.Nf5 f6 24.Rxe8+ Rxe8 25.Be3 Qd5 26.Ng3 Be6 27.Ne2 Bf5 28.Qc3 Bb8 29.Nf4 Bxf4 30.Bxf4 Re2 31.Be3 Rc2 32.Qb4 Qb5 33.Qe7 Rxb2 34.Qe8+ Kh7 35.Qh5+ Kg8 36.Qe8+ Kh7 37.Qh5+ Kg8 38.Qe8+ ½-½ (38) SummerKiwi (2650)-kon77 (2467) Blitz 2024]

10.Re1 Re8 11.Be3 b5 12.Nbd2 Bb7 13.d5 Ne7 14.Bxa7 Rxa7 15.c4 c6 16.b3 cxd5 17.cxd5 Qb6 18.Bd3 Raa8 19.a4 Rac8 20.Qe2 Nh5 21.axb5 Nf4 22.Qe3 Qxe3 23.Rxe3 Nxd3 24.bxa6 Bxa6 25.Rxa6 Rc1+ 26.Kh2 Nxf2 27.Rxd6 Ng6 28.Re1 Rc2 29.Rc6 Rb2 30.d6 Rd8 31.Nc4 Rxb3 32.Ncxe5 Nxe5 33.Nxe5 Nd3 34.Nxd3 Rxd3 35.e5 Rd5 36.Rc7 f6 37.exf6 gxf6 38.Ree7 R5xd6 39.Rg7+ Kh8 40.Rh7+ Kg8 41.Rcg7+ Kf8 42.Rf7+ Kg8 43.Rfg7+ Kf8 44.Rg6 Re6 45.Rgxh6 Rd2 46.Rg6 Rd5 47.h4 Rd3 48.h5 Ra6 1-0 (48) Praggnanandhaachess (2720)-Like_a_Gin (2725) Blitz 2021

105 **6...exd4** Krasenkow,Michal: 'or' 7.e5

[7.cxd4 Bb4+ Krasenkow,Michal: 'is more common in this system.'

A) 8.Nc3 Nxe4 9.0-0 Bxc3 10.bxc3 d5 *(10...b5 11.Bb3 d5 12.Re1 0-0 13.Bb2 Bg4 14.h3 Bh5 15.a4 Na5 16.Bc2 f5 17.Qd3 Nc4 18.Bc1 Bxf3 19.Qxf3 c6 20.Bf4 Qd7 21.Be5 Rae8 22.Bf4 Ra8 23.Qd3 Nb2 24.Qf1 Nc4 25.Qd3 Nb2 26.Qf3 Nc4 27.Qd3* ½-½ (27) greennight (2623)-Kumarmanglam118 (2300) Blitz 2024 *)* 11.Ba3 b5 12.Bc2 Bg4 13.h3 Bh5 14.Re1 f5 15.g4 fxg4 16.Bxe4 dxe4 17.Rxe4+ Kd7 18.Qb3 Kc8 19.hxg4 Bg6 20.Re3 Kb7 21.Rae1 Qf6 22.Ne5 Nxe5 23.Rxe5 Rad8 24.c4 Rxd4 25.cxb5 Rxg4+ 26.Kf1 a5 27.b6 cxb6 28.Re7+ Ka6 29.R1e6 Qa1+ 30.Ke2 Rb8 31.Bc5 Qb1 32.Qxb1 Bxb1 33.Be3 Bxa2 34.Rd6 Bc4+ 35.Kd2 Rg6 36.Rdd7 a4 37.Ra7+ Kb5 38.Re5+ Kb4 39.Kc2 Rd6

40.Bd2+ Rxd2+ 41.Kxd2 a3 42.Re4 a2 43.Rxa2 Rd8+ 44.Kc1 b5 45.Rb2+ Kc5 46.Rc2 1-0 (46) Poirot_Hercule (2721)-AmyMacdonald (2639) Blitz 2023;

B) 8.Bd2 Nxe4 *(8...Bxd2+ 9.Nbxd2 b5 10.Bb3 0-0 11.e5 Ne8 12.0-0 Bb7 13.Qe2 Na5 14.Bc2 d6 15.Ne4 Nc4 16.b3 Na3 17.Bd3 f5 18.exf6 Nxf6 19.Neg5 Re8 20.Qb2 b4 21.Rfe1 Bd5 22.Rxe8+ Qxe8 23.Re1 Qh5 24.Ne4 Re8 25.Nxf6+ gxf6 26.Rxe8+ Qxe8 27.Qe2 Qxe2 28.Bxe2 a5 29.Bd3 a4 30.Nd2 axb3 31.axb3 c6 32.Be4 Nb5 33.Bxd5+ cxd5 34.Nf3 Kf7 35.g4 Ke6 36.Kg2 Nc3 37.Kg3 Ne2+ 38.Kh4 Nc1 39.Nd2 Ne2 40.Nf3 Nc1 41.Nd2 Ne2 42.Kh5 Nxd4 43.Kh6 Kf7 44.Kxh7 Ne6 45.Kh6 d4 46.h4 Nc5 47.g5 fxg5 48.hxg5 Kg8 49.f4 d3 50.f5 d5 51.f6 Ne4 52.Nf3 d2 53.Nxd2 Nxd2 54.g6 Ne4 55.f7+ Kf8 56.Kh7 Nf6+ 57.Kh8 d4 58.g7+ Kxf7 59.g8Q+ Nxg8 60.Kh7 d3 61.Kh8 d2 62.Kh7 d1Q 63.Kh8 Qh1#* 0-1 (63) CaptainSploosh (2658)-JoKeR_Official (2681) Blitz 2022*)* 9.Bxb4 Nxb4 10.a3 *(10.Nc3 Nxc3 11.bxc3 Nc6 12.d5 Na5 13.d6 0-0 14.0-0 b5 15.Bc2 Bb7 16.Qd3 g6 17.Ne5 Re8 18.f4 Nc6 19.dxc7 Qxc7 20.Nxd7 Red8 21.Nf6+ Kg7 22.Nd5 Qd6 23.Bb3 Qc5+ 24.Kh1 Na5 25.f5 Bxd5 26.f6+ Kg8 27.Bxd5 Rxd5 28.Qh3 Rf5 29.Rxf5 Qxf5* 0-1 (29) chessiandо (2702)-aradhyagarg2000 (2722) Blitz 2023*; 10.0-0 0-0 11.Qe1 Qe7 12.Nc3 b6 13.Qxe4* 1-0 (13) JoeAssaad (2648)-amourmonstre (2620) Blitz 2024*)* 10...Nd5 11.Bb3 Ndf6 12.0-0 d5 13.Re1 0-0 14.Ne5 c6 15.f3 Nd6 16.Nc3 Nf5 17.g4 Nh4 18.Qd2 Nd7 19.Qf2 Nxe5 20.dxe5 Nxf3+ 21.Qxf3 Qb6+ 22.Re3 Qxb3 23.Rf1 d4 24.Rd3 dxc3 25.Qxf7+ Qxf7 0-1 (25) mezmez2000 (2808)-BughouseKnight (2650) Blitz 2021]

7...Ng4

[7...Ne4 8.cxd4 *(8.0-0 d5 9.cxd4 Ba7 10.h3 0-0 11.Nc3 Be6 12.Re1 Nxc3 13.bxc3 Ne7 14.Bc2 Bf5 15.Bg5 Qd7 16.Nh4 Bxc2 17.Qxc2 Rae8 18.Re3 c5 19.Bxe7 Rxe7 20.Rd1 f6 21.Nf5 Re6 22.Rde1 cxd4 23.cxd4 fxe5 24.Rxe5 Rxe5 25.Rxe5 Kh8 26.Ne7 Bb8 27.Qxh7+ Kxh7 28.Rh5#* 1-0 (28) Indjic,A (2612)-Aradhya,G (2198) chess.com INT 2021 *)* 8...Bb4+ 9.Nbd2 0-0 10.0-0 d5 11.Bxc6 bxc6 12.Nb3 Bg4 13.Be3 a5 14.a3 Be7 15.Rc1 a4 16.Nbd2 Nxd2 17.Qxd2 Bxf3 18.gxf3 Qd7 19.Kh1 Qh3 20.Qe2 Rab8 21.Rxc6 Rxb2 22.Qd1 Rfb8 23.Rg1 Rb1 24.Rc1 Rxc1 25.Bxc1 Rb3 26.Be3 Bxa3 27.Rg3 Qf5 28.Kg2 Bf8 29.Qc1 Qd7 30.Qc2 Rb6 31.f4 a3 32.Bc1 Rc6 33.Qb1 a2 34.Qa1 Rc2 35.Ba3 Qf5 36.Bxf8 Kxf8 37.Qe1 g6 38.e6 Qxe6 39.Qb4+ Kg7 0-1 (39) Biranidun (2746)-gmmitkov (2642) Blitz 2022]

[7...Nd5]

8.cxd4 Nxd4 9.Nxd4 Qh4

[9...Nxf2 10.Kxf2 Qh4+ 11.g3 Qxd4+ 12.Qxd4 Bxd4+ 13.Ke2 Bxe5 14.Re1 0-0 15.Nc3 d6 16.Bf4 Bg4+ 17.Kf2 Bf6 18.Rac1 Be6 19.Red1 Bg4 20.Rd2 Be6 21.Nd5 Bxd5 22.Rxd5 Rac8 23.Bd7 c6 24.Bxc8

Bxb2 25.Bxd6 Rd8 26.Rc2 cxd5 27.Bxb7 h5 28.Bc7 Bd4+ 29.Kg2 Rd7 30.Bxa6 g5 31.Bb5 Re7 32.Bd8 Re5 33.Bf6 Re4 34.Bxg5 Kg7 35.a4 Be5 36.a5 Rb4 37.Bc6 Rb1 38.Ra2 Bb8 39.Be3 Rd1 40.Rd2 Rxd2+ 41.Bxd2 d4 42.Kf3 f5 43.Ke2 Kf6 44.Bf4 Ba7 45.Kd3 Ke6 46.Bf3 Kd7 47.Bxh5 Kc6 48.Bf3+ Kb5 49.h4 Kxa5 50.h5 Bc5 51.h6 Bf8 52.Kxd4 Ba3 53.h7 Bb2+ 54.Kd5 Bc3 55.Be5 Be1 56.h8Q f4 57.Bc7+ Kb4 58.Qb2+ Ka4 59.Bd1# 1-0 (59) ElSenorBot (2688)-Boris-Trapsky (2253) Rapid 2020]

10.g3 Qh3 11.Be3 0-0

[11...Nxe5 12.Qe2 b5 13.Bc2 Bb7 14.Rf1 0-0 15.Nd2 Bxd4 16.Bxd4 Nc6 17.Be3 Nb4 18.Be4 d5 19.a3 dxe4 20.axb4 Qe6 21.Bc5 Rfe8 22.Kd1 h6 *(22...Rad8 23.Kc1 Rd7 24.Ra3 Red8 25.Nb3 Rd3 26.Na5 Qd5 27.Be3 Bc8 28.Kb1 c5 29.bxc5 Be6 30.Rc1 b4 31.Ra4 h6 32.c6 Qb5 33.Ra1 Rc8 34.Rc5 Qb8 35.Ra4 Qb6 36.Qe1 b3 37.Rc1 Qb5 38.Qb4 Qh5 39.Ra3 Rd1 40.Nxb3 Rxc6 41.Nc5 Rxc1+ 42.Kxc1 Bg4 43.b3 Qg6 44.Kb2 Kh7 45.Ra4 Bh3 46.Qxe4 Bf5 47.Qe5 a5 48.Rxa5 Qg4 49.Bd4 f6 50.Qd5 Rc8 51.f3 Qg6 52.Ne4 Bh3 53.Bc3 Rf8 54.b4 Bc8 55.Ra7 Bh3 56.g4 Kh8 57.Ra8 Rxa8 58.Qxa8+ Kh7 59.Qb7 Kg8 60.Qb8+ Kh7 61.Qc7 Kh8 62.b5 Bg2 63.b6 Bxf3 64.b7 Bxe4 65.b8Q+ Kh7 66.Qf8 Qg5 67.Qxf6 Qb5+ 68.Ka3 Qc5+ 69.Qxc5 gxf6 70.Qe7+ Kg8 71.Qxf6 Bf5 72.Qg7# 1-0 (72) ToromBot (2953)-expositor (2725) Rapid 2024)* 23.Re1 Qd5 24.Qe3 Rad8 25.Kc1 Qh5 26.h4 Bc8 27.Nb3 Bb7 28.Ra3 Rd5 29.Qe2 Qg6 30.Rd1 e3 31.Rxd5 Bxd5 32.Bxe3 Qe4 33.Nc5 Qxb4 34.Nxa6 Qe4 35.Nc5 Qb4 36.Qc2 c6 37.Qc3 Qg4 38.Ra7 Qf3 39.b3 Kh7 40.Kb2 Kh8 41.Nd3 Qe2+ 42.Qc2 Qf3 43.Nf4 b4 44.Qd3 Be4 45.Qe2 Qh1 46.Ra1 Qh2 47.Qc4 f6 48.Qf7 Rg8 49.Qe6 Bd5 50.Ng6+ Kh7 51.Qf5 Rd8 52.Nf8+ Kg8 53.Qh7+ Kxf8 54.Ra7 Rd7 55.Rxd7 Qxg3 56.Qh8+ Bg8 57.fxg3 Ke8 58.Qxg7 Bc4 59.Qe7# 1-0 (59) ToromBot (2963)-expositor (2723) Rapid 2024]

[11...Nxe3 12.fxe3 0-0 13.Nc3 d6 14.exd6 Bxd6 15.Qf3 Be5 16.Qe4 Bxd4 17.Qxd4 b5 18.Bb3 Bg4 19.Qd2 Rad8 20.Qf2 c5 21.Bd5 Qh6 22.Bg2 Bh3 23.Bxh3 Qxh3 24.Qf3 Qe6 25.0-0 Rd2 26.Rf2 Rd3 27.Re1 Rfd8 28.Qf5 Qe7 29.Ref1 f6 30.e4 c4 31.a3 Re8 32.Kg2 Qd8 33.Qg4 Kh8 34.Re2 Kg8 35.Rf3 Rd6 36.Rf5 Qc8 37.Qf4 Rde6 38.Rd2 Kh8 39.Rfd5 R6e7 40.Qf5 Qb8 41.Qg4 h6 42.Rd7 a5 43.R2d6 Rxd7 44.Rxd7 Rg8 45.Nd5 Qe5 46.Ne7 f5 47.exf5 Qf6 48.Qe4 Qxb2+ 49.Kh3 Qf6 50.Nxg8 Kxg8 51.Qe8+ Qf8 52.Qe6+ Kh8 53.Qg6 b4 54.Rc7 Kg8 55.f6 Qxf6 56.Rc8+ Qf8 57.Qe6+ Kh7 58.Rxf8 h5 59.Qf5+ g6 60.Qf6 h4 61.Rh8# Normal 1-0 (61) MaggiChess16 (2880)-expositor (2707) Rapid 2024]

12.Nd2 d6 13.Qe2 Nxe3 14.fxe3 Bg4 15.N4f3 b5 16.Bc2 Rae8 17.0-0-0 Rxe5 18.e4 Qh6

[18...Ree8 19.Qd3 Bb4 20.Rdf1 c5 21.Qxd6 Rd8 22.Qf4 f6 23.Kb1 c4 24.a3 Be7 25.e5 fxe5 26.Qxe5 Bf6 27.Qe3 Bf5 28.Ne4 Kh8 29.Rf2 Rde8 30.Nfg5 Bxg5 31.Qxg5 h6

32.Qd2 Rd8 33.Qf4 a5 34.Rhf1 b4 35.Ka1 c3 36.bxc3 b3 37.Bb1 Rb8 38.Kb2 Rbe8 39.Qd6 Rf7 40.Qd4 Qg4 41.h3 Qxh3 42.Nd6 Bxb1 43.Nxf7+ Kh7 44.Rxb1 a4 45.Qd3+ g6 46.Nd6 Rg8 47.Rbf1 Qe6 48.Ne4 Re8 49.Qd4 Qf5 50.Rxf5 gxf5 51.Qd7+ Re7 52.Qxf5+ Kg7 53.Qg4+ Kh7 54.Nf6+ Kh8 55.Qg8# Normal 1-0 (55) MaggiChess16 (2896)-expositor (2755) Rapid 2024] 19.Kb1 Bb6 20.Qf1 Rh5 21.h4 Qe6 22.Rc1 Qc8 23.Nh2 Be6 24.Qe2 Rc5 25.Nhf3 h6 26.Nd4 Bg4 27.Qd3 Qd7 28.Rhf1 Re8 29.Rf4 a5 30.Bb3 Rxc1+ 31.Kxc1 d5 32.Bxd5 Bxd4 33.Qxd4 Be6 34.Nf3 Rf8 35.Ne5 Qd6 36.Nc6 Re8 37.Rf3 a4 38.a3 f6 39.Qb4 Qd7 40.Qxb5 Kh8 41.Nd4 c6 42.Nxc6 Bf7 43.Nd4 Qa7 44.Bxf7 Qxf7 45.Qxa4 Rxe4 46.Qd1 Re8 47.Nc2 f5 48.Qd3 Qc7 49.Rxf5 Re1+ 50.Kd2 Re8 51.Rd5 Kg8 52.b4 Qe7 53.a4 Kh8 54.a5 Rb8 55.Kc1 Qf8 56.Rd7 Rc8 57.a6 h5 58.a7 Qg8 59.Kb2 Qe8 60.Qd4 Qf8 61.b5 Kg8 62.b6 Ra8 63.b7 Rxa7 64.Qxa7 Qf6+ 65.Qd4 Qf8 66.Rd8 Qxd8 67.Qxd8+ Kh7 68.Qd3+ g6 69.b8Q Kg7 70.Qd7+ Kf6 71.Qf4# 1-0 (71) LeelaMultiPoss (2981)-expositor (2613) Blitz 2023

106 **7.Bg5** h6 8.Bh4 g5 9.Bg3 [9.Nxg5 hxg5 10.Bxg5 Rg8 11.h4 d6 12.dxe5 Bxf2+ 13.Kf1 Bb6 14.exf6 Be6 15.Nd2 Qd7 16.Bb3 0-0-0 17.Nf3 Kb8 18.Qd3 Qe8 19.Re1 Ne5 20.Nxe5 dxe5 21.Qe2 Qc6 22.g3 Qd7 23.Kg2 Bg4 24.Qc2 Rgf8 25.Rd1 Bxd1 26.Rxd1 Qg4 27.Re1 Rd7 28.Qe2 1-0 (28) EleKtRoMaGnIt (2823)-Agressive_Style (2790) Blitz 2022] 9...d6 10.0-0 Bd7 11.Re1 0-0 12.Bxc6 Bxc6 13.Nbd2 exd4 14.Nxd4 Re8 15.e5 dxe5 16.Bxe5 Qd5 17.Nxc6 Qxc6 18.Nb3 Bxf2+ 19.Kxf2 Ne4+ 20.Rxe4 Qxe4 21.Bd4 Rad8 22.Qf3 Qxf3+ 23.gxf3 b6 24.a4 f5 25.f4 c5 26.Be5 gxf4 27.Bxf4 Re4 28.Bxh6 Rde8 29.Nc1 Rh4 30.Bg5 Rxh2+ 31.Kf3 Rxb2 32.Nd3 Rb3 33.Rc1 Kf7 34.Nf4 Re4 35.Bh4 Rxa4 36.Be1 Re4 37.Bd2 Rb2 38.Be3 Rb3 39.Bd2 b5 40.Rh1 Rb2 41.Be3 Rb3 42.Bd2 b4 43.Rh7+ Kg8 44.Rb7 bxc3 45.Rxb3 cxd2 46.Rd3 Rd4 0-1 (46) MarinBosiocic (2843)-Agressive_Style (2826) Blitz 2022

7.Bxc6 dxc6 8.Nxe5 0-0 9.Bg5 h6 10.Bxf6 Qxf6 11.Nd2 c5 12.Ndf3 cxd4 13.cxd4 Rd8 14.0-0 Bxd4 15.Nxd4 Qxe5 16.Nf3 Rxd1 17.Nxe5 Rxa1 18.Rxa1 Be6 19.f4 Rd8 20.f5 Bc8 21.Rc1 c6 22.Nf3 Re8 23.Rc4 Bd7 24.Kf2 b5 25.Rd4 Re7 26.g4 c5 27.Rd6 a5 28.Ke3 f6 29.Kf4 b4 30.e5 fxe5+ 31.Nxe5 Be8 32.Rd5 Rc7 33.Rd8 Kf8 34.Ng6+ Kf7 35.b3 a4 36.bxa4 c4 37.Ne5+ Ke7 38.Rd4 c3 39.Rxb4 c2 40.Nd3 Bf7 41.Nc1 Rd7 42.a5 Rd1 43.Ne2 Re1 44.Rb7+ Kd6 45.Rb6+ Kc7 0-1 (45) berval (2617)-gmmitkov (2597) Blitz 2022

107 **7...Nxe4** 8.Re1 Krasenkow,Michal: 'is rather favorable for White.'

108 **8.Re1** d6 9.h3 [9.Bxc6 bxc6 10.h3 Qe8 *(10...exd4 11.cxd4 Re8 12.Nc3 h6 13.Bf4 c5 14.d5 Rb8 15.Qc2 Nd7 16.Rad1 Qf6 17.Bg3 Qg6 18.Nd2 Nf6 19.Kh2 Nh5 20.Nc4 Nxg3 21.fxg3 Bd7 22.b3 Re7 23.a4 Rbe8 24.Qf2 f5 25.e5 dxe5 26.d6 cxd6 27.Rxd6*

Qf7 28.Rxa6 Bb8 29.Qxc5 e4 30.Nd5 Re6 31.Nd6 Bxd6 32.Rxd6 Rxd6 33.Qxd6 Qe6 34.Qxe6+ Bxe6 35.Nc7 Re7 36.Nxe6 Rxe6 37.Kg1 g5 38.a5 f4 39.gxf4 gxf4 40.b4 e3 41.Kf1 Re4 42.Rb1 Kf7 43.a6 Re7 44.b5 e2+ 45.Ke1 Kf6 46.b6 f3 47.gxf3 Kf5 48.b7 Re8 49.b8Q Re6 50.Rb5+ Kg6 51.Qg8+ Kf6 52.Qf8+ Kg6 53.Qf5+ 1-0 (53) Hanskai (2691)-gmmitkov (2552) Blitz 2023*; 10...Re8 11.Nbd2 exd4 12.cxd4 c5 13.d5 Bb7 14.b3 c6 15.dxc6 Bxc6 16.Qc2 d5 17.exd5 Rxe1+ 18.Nxe1 Qxd5 19.Nc4 Re8 20.Be3 Qe6 21.Rd1 Nd5 22.Qd2 Nxe3 23.Qxe3 Qxe3 24.Nxe3 f6 25.Nc4 Bb8 26.Kf1 Bb5 27.Nf3 Kf7 28.Re1 Bxc4+ 29.bxc4 Rd8 30.Ke2 Bc7 31.Rd1 Rxd1 32.Kxd1 Ke6 33.Ke2 g5 34.Kd3 h5 35.g4 h4 36.Nd2 Ke5 37.Ke3 Ba5 38.Nf3+ Ke6 39.Ke4 Bc3 40.Ng1 Bd4 41.Ne2 Bxf2 42.Nc3 Bd4 43.Nd5 Be5 44.a4 a5 45.Ne3 Bf4 46.Nf5 Be5 47.Nh6 Bd4 48.Nf5 Kf7 49.Nxd4 cxd4 50.Kxd4 f5 51.gxf5 g4 52.Ke4 gxh3 53.Kf3 h2 54.Kg2 h1Q+ 55.Kxh1 h3 56.Kh2 Kf6 57.Kxh3 Kxf5 58.Kg3 Ke5 59.Kf3 Kd4 60.Ke2 Kxc4 61.Kd1 Kb4 62.Kc1 Kxa4 63.Kb1 Kb3 64.Ka1 Ka3 65.Kb1 Kb3 66.Ka1 Kc3 67.Kb1 Kc4 68.Ka1 Kc5 69.Kb1 Kc6 70.Ka1 Kb6 71.Kb1 Ka6 72.Ka1 Ka7 73.Kb1 Kb7 74.Ka1 Kb6 75.Kb1 Kc6 76.Ka1 Kc5 77.Kb1 Kb4 78.Ka1 Ka3 79.Kb1 Kb3* ½-½ (79) Ballsy_Binge (2642)-Gutemaus2019 (2615) Blitz 2023*)* 11.Nbd2 Nd7 12.Nc4 f6 13.b3 Kh8 14.Na5 c5 15.d5 f5 16.exf5 Rxf5 17.Nc6 Bb6 18.a4 a5 19.c4 Bb7 20.Qd3 Rf6 21.Ng5 Nf8 22.f4 Bxc6 23.dxc6 Rd8 24.f5 g6 25.Rf1 gxf5 26.Rxf5 Qg6 27.g4 h6 28.Nf3 Ne6 29.Nh4 Qh7 30.Qg3 Rdf8 31.Ra2 Nd4 32.Rg2 Qg7 33.Rxf6 Rxf6 34.g5 Re6 35.Qg4 h5 36.Qxh5+ Qh7 37.Qg4 Kg8 38.Rf2 Qe7 39.Qh5 Ne2+ 40.Rxe2 Qh7 41.Qg4 Qe7 42.g6 e4 43.Bg5 Rxg6 44.Nxg6 Qf7 45.Ne7+ Kg7 46.Be3+ Kf8 47.Bh6+ Kxe7 48.Rxe4+ Kd8 49.Bg5+ Qf6 50.Bxf6# 1-0 (50) jomfish_bot (2816)-admonitor (2748) Blitz 2024]

[9.d5 Ne7 10.c4 Ng6 11.Nc3 Ng4 12.Re2 f5 13.Bg5 Nf6 14.exf5 Bxf5 15.Bc2 Qd7 16.Bxf6 Rxf6 17.Ng5 Nf4 18.Re3 Bxe3 19.fxe3 Bxc2 20.Qxc2 Ng6 21.Nce4 Rf5 22.Ne6 Qf7 23.N4g5 Qf6 24.Ne4 Qh4 25.Nxc7 Raf8 26.Ne6 Rh5 27.h3 Rf7 28.Nxd6 Rd7 29.Nf5 Qf6 30.Ng3 Rh4 31.Rf1 Qe7 32.Nf5 Qf6 33.Nxh4 Qxh4 34.Qf5 Qe7 35.e4 Qf7 36.Qxf7+ Rxf7 37.Rxf7 Kxf7 38.Nd8+ Ke7 39.Nxb7 Nf4 40.c5 Ne2+ 41.Kf2 Nd4 42.c6 Nb5 43.a4 Nd4 44.d6+ Ke6 45.d7 Nxc6 46.d8Q Nxd8 47.Nxd8+ Kd6 48.Nf7+ Ke6 49.Ng5+ Kd6 50.Nxh7 Kc5 51.Ke3 Kb4 52.Ng5 Kxa4 53.Nf7 Kb3 54.Nxe5 Kxb2 55.Nc6 a5 56.Nxa5 Kc3 57.Nc6 Kc4 58.e5 Kc5 59.Ke4 Kxc6 60.Kf5 Kd7 61.e6+ Ke7 62.Ke5 g6 63.g4 g5 64.Kf5 Kd6 65.Kf6 Kd5 66.e7 Ke4 67.e8Q+ Kf4 68.Qe5+ Kf3 69.Qxg5 Kg3 70.Qf5 Kxh3 71.g5+ Kh4 72.g6 Kg3 73.g7 Kh4 74.g8Q ½-½ (74) MannyQT (2609)-IMFAR (2608) Blitz 2020]

9...b5

[9...h6 10.Bxc6 *(10.Na3 Bd7 11.Bb3 Re8 12.dxe5 Nxe5 13.Be3*

Bxe3 14.Rxe3 Nxf3+ 15.Qxf3 Be6 16.Nc2 Bxb3 17.axb3 Nd7 18.Nd4 Ne5 19.Qg3 Qg5 20.Rf1 Qxg3 21.Rxg3 Kh7 22.f4 Nc6 23.Nf5 g6 24.Ne3 Rxe4 25.Nd5 Re2 26.f5 g5 27.h4 gxh4 28.Rg4 Ne5 29.Nf6+ Kh8 30.Rxh4 Kg7 31.Nd5 c6 32.f6+ Kh7 33.Ne7 Ng6 34.Nxg6 fxg6 35.c4 Rf8 36.Rd4 Re6 37.f7 Kg7 38.Rfd1 Rxf7 39.Rxd6 Rxd6 40.Rxd6 h5 41.b4 h4 42.b5 axb5 43.cxb5 cxb5 44.Rb6 Rf5 45.Kh2 Kh6 46.Kh3 Kg5 47.Rxb7 Rd5 48.Rb6 Rd3+ 49.Kh2 Rb3 50.Rc6 Rxb2 51.Kh3 Rb3+ 52.Kh2 Kh5 53.Rc5+ g5 54.Rd5 Kg4 55.Rd4+ Kh5 56.Rd5 b4 57.Re5 Rb2 58.Kh3 Rb1 59.g4+ hxg3 60.Kxg3 Rb3+ 61.Kg2 Rc3 62.Rb5 b3 63.Kf2 Kh4 64.Ke2 g4 65.Kd2 Rc2+ 66.Kd3 1-0 (66) Blue_Pride (2678)-gmlectures (2600) Blitz 2024*)* 10...bxc6 11.dxe5 dxe5 12.Qxd8 Rxd8 13.Nxe5 Nxe4 14.Nxc6 Bxf2+ 15.Kf1 Bxe1 16.Nxd8 Bh4 17.Nc6 Ng3+ 18.Kf2 Bb7 19.Nd4 Re8 0-1 (19) NowIAmSerious (2765)-ikica77 (2658) Blitz 2023]

10.Bc2

[10.Bb3 h6 11.a4 Re8 12.axb5 axb5 13.Na3 1-0 (13) chess-art-us (2665)-Train_account (2646) Blitz 2024]

10...Bb7

[10...h6 11.a4 Rb8 12.axb5 axb5 13.d5 Bxf2+ 14.Kxf2 Ne7 15.Be3 Ng6 16.Nbd2 Nh5 17.Kg1 Ngf4 18.Nh2 b4 19.c4 Qg5 20.Qf3 f5 21.exf5 Bxf5 22.Bxf5 Rxf5 23.Qg4 Qf6 24.Ne4 Qf7 25.Rf1 Rf8 26.g3 1-0 (26) way-to-3000 (2636)-SlowGrinder (2714) Blitz 2024]

[10...Re8 11.a4 Bb7 12.axb5 axb5 13.Na3 b4 14.Nb5 Bb6 15.Rxa8 Qxa8 16.d5 Ne7 17.cxb4 h6 18.Be3 Qa6 19.Bd3 Bxe3 20.Rxe3 Qb6 21.Qb3 Ba6 22.Nxc7 Bxd3 23.Nxe8 Nxe8 24.Rxd3 Nf6 25.Re3 Nc8 26.Nd2 Qc7 27.Nc4 Nb6 28.Nxb6 Qxb6 29.Qc4 g6 30.b5 Qa5 31.Qe2 Nd7 32.Ra3 Qb4 33.Ra7 Nc5 34.Qf3 Qe1+ 35.Kh2 f5 36.Qg3 g5 37.exf5 Ne4 38.Qe3 Qb1 39.Rd7 Qc2 40.Qa3 Nd2 41.Qa8+ 1-0 (41) RL12 (2613)-retardedplatypus123 (2609) Blitz 2021]

11.Be3 exd4 12.cxd4 Nb4 13.Nbd2 Nxc2 14.Qxc2 Rc8 15.a4 bxa4 16.Bg5 h6 17.Bh4 g5 18.Nxg5 hxg5 19.Bxg5 Bxd4 20.Nf3 c5 21.Qxa4 Bxb2 22.Rab1 Bc3 23.e5 Qd7 24.Qh4 Nh7 25.Bh6 Qf5 26.Rxb7 Bxe1 27.Nxe1 Qxe5 28.Nf3 Qf6 29.Qg3+ Kh8 30.Bxf8 Rxf8 31.Nh2 Qe5 32.Qa3 Nf6 33.Qxa6 Kg7 34.Rb3 Qe1+ 35.Nf1 Ne4 36.Qa2 d5 37.Qb2+ f6 38.Re3 Qd1 39.Qb7+ Rf7 40.Qb8 Qa1 41.Rd3 Qe5 42.Qxe5 fxe5 43.Rxd5 Rxf2 44.Rxe5 Re2 45.Nd2 Rxd2 46.Rxe4 Rd8 47.Kf2 Rc8 48.Ke3 c4 49.Kd2 c3+ 50.Kc2 Kh6 51.Re5 Ra8 52.Re6+ Kg5 53.Kxc3 Rg8 54.Kd4 Kh4 55.Re4+ Kh5 56.g4+ Kh4 57.Re3 Rb8 58.Ke4 Rf8 59.Rb3 Rf4+ 60.Ke5 Rf8 61.Ke4 Rf4+ 62.Kd5 Rf8 63.Ke5 Kg5 64.Rb5 Rh8 65.Ke4+ Kg6 66.Rb6+ Kg5 67.Rb3 Rh7 68.Kf3 Rxh3+ 69.Ke4 Rxb3 0-1 (69) peonasesino71 (2847)-expositor (2654) Rapid 2023

8.dxe5 Nxe4 9.Qd5

[9.Bf4 Nc5 *(9...d5 10.exd6 Nxd6 11.Bxc6 bxc6 12.Nbd2 Qf6 13.Be5 Qg6 14.Bg3 f6 15.Re1 Qf7 16.Qa4 c5 17.Bxd6 cxd6 18.Ne4 d5 19.Nd6 Qd7 20.Qxd7 Bxd7 21.Rad1 d4 22.cxd4 cxd4 23.Nxd4 Rfd8 24.Ne6*

Bxe6 25.Rxe6 Rab8 26.Rde1 a5 27.g3 a4 28.R1e2 h5 29.Kg2 Kh7 30.Nf5 Bd4 31.R6e4 Bxb2 32.Rxa4 Rb5 33.Nh4 Rd7 34.Ra8 g5 35.a4 Rbb7 36.Nf3 Bc3 37.Rc8 Ba5 38.Rc5 Ra7 39.Rb2 Rdc7 40.Rbb5 Rxc5 41.Rxc5 Kg6 42.h3 Kf7 43.h4 g4 44.Nd4 Bb6 45.Rc4 Rd7 46.Nb3 Kg6 47.Rc2 Rd3 48.Nd2 Rd5 49.Nc4 ½-½ (49) Jerjex (2604)-expositor (2595) Blitz 2023*)* 10.Bc2 Ne6 11.Qd3 g6 12.Bh6 Re8 13.Nbd2 d6 14.Ne4 dxe5 15.Qxd8 Rxd8 16.Nf6+ Kh8 17.Rad1 b5 18.Be4 Bb7 19.Bxc6 Bxc6 20.Nxe5 Be8 21.Nxe8 Rxe8 22.Nxf7+ Kg8 23.Rd7 Bb6 24.Ne5 Rad8 25.Rfd1 Rxd7 26.Rxd7 Rd8 27.Kf1 Rxd7 28.Nxd7 Ba7 29.Nf6+ Kf7 30.Nxh7 Nc5 31.Ke2 g5 32.Bxg5 Kg6 33.Be3 Kxh7 34.b4 Na4 35.Bxa7 Nxc3+ 36.Kd2 Nd5 37.Bc5 Kg6 38.g3 Kf5 39.f3 Nf6 40.Be3 Nd5 41.a3 Nf6 42.h3 c6 43.g4+ Ke6 44.h4 Nd7 45.h5 Ne5 46.Ke2 Nc4 47.Bc1 Ne5 48.g5 Kf5 49.h6 Nf7 50.f4 Nd6 51.Kf3 Ne8 52.Bb2 Nd6 53.h7 Nf7 54.h8Q Nxh8 55.Bxh8 a5 56.Bd4 axb4 57.axb4 Ke6 58.Bc5 Kd5 59.Kg4 Ke6 60.f5+ Kf7 61.g6+ Ke8 62.Kf4 Kd7 63.Kg5 Kc7 64.f6 Kd7 65.f7 Ke6 66.f8Q Kd5 67.Qd6+ Kc4 68.g7 Kb3 69.g8Q+ Ka4 70.Qa2# 1-0 (70) Violet_Pride (2719)-gmmitkov (2641) Blitz 2022]

[9.Bc2 d5 10.exd6 Nxd6 11.h3 Bf5 12.Bf4 Ne4 13.Nbd2 1-0 (13) ZalfaPleya (2676)-mitsutszkisszucs (2594) Blitz 2023]

9...Nc5 10.Bc2 Ne7

[10...d6 11.Bg5 *(11.exd6 Qxd6 12.Qxd6 cxd6 13.Be3 Be6 14.Nbd2 h6 15.Rfe1 b5 16.Rad1 Na4 17.Bxa4 bxa4 18.Bxa7 Rxa7 19.Ne4 Rb8 20.Rxd6 Na5 21.Nc5 Bxa2 22.Nd4 Rxb2 23.Nxa4 Re7 24.Ra1 Rb1+ 25.Rxb1 Bxb1 26.f4 Bd3 27.Nb2 Bb5 28.Kf2 Rc7 29.Nxb5 axb5 30.Nd1 Rc5 31.Rd8+ Kh7 32.Ke3 Nc4+ 33.Kd3 Rf5 34.Ke4 Rf6 35.Rd5 Ra6 36.Kd4 Ra4 37.Kc5 Na3 38.g3 Rc4+ 39.Kd6 f6 40.Rd3 Nb1 41.Ke6 Kg6* ½-½ (41) Petters Merino,O (2617)-Mary,P (2199) LSS email 2009*)* 11...Be6 *(11...Qd7 12.exd6 Qxd6 13.Qxd6 cxd6 14.Bf4 Rd8 15.Nbd2 Bg4 16.h3 Bh5 17.Rfe1 Ne6 18.Be3 Bxe3 19.Rxe3 d5 20.Nb3 Bxf3 21.Rxf3 d4 22.Be4 Rac8 23.Bxc6 Rxc6 24.cxd4 Rc2 25.Rd3 Rxb2 26.a4 Nf4 27.Re3 g6 28.Rd1 Nd5 29.Rf3 Rc8 30.a5 Nc3 31.Rdd3 Rxb3 32.Kh2 Ra3 33.d5 Rxa5 34.Rxc3 Rxc3 35.Rxc3 Rxd5 36.Rc7 Rb5 37.g4 g5 38.Kg3 Kg7 39.f3 h6 40.h4 a5 41.h5 b6 42.Ra7 Rb4 43.Kf2 a4 44.Ke3 b5 45.Ra6 Rb3+ 46.Ke4 a3 47.f4 gxf4 48.Kxf4 b4 49.g5 hxg5+ 50.Kxg5 Rg3+ 51.Kf4 Rg2 52.h6+ Kh7 53.Ra4 a2* 0-1 (53) yaguigor (2608)-sdb2003 (2772) Blitz 2021*)* 12.Bxd8 Bxd5 13.Bxc7 Bxf3 14.gxf3 dxe5 *(14...Nxe5 15.Bxd6 Rfe8 16.Na3 Nxf3+ 17.Kg2 Nh4+ 18.Kh3 Ne4 19.Bg3 Nf3 20.Rad1 Ned2 21.Rh1 g5 22.Nb1 Nxb1 23.Bxb1 h5 24.Kg2 g4 25.h3 h4 26.hxg4 hxg3 27.Kxf3 gxf2 28.Rd7 Re1 29.Rd1 Rae8* 0-1 (29) Yiyi1984 (2731)-KColonel (2714) Blitz 2023*)* 15.Na3 Rac8 16.Bd6 Rfd8 17.Rad1 Ne6 18.Bf5 b5 19.Nc2 Rd7 20.Bxe6 fxe6 21.Nb4 Nxb4 22.Bxb4 Rcd8 23.Rde1 Rd5 24.Re2 Kf7 25.Rfe1

Kf6 26.Kg2 Bc5 27.Bxc5 Rxc5 28.f4 exf4 29.Rxe6+ Kf5 30.R1e2 g5 31.Rxa6 h5 32.f3 g4 33.Rh6 Kg5 34.Rhe6 Rd3 35.R2e5+ Rxe5 36.Rxe5+ Kh4 37.fxg4 hxg4 38.Rxb5 Rd2+ 39.Kf1 Rxh2 40.a4 g3 41.Rb8 f3 42.Rh8+ Kg4 43.Rg8+ Kf4 44.Rf8+ Ke3 45.Re8+ Kd3 46.Kg1 Rxb2 47.Rd8+ Kxc3 48.Rc8+ Kd3 49.Rc1 Ra2 0-1 (49) crackcubano (2742)-littleplotkin (2707) Blitz 2022]

11.Qc4

[11.Qd1 d5 *(11...Ng6 12.Re1 d5 13.h3 Re8 14.Bg5 Qd7 15.Nd4 Nxe5 16.Qh5 Ned3 17.Rxe8+ Qxe8 18.Nd2 Bd7 19.b4 f6 20.Qxe8+ Rxe8 21.Be3 Kf7 22.bxc5 Nxc5 23.N4f3 Bb6 24.Re1 Be6 25.Nd4 Bd7 26.N2b3 Ne4 27.Bxe4 dxe4 28.Nc2 Ba4 29.Bxb6 cxb6 30.Nb4 f5 31.Nd5 Re6 32.Nd4 Rd6 33.Ne3 g6 34.g4 f4 35.Ng2 g5 36.Rxe4 Rd5 37.h4 h6 38.Nf5 Bc6 39.Nxh6+ Kg7 40.Nf5+ Rxf5 41.Re7+ Rf7 42.Re6 f3 43.Ne3 gxh4 44.Nf5+ Kf8 45.Kh2 Bd7 46.Re5 Bxf5 47.gxf5 Rc7 48.Re3 Kf7 49.Rxf3 Kf6 50.Kh3 Rc4 51.Rd3 Ra4 52.Rd6+ Kxf5 53.Rxb6 Rxa2 54.Rxb7 Rxf2 55.Kxh4 Ra2 56.Rd7 Ke6 57.Rd4 Ra3 58.Kg4 Rxc3 59.Ra4 Rc6 60.Kf4 Kd5 61.Ke3 Kc5 62.Kd3 Kb5 63.Ra1 a5 64.Rb1+ Ka6 65.Ra1 Rc5 66.Kd4 Kb6 67.Rb1+ Kc6 68.Ra1 Rd5+ 69.Kc4 Rb5 70.Rh1 Rb4+ 71.Kc3 Kb5 72.Ra1 a4 73.Rf1 Rb3+ 74.Kc2 Kb4* 0-1 (74) DJaeggi (2626)-BughouseKnight (2658) Blitz 2021*)*

12.exd6 Qxd6 13.Qxd6 cxd6 14.Rd1 *(14.Bf4 Rd8 15.Nbd2 d5 16.Nb3 Ne6 17.Bg3 Bd7 18.Rfd1 Ba4 19.Nfd4 Nc6 20.Nxe6 fxe6 21.Nd4 Nxd4 22.Bxa4 Ne2+ 23.Kf1 Nxg3+ 24.hxg3 Rac8 25.Rd3 d4 26.Rad1 e5 27.Bb3+ Kh8 28.f3 Rf8 29.cxd4 Bxd4 30.Ke2 g6 31.R3d2 Kg7 32.Bd5 b5 33.Be4 h5 34.Rc2 Rxc2+ 35.Bxc2 Rc8 36.Be4 Kf6 37.a3 a5 38.Rd3 Rc2+ 39.Rd2 Rxd2+ 40.Kxd2 Bxb2 41.Bc6 Bxa3 42.Bxb5 g5 43.Ke3 Bc5+ 44.Ke4 Bf2 45.g4 h4 46.Ba4 Bg3 47.Kd5 Ke7 48.Bb5 Kd8 49.Kc6 Kc8 50.Ba4 Kb8 51.Bb5 Bf4 52.Ba4 Kc8 53.Bb5 Kd8 54.Ba4 Ke7 55.Kd5 Kd8 56.Kc6 Ke7 57.Kd5 Kd8 58.Kc6* ½-½ (58) JimHacker (2646)-Gutemaus2019 (2655) Blitz 2023*)*

14...Bf5 ½-½ (80) Karjakin,S (2739)-Onischuk,A (2699) Poikovsky 2010. The d6-weakness is compensated for by the activity of Black's pieces. *(14...Bg4 15.Rxd6 Bf5 16.Na3 Ne4 17.Bxe4 Bxe4 18.Rd1 Nf5 19.Bf4 Rfe8 20.Nc4 Bxf3 21.gxf3 Re2 22.Rd2 Bxf2+ 23.Kf1 Rxd2 24.Nxd2 Ba7 25.Ne4 Rd8 26.Ke2 f6 27.Rd1 Rxd1 28.Kxd1 Kf7 29.a4 Ke6 30.Ke2 h5 31.h3 Ne7 32.Bd2 Ke5 33.Ng3 g6 34.f4+ Ke6 35.Ne4 Nf5 36.b4 Bg1 37.Kd3 b6 38.c4 Ne7 39.Bc3 Kf5 40.Ng3+ Ke6 41.Ke4 Bf2 42.Ne2 Nf5 43.Kf3 Be3 44.Ke4 Bf2 45.Kf3 Be3 46.Ke4* ½-½ (46) Bacrot,E (2678)-Piorun,K (2608) Krasnaya Polyana RUS 2021 *)*]

11...d6 12.exd6 cxd6 13.Bg5 h6 14.Bxe7 Qxe7 15.Nbd2 b5

[15...Qf6 16.Ne4 Nxe4 17.Qxe4 g6 18.Rfe1 Kg7 19.Bb3 Bc5 20.Bd5 Ra7 21.a4 a5 22.h4 Bd7 23.g4 g5 24.hxg5 hxg5 25.Nd4 Bxd4 26.Qxd4 Qxd4 27.cxd4 Bc6 28.Bxc6 bxc6 29.Rac1 Rc8 30.b3 Rb7 31.Re3

Rb4 32.Rd3 Kg6 33.f3 f5 34.gxf5+ Kxf5 35.Kg2 Rb7 36.Rdc3 Rbc7 37.Rh1 Rf8 38.Re3 Rb7 39.Rh6 Rf6 40.Rxf6+ Kxf6 41.Kg3 Kf5 42.Rc3 Rb6 43.Re3 Rb4 44.Rc3 Rxd4 45.Rxc6 Rd3 46.Rc8 Rxb3 47.Ra8 d5 48.Rxa5 Rd3 49.Ra8 Ra3 50.a5 g4 51.a6 Rxf3+ 52.Kg2 Ra3 53.a7 Ra2+ 54.Kf1 Ra1+ 55.Ke2 Ra2+ 56.Kd3 Ra3+ 57.Kd4 Ra4+ 58.Kxd5 Kf4 59.Rf8+ Ke3 60.Re8+ Kf3 61.a8Q Rxa8 62.Rxa8 Ke3 63.Ra3+ Kf4 64.Ra4+ Kf3 65.Ra7 Ke3 66.Rf7 Ke2 67.Ke4 g3 68.Rc7 g2 69.Rc2+ Kf1 70.Kf3 g1N+ 71.Ke3 Nh3 72.Rh2 Ng1 73.Rf2+ Ke1 74.Rg2 Kf1 75.Rh2 Ke1 76.Rf2 Nh3 77.Rf7 Ng1 78.Rf8 Ne2 79.Rc8 Kd1 80.Rd8+ Ke1 81.Rh8 Ng1 82.Rb8 Kf1 83.Rb2 Nh3 84.Ra2 Ng1 85.Rd2 Ke1 86.Rb2 Kf1 87.Ra2 Nh3 88.Rd2 Ke1 89.Rg2 Kf1 90.Rc2 Ng1 91.Rc6 Ne2 92.Rf6+ Ke1 93.Rh6 Ng1 94.Rb6 Kf1 95.Rd6 Kg2 96.Rg6+ Kf1 97.Rg8 Ne2 98.Rg4 Ng1 99.Rg5 Ne2 100.Rg7 Ng1 101.Rg4 Ne2 102.Rg5 Ng1 103.Rd5 Kg2 104.Rd2+ Kf1 105.Rd3 Kg2 106.Rd8 Kf1 107.Rc8 Ne2 108.Rc7 Ng1 109.Rc1+ Kg2 110.Rc6 Kf1 111.Rf6+ Ke1 112.Rf7 Ne2 113.Rc7 Kd1 114.Rd7+ Ke1 115.Ra7 Kd1 116.Ra1+ Nc1 117.Rxc1+ Kxc1 ½-½ (117) simbelmyne-bot (2810)-admonitor (2842) Rapid 2024]

16.Qf4 Bb7 17.Rae1 Ne6 18.Qg3 Rad8 19.Nh4 Qg5 20.Ndf3 Qxg3 21.hxg3 Rfe8 22.Nf5 h5 23.Bb3 d5 24.N5d4 Nxd4 25.Nxd4 b4 26.Rxe8+ Rxe8 27.Ba4 Re5 28.Bc6 Re7 29.Nf5 Rc7 30.Bxb7 Rxb7 31.cxb4 g6 32.Ne3 Rxb4 33.b3 Rb5 34.Rc1 Kg7 35.Rc6 1-0 (35) simbelmyne-bot (2820)-AKS-Mantissa (2896) Rapid 2025

8.d5 Ne7 9.Nxe5 d6 10.Nf3 Nxe4 11.Bc2 Nf6 12.c4 b5 13.b3 bxc4 14.bxc4 c6 15.Bg5 cxd5 16.Bxf6 gxf6 17.cxd5 Qa5 18.Nbd2 Bg4 19.h3 Bh5 20.Re1 Nxd5 21.Nb3 Qb6 22.Qxd5 Qxf2+ 23.Kh1 Bxf3 24.Qxf3 Qxc2 25.Re4 Qf2 26.Qd3 Rfe8 27.Nd4 Bxd4 28.Rxd4 Re1+ 29.Rxe1 Qxe1+ 30.Kh2 Qe5+ 31.Qg3+ Kf8 32.Rxd6 Ke7 33.Rb6 a5 34.a4 Rg8 35.Qxe5+ fxe5 36.Ra6 h5 37.Rxa5 Ke6 38.Ra6+ Kf5 39.Rb6 Ra8 40.Rb4 e4 41.g3 Rd8 42.a5 Rd2+ 43.Kg1 e3 ½-½ (43) Alekseenko,K (2699)-Lobanov,S (2515) Sochi RUS 2021

[109] **8...d6** 9.Bxc6 bxc6 10.dxe5 dxe5 11.Qxd8 Rxd8 12.Nxe5 Bb7 13.Nc4 a5 14.Nbd2 Ba6 15.Bxf6 gxf6 16.Rfd1 Rd3 17.Nxa5 Rad8 18.Nxc6 Bxf2+ 19.Kxf2 Rxd2+ 20.Rxd2 Rxd2+ 21.Kf3 Rxb2 22.Nb4 Bb7 23.Nd5 Kg7 24.Nxc7 f5 25.Nd5 fxe4+ 26.Kxe4 Rxg2 27.c4 Rxh2 28.a4 h5 29.a5 Rh4+ 30.Kd3 Ba6 31.Ne3 Rh3 32.Kd4 Rf3 33.Rg1+ Kh6 34.Rb1 Kg5 35.Rb6 Rf6 36.c5 h4 37.Rb8 h3 38.Rh8 Rh6 39.Rxh6 Kxh6 40.Ke5 Kg5 41.Nd1 h2 42.Nf2 Kh4 43.Kf4 Bb5 44.Kf3 Bc6+ 45.Kf4 Bb7 46.a6 Bxa6 47.c6 Bc8 48.Kf3 Bh3 49.Kf4 Bg2 50.c7 Bb7 51.Nh1 Kh3 52.Ke3 Kg2 53.Nf2 Bc8 54.Ke2 h1Q 55.Nxh1 Kxh1 56.Kf3 f5 57.Kf4 Kh2 58.Kf3 Kh3 59.Kf4 Kh4 60.Kf3 Kg5 61.Kg3 f4+ 0-1 (61) Kivurawnuru (2826)-Agressive_Style (2819) Blitz 2022

[110] **9.Bxf6** Qxf6 10.Bxc6 dxc6 11.Nxe5 c5 12.Nf3 cxd4 13.Nxd4 Rd8 14.Qc2

[14.Qe2 Bxd4 15.cxd4 Qxd4 16.Nc3 Be6 17.Rfd1 Qb4 18.Rd2 c5 19.Rad1 Rd4 20.a3 Qb6 21.Qe3 Rad8 22.Ne2 Rxd2 23.Rxd2 Rxd2 24.Qxd2 Qc6 25.f3 b5 26.Kf2 Qc7 27.Nf4 Qe5 28.h3 a5 29.Qd8+ Kh7 30.Nd3 Qh2 31.Qxa5 Bxh3 32.Ne1 Bd7 33.Qc3 Qh4+ 34.Kg1 Qg5 35.Kf2 Qh4+ 36.Ke2 Qg5 37.Qe3 Qf6 38.e5 Qe7 39.Nd3 c4 40.Nb4 Bf5 41.Qf4 Qe6 42.Kf2 Bg6 43.Qd4 h5 44.Nd5 Qf5 45.Ne3 Qb1 46.Qd2 h4 47.Qd4 Bh5 48.Nd5 g5 49.Nf6+ Kg6 50.Ne4 Qc2+ 51.Kg1 Qd3 52.Qb6+ Kh7 53.Nxg5+ Kg8 54.Qf6 Bg6 55.e6 fxe6 56.Nxe6 Qd1+ 57.Kh2 Qd6+ 58.f4 1-0 (58) Swiercz,D (2652)-Shyam,S (2526) chess.com INT 2022]

14...Bxd4 15.cxd4 Rxd4 16.Qxc7 Rxe4 17.Nc3 Re8 18.Nd5 Qg5 19.Nb6 Bh3 20.Qg3 Qxg3 21.hxg3 Be6 22.Nxa8 Rxa8 23.b3 a5 24.Rfc1 a4 25.bxa4 Rxa4 26.a3 b5 27.Rab1 Bc4 28.Rc3 Ra5 29.Rb4 Be6 30.g4 Kh7 31.f3 g6 32.Kf2 Kg7 33.Kg3 Kf6 34.Kf4 Bd7 35.Ke4 Ra6 36.Rd4 Be6 37.Kf4 Ra7 38.Kg3 Ra6 39.Rc5 Rxa3 40.Rxb5 Rc3 41.Rbb4 Re3 42.Re4 Rd3 43.Rf4+ Kg7 44.Rbd4 Rc3 45.Rfe4 Kf6 46.Rd6 Rb3 47.Ra6 Rc3 48.Rb6 Rd3 49.Kf2 Rc3 50.Re3 Rc2+ 51.Re2 Rc3 52.f4 Rc4 53.g3 Rc3 54.Ra2 Rd3 55.Ra5 Kg7 56.f5 gxf5 57.gxf5 Bd5 58.Rd6 Rf3+ 59.Ke2 Rxf5 60.Rdxd5 1-0 (60) Rikikits (2813)-gmmitkov (2637) Blitz 2023

111 **9...b5** 10.dxe5

[10.Bb3 d6 11.a4 exd4 12.axb5 axb5 13.Qd3 g5 14.Bg3 Nh5 15.e5 Kg7 16.Bc2 Rh8 17.Qxb5 Nxg3 18.hxg3 Bd7 19.Be4 dxc3 20.Nxc3 Rb8 21.Qc4 Rb4 22.Qd3 Bc5 23.Nd5 Nxe5 24.Nxe5 Rd4 25.Qc2 dxe5 26.Qxc5 Rxe4 27.Nxc7 Bc8 28.Rfd1 Qf6 29.Rd2 Bb7 30.f3 Rd4 31.Rxd4 exd4 32.Re1 Kg6 33.Ne8 Qd8 34.Nd6 Bc8 35.b4 Be6 36.b5 d3 37.b6 h5 38.b7 Qf6 39.Ne4 Qf5 40.Qd6 Qb5 41.Nc5 d2 42.Rd1 Qe2 43.Qxd2 Qxd2 44.Rxd2 Rb8 45.Kf2 Bc4 46.Rd4 Be6 47.Ke3 Bc8 48.bxc8R Rxc8 49.Ne4 Re8 50.Rd6+ Kg7 51.Kf2 g4 52.Nf6 Re5 53.Nd5 gxf3 54.gxf3 h4 55.gxh4 Kf8 56.f4 Re8 57.h5 Ra8 58.h6 Ra2+ 59.Kg3 Ra8 60.Nf6 Rc8 61.Rb6 Rc3+ 62.Kg4 Rc1 63.Rb8+ Ke7 64.h7 Rg1+ 65.Kf5 Rh1 66.h8Q Rxh8 67.Rxh8 Kd6 68.Rc8 Ke7 69.Nh7 Kd6 70.Ng5 Kd5 71.Nxf7 Kd4 72.Rc3 Kd5 73.Ng5 Kd6 74.Ke4 Kd7 75.Ke5 Ke7 76.Rc7+ Kd8 77.Kd6 Ke8 78.Rc8# 1-0 (78) mostactive (2804)-expositor (2707) Blitz 2024]

[10.Bc2 d6 11.dxe5 *(11.a4 exd4 12.Nxd4 Ne5 13.axb5 axb5 14.Nd2 Bd7 15.N2f3 Ng6 16.Bg3 Nh5 17.Qd3 Ngf4 18.Qd2 Qf6 19.Rfe1 Rfe8 20.Nf5 Nxg3 21.hxg3 Ng6 22.e5 Nxe5 23.Nxe5 Bxf5 24.Bxf5 Rxe5 25.Bd3 Rd5 26.Re2 Bxf2+ 27.Rxf2 Rxa1+* 0-1 (27) Azarov,S (2604)-Lobanov,S (2516) Europe-Echecs INT 2021*)* 11...dxe5 12.Qxd8 Rxd8 13.a4 Bb7 14.Na3 b4 15.Nc4 bxc3 16.bxc3 Re8 17.Rab1 Bc8 18.Bxf6 gxf6 19.Nh4 Ne7 20.Nf5 Be6 21.Na5 Bb6 22.Nxe7+ Rxe7 23.Nc6 Rd7 24.a5 Bc5 25.Rb7 Bc4 26.Rd1 Rd6 27.Rxc7 Rxd1+ 28.Bxd1 Bb5 29.Bb3 Bxc6 30.Rxc6 Be7 31.Bc4 Kg7 32.Rxa6 Rxa6 33.Bxa6 Bd8 34.Kf1 Bxa5 35.c4 Kf8

36.Bb7 Ke7 37.Bd5 Bb6 38.Ke2 Bc5 39.f3 Bb6 40.Kd3 Bg1 41.h3 Bb6 42.Kc3 Kd6 43.Bxf7 Kc5 44.Bd5 Ba5+ 45.Kd3 Be1 46.Ke2 Bg3 47.Kf1 h5 48.h4 Bxh4 49.Bf7 Bg3 50.Bxh5 Kxc4 51.Bg4 Kd3 52.Bf5 Ke3 53.Bg4 Bh4 54.Bf5 Bg3 55.Bh3 Bf4 56.Bf5 Bh6 57.Bh3 Bg5 58.Bf5 Bh4 59.Bg4 Kf4 60.Bf5 Kg3 61.Bg4 Bg5 62.Bf5 Be3 63.Bg4 Bf4 64.Bf5 Kh2 65.Bg4 Kg3 66.Bf5 ½-½ (66) EleKtRoMaGnIt (2766)-PadawanGrows (2663) Blitz 2021]

10...g5 11.exf6 gxh4 12.e5 Nxe5 13.Nxe5 Qxf6 14.Ng4 Qg5 15.Qf3 Rb8 16.Bd1

[16.Bc2 f5 17.Ne5 Qg7 18.Nd3 Kh8 19.Bb3 a5 20.Nf4 *(20.a3 f4 21.Nd2 Bb7 22.Bd5 c6 23.Ba2 Rf5 24.Qh3 Rbf8 25.Nf3 Rh5 26.Nde5 Rxe5 27.Nxe5 Qxe5 28.Qxh4 Qg7 29.Rae1 c5 30.g4 Bf3 31.h3 Bc6 32.Re7 Qf6 33.Qxf6+ Rxf6 34.Bb1 Kg8 35.Rfe1 Rf7 36.Re8+ Rf8 37.R1e7 Rxe8 38.Rxe8+ Kf7 39.Rh8 a4 40.Rxh6 b4 41.g5 f3 42.h4 Kg8 43.Rg6+ Kh8 44.Rf6 Bd5 45.h5 Kg8 46.h6 Be6 47.h7+ Kg7 48.Rh6 Kf7 49.h8Q Ke7 50.Qe5 c4 51.Bg6 Bxf2+ 52.Kxf2 d6 53.Rh7+ Kd8 54.Qxd6+ Kc8 55.Qc7#* Normal 1-0 (55) MayhemPI_cluster (2941)-expositor (2664) Rapid 2024*)* 20...a4 21.Qh5 Rb6 22.Bd1 Rg8 23.Na3 Ba6 24.Nc2 b4 25.Nxb4 Bxf1 26.Kxf1 c5 27.Nbd5 Rxb2 28.Qxf5 c4 29.Bc2 Bc5 30.a3 Rb7 31.Re1 Rbb8 32.Nf6 Qf7 33.Qxc5 Qxf6 34.Nh5 Qg5 35.Qd4+ Rg7 36.Nxg7 Qxg7 37.Qxh4 Rf8 38.Re7 Qf6 39.Rh7+ Kg8 40.Qxc4+ Qe6 41.Qd4 Qa6+ 42.c4 Qf6 43.Rxd7 Qxd4 44.Rxd4 Kg7 45.Rg4+ Kh8 46.c5 Rc8 47.Rc4 Kg7 48.Bxa4 Kf6 49.Bd7 Rc7 50.Bb5 Ke5 51.a4 h5 52.f4+ Kd5 53.c6 Kd6 54.Rd4+ Kc5 55.Rd7 Rc8 56.f5 h4 57.f6 h3 58.g4 Kb4 59.c7 Ka5 60.f7 Rf8 61.Kf2 Kb4 62.Ke3 Ka3 63.Rd8 Rxf7 64.c8Q Re7+ 65.Kd2 Re2+ 66.Bxe2 Ka2 67.Qc2+ Ka3 68.Ra8 Kb4 69.Qc3# Normal 1-0 (69) MayhemPI_cluster (2943)-expositor (2690) Rapid 2024]

16...Rb6 17.Qe3

[17.Ne3 Bb7 18.Qf5 Qg7 19.Bf3 Rf6 20.Qg4 Bxf3 21.Qxg7+ Kxg7 22.gxf3 Rxf3 23.Nd2 Rxe3 24.fxe3 Bxe3+ 25.Rf2 Rg8 26.Re1 Kh7+ 27.Kf1 Bxf2 28.Kxf2 h3 29.Kf1 Kh8 30.Nf3 a5 31.Re7 Rg2 32.Re2 Rg7 33.Re7 Rg2 34.Re2 Rg7 35.a3 d6 36.Ng1 Rg4 37.Rf2 Kg7 38.Nxh3 Rc4 39.Rf4 Rc5 40.Ng1 Rd5 41.Ke1 Re5+ 42.Kf2 Rd5 43.Nf3 Rd1 44.Rd4 Rb1 45.Rd2 c5 46.Ke3 f5 47.Kf4 Kf7 48.Rf2 Ke6 49.Nh4 b4 50.axb4 axb4 51.cxb4 Rc1 52.bxc5 Rxc5 53.Nf3 Rc4+ 54.Ke3 Re4+ 55.Kd3 Kd5 56.Nd2 Rd4+ 57.Kc3 Rh4 58.Rxf5+ Ke6 59.Rf2 Kd5 60.Kd3 Rd4+ 61.Kc3 Rh4 62.Kd3 Rd4+ 63.Ke3 Rh4 64.b3 Kc5 65.Nf3 Rh5 66.Rd2 Kb4 67.Rxd6 Kxb3 68.h4 Kc3 69.Kf4 Kb2 70.Re6 Rc5 71.Rxh6 Rc8 72.Rf6 Rc5 73.Kg4 Rc1 74.h5 Rc7 75.h6 Kb1 76.Ng5 Rc4+ 77.Rf4 Rc8 78.Rf2 Rd8 79.h7 Rh8 80.Rh2 Kc1 81.Nf7 Rxh7 82.Rxh7 Kc2 83.Rh3 Kd2 84.Kf4 Ke2 85.Ke4 Kd2 86.Re3 Kc2 87.Nd6 Kb2 88.Nc4+ Kc2 89.Kd4 Kc1 90.Kc3 Kb1 91.Kb3 Kc1 92.Re1# 1-0 (92) imnotsohuman (2957)-

Nimfish (2700) Blitz 2024]
17...f5 18.Bb3+ d5 19.Qxg5+ hxg5 20.Ne3 c6 21.Nd2 g4 22.g3 hxg3 23.hxg3 Rb7 24.Rae1 Rh7 25.Kg2 f4 26.gxf4 Rxf4 27.Bc2 Rh5 28.Rh1 Rh3 29.Re2 b4 30.Rhe1 Bb8 31.cxb4 Bd6 32.a3 Kf7 33.Ndf1 a5 34.bxa5 Rff3 35.Ba4 Rf6 36.Bxc6 d4 37.Nc4 Bc5 38.Bd5+ Kg7 39.Re8 d3 40.Nfe3 Rf8 41.Rxf8 Kxf8 42.Rd1 Ba7 43.Rxd3 Ba6 44.Bc6 Bxc4 45.Rd8+ Ke7 46.Rd7+ Ke6 47.Rxa7 Kd6 48.Nxc4+ Kxc6 49.Rg7 Kb5 50.Rg5+ Kc6 51.Rxg4 Rh7 52.Rg6+ Kc5 53.b3 Re7 54.a6 Ra7 55.Kg3 Ra8 56.f4 Kd4 57.f5 Ke4 58.Kg4 Ra7 59.Re6+ Kd3 60.f6 Kc3 61.Rb6 Kc2 62.Kf5 Kb1 63.Kg6 Ka2 64.f7 Ra8 65.a7 Rc8 66.Rb8 Rc6+ 67.Kg7 Ra6 68.f8Q Rxa7+ 69.Kh8 Kb1 70.Qf2 Rh7+ 71.Kxh7 Kc1 72.Qb2+ Kd1 73.Qd2# 1-0 (73) IntegralBot (2972)-expositor (2770) Blitz 2024

9...d6 Postny,Evgeny: 'would be the main move without the inclusion of 3...a6 4.Ba4, but now it seems to be super dangerous for Black, although it might still be working... Arkaidij Naiditsch: 'would be the main move without the inclusion of 3...a6 4.Ba4, but now it seems to be super dangerous for Black, although it might still be working...''

10.Bxc6

[10.dxe5 Nxe5 11.Nxe5 dxe5 12.Nd2 g5 13.Bg3 Qe7 14.Bb3 Bg4 15.Qe1 Nh5 16.Nc4 Nf4 17.Ne3 Be6 18.Nf5 Qf6 19.Bc2 Rad8 20.Ne3 h5 21.Rd1 c6 22.Nf5 Ng6 23.h3 g4 24.hxg4 hxg4 25.Rxd8 Rxd8 26.Qc1 Bxf5 27.exf5 Nh4 28.Rd1 Re8 29.Qd2 Nxf5 30.Qd7 Ng7 31.Qxg4 Bc5 32.Rd7 e4 33.Bb3 e3 34.Rxf7 exf2+ 35.Bxf2 Bxf2+ 36.Kh2 Qh6+ 37.Qh3 Qxh3+ 38.Kxh3 Re3+ 39.Kg4 Rg3+ 40.Kh4 Rxg2+ 41.Rxf2+ Kh7 42.Rxg2 1-0 (42) cutemouse83 (2843)-Like_a_Gin (2777) Blitz 2021]

[10.Re1 g5 11.Nxg5 hxg5 12.Bxg5 exd4 13.Bxc6 bxc6 14.cxd4 Rb8 15.Nc3 Rb4 16.Re3 Re8 17.Rg3 Kf8 18.e5 dxe5 19.Qf3 Re6 20.dxe5 Rxb2 21.Bxf6 Rxf2 22.Rg8+ Kxg8 23.Qg4+ 1-0 (23) vistagausta (2824)-pozvonochek (2791) Blitz 2024]

[10.Qd3 Postny,Evgeny: 'With a normal fighting position. Arkaidij Naiditsch: 'With a normal fighting position.'' b5 11.Bb3 Bg4 12.Nbd2 Re8 13.Bd5 *(13.Rfe1 g5 14.Bg3 Bh5 15.h4 g4 16.Nh2 Bg6 17.d5 Ne7 18.Ndf1 Qd7 19.Rad1 Nxe4 20.Rxe4 f5 21.Ree1 f4 22.Qe2 fxg3 23.Nxg3 h5 24.Bc2 Rf8 25.Rf1 Qe8 26.Kh1 Qf7 27.f3 Qf4 28.Bxg6 Qxg3 29.Bxh5 Qxh4 30.Bxg4 Kg7 31.g3 Qxg3 32.Rg1 Bxg1 33.Rxg1 Qf4 34.Qg2 Rf6 35.Bf5+* 1-0 (35) Fratz71 (2650)-kon77 (2486) Blitz 2024 *)* 13...Bd7 14.Rfe1 Rb8 15.Bb3 exd4 16.cxd4 Nb4 17.Qc3 c5 18.dxc5 Bxc5 19.e5 g5 20.exf6 gxh4 21.Nxh4 Kh8 22.Bxf7 Nxa2 23.Bxa2 1-0 (23) SirJohn13 (2725)-gmmitkov (2690) Blitz 2023]

10...bxc6 11.Nbd2

[11.dxe5 Postny,Evgeny: 'We are entering a very forced line.' dxe5

A) 12.Qxd8 Rxd8 13.Nxe5 It seems like White is just a pawn up and Black doesn't have the usual Ba6 with tempo, but things are still unclear. Arkaidij Naiditsch: 'It seems like White is just a pawn up and Black doesn't have the

usual Ba6 with tempo, but things are still unclear.' g5 14.Nxc6 Until here it is easy to calculate, but of course the line is just starting... Arkaidij Naiditsch: 'Until here it is easy to calculate, but of course the line is just starting...' gxh4 15.Nxd8 Bd7 16.Nb7 Rb8 17.Na5 Rxb2 18.Nc4 Re2 19.Nbd2 I saw the line until here and I thought I should be better somehow, but my evaluation was wrong, as after Arkaidij Naiditsch: 'I saw the line until here and I thought I should be better somehow, but my evaluation was wrong, as after' *(19.Ne5 Be6 20.Nc6 Bb6 21.Nd4 Bxd4 22.cxd4 Nxe4 23.Na3 Bxa2 24.Rfe1 Rxe1+ 25.Rxe1 Bd5 26.h3 Kg7 27.Nc4 Bxc4 28.Rxe4 Bd5 29.Rxh4 a5 30.Rg4+ Kf6 31.Rg3 a4 32.Rc3 c6 33.f3 Ke6 34.Kf2 Kd6 35.Ke3 Bb3 36.Kd2 Kd5 37.Rc5+ Kxd4 38.Rxc6 a3 39.Rxh6 Bc4 40.Kc2 Ke3 41.Rh4 Bf1 42.Rg4 f5 43.Rg7 Kf2 44.h4 Bxg2 45.Rxg2+ Kxg2 46.h5 Kxf3 47.h6 Kg2 48.h7 f4 49.h8Q f3 50.Qg7+ Kh1 51.Qh6+ Kg2 52.Qg5+ Kf2 53.Qd2+ Kg3 54.Qg5+ Kf2 55.Kd2 a2 56.Qh4+ Kg2 57.Qa4 f2 58.Qg4+ Kh1 59.Qf3+ Kg1 60.Qg3+ Kh1 61.Qh3+ Kg1 62.Qg3+ Kh1 63.Qh3+ Kg1 64.Qg3+ ½-½ (64) JelenaZ (2659)-kon77 (2551) Blitz 2022)* 19...Be6 the position is very very unclear! Arkaidij Naiditsch: 'the position is very very unclear!';

B) 12.Nxe5 Qe7 13.Nf3 g5 14.Bg3 Nxe4 15.Re1 Bf5 16.Nbd2 Rfe8 17.Nxe4 Bxe4 18.Nd2 Rad8 19.Qe2 f5 20.Nxe4 Qxe4 21.Qxe4 Rxe4 22.Rxe4 fxe4 23.Kf1 Rd2 24.Rb1 Kf7 25.a4 Ke6 26.Re1 Kd5 27.Re2 Rd1+ 28.Re1 Rd2 29.b3 Bb6 30.Re2 Rd1+ 31.Re1 Rd2 32.h4 a5 33.hxg5 hxg5 34.Rc1 Rb2 35.c4+ Kd4 36.c5 Bxc5 37.Be5+ Kxe5 38.Rxc5+ Kd4 39.Rxg5 c5 40.g4 Rxb3 41.Rg7 c4 42.Rd7+ Kc5 43.Rxc7+ Kb4 44.g5 Rb1+ 45.Ke2 Rg1 46.Ke3 Rxg5 47.Kxe4 Rg1 48.f4 c3 49.f5 Kb3 50.f6 c2 51.f7 Rf1 52.Rb7+ Kxa4 53.Rc7 Kb3 54.Rb7+ Ka3 55.Rc7 Kb2 56.Rb7+ Kc1 57.Ke3 a4 58.Ke2 Rf6 59.Ra7 a3 60.Kd3 a2 61.Rxa2 Rf3+ 62.Ke2 Rxf7 0-1 (62) shrekdavid (2772)-Like_a_Gin (2776) Blitz 2021]

11...Re8 12.Re1 exd4 13.Nxd4 Bd7 14.Qf3 a5 15.h3 g5 16.Bg3 g4 17.Qd3 Nh5 18.hxg4 Nxg3 19.Qxg3 Qg5 20.Re3 Rab8 21.b3 a4 22.Rae1 Bc5 23.f4 Qxg4 24.Qh2 Qg7 25.e5 dxe5 26.fxe5 axb3 27.axb3 Bg4 28.Rf1 Bd6 29.Nxc6 Bc5 30.Nd4 Rbd8 31.Ne4 Rxd4 32.Nxc5 Rd5 33.Ne4 Rexe5 34.Nf6+ Qxf6 35.Rxf6 Rd1+ 36.Kf2 Rd2+ 37.Kg3 Rxe3+ 38.Kxg4 Rxc3 39.Kh5 Rc1 40.Kxh6 Rd3 41.Qh5 Rh1 42.Qxh1 Rd7 43.Qh3 Rd8 44.Qg3+ Kf8 45.Qg7+ Ke7 46.Qxf7# 1-0 (46) Nikitosikbot (2927)-bot_adario (2541) Rapid 2023

9...exd4 ! After a long think, Andreikin played the best move. Diagram Arkaidij Naiditsch: '!' Arkaidij Naiditsch: 'After a long think, Andreikin played the best move. Diagram' 10.Qc1!? Mikhalevski, V: 'Arkady deviates from the aforementioned game and plays a

move which I considered in my annotations to his game against Onischuk. It has to be mentioned that the move has never been tested in practice.' Mikhalevski, V: 'Arkady deviates from the aforementioned game and plays a move which I considered in my annotations to his game against Onischuk. It has to be mentioned that the move has never been tested in practice.' ! A very strong move. White doesn't only want to play e5 next, but he is also protecting against the g5 idea. Arkaidij Naiditsch: '!' Arkaidij Naiditsch: 'A very strong move. White doesn't only want to play e5 next, but he is also protecting against the g5 idea.' Mikhalevski, V: 'Arkady deviates from the aforementioned game and plays a move which I considered in my annotations to his game against Onischuk. It has to be mentioned that the move has never been tested in practice.'Before coming across Andreikin's preparation, Naiditsch deviates first from his own game against Onischuk. Mikhalevski, V: 'Postny,E: 'Before coming across Andreikin's preparation, Naiditsch deviates first from his own game against Onischuk." Krasenkow,Michal: '10. Re1 gains popularity. An unusual idea. Normal continuations are:' Krasenkow,Michal: '10.Te1 wird beliebter.'

[10.e5 Mikhalevski, V: 'Naiditsch, A (2689)-Onischuk, A (2672) Khanty-Mansiysk RUS 2009 [Mikhalevski, V]' Mikhalevski, V: 'Naiditsch, A (2689)-Onischuk, A (2672) Khanty-Mansiysk RUS 2009 [Mikhalevski, V]' g5 11.Bg3 *(11.Bxc6 dxc6 12.Nxg5 dxc3 13.Qxd8 Rxd8 14.Nxc3 Nd5 15.Nxf7 Re8 16.Nxh6+ Kg7 17.Bg5 Nxc3 18.bxc3 Rxe5 19.h4 Re2* Krasenkow,Michal: '⇄' Krasenkow, Michal: '0-1 (43) Tukhaev,A (2518)-Nozdrachev,L (2402) Voronezh 2016' *)* 11...Ne4 *(11...Nh5 12.Re1 Nxg3 13.hxg3 d6 14.Bxc6 bxc6 15.Nxd4* Krasenkow,Michal: '1/2 (36) Sidorenko,I (2256)-Nabaty,T (2421) Petah Tikva 2007' *dxe5 16.Nxc6 Qxd1 17.Rxd1 f6* Krasenkow,Michal: '=' *)* 12.cxd4 d5 *(12...Nxg3 13.hxg3 d6* might be an improvement that Andreikin intended to come up with.*)* 13.Nc3 Bg4 14.Qd3 Bf5 15.Qe3 Ne7∞ 1-0 (22) Naiditsch,A (2689)-Onischuk,A (2672) Khanty-Mansiysk 2009]

[Arkaidij Naiditsch: 'The logical' 10.cxd4 Mikhalevski, V: 'in Sutovsky, E (2703)-Nabaty, T (2563) Caleta ENG 2012 [Mikhalevski, V] is a serious test of the line. I'm wondering what Andreikin prepared here.' Mikhalevski, V: 'in Sutovsky, E (2703)-Nabaty, T (2563) Caleta ENG 2012 [Mikhalevski, V] is a serious test of the line. I'm wondering what Andreikin prepared here.' ?! would not be the best now because of Arkaidij Naiditsch: '?!' Mikhalevski, V: 'in Sutovsky, E (2703)-Nabaty, T (2563) Caleta ENG 2012 [Mikhalevski, V] is a serious test of the line. I'm wondering what Andreikin prepared here.' is also pretty dangerous for Black. My countryman grandmaster Emil Sutovsky had a couple of crushing wins here. I wonder what

Andreikin had in mind against this line.
A) 10...d6 11.Bxc6 bxc6 12.Nbd2 *(12.Qc1* would transpose to our game Naiditsch-Andreikin.*)* 12...Re8 *(12...g5 13.Nxg5 hxg5 14.Bxg5 Re8 15.Qa4! Rb8 16.Rae1 Re6 17.e5 dxe5 18.dxe5 Rxb2 19.Bxf6+-* 1-0 (26) Sutovsky,E (2661)-Onischuk,A (2699) Poikovsky 2010*)* 13.Qa4 *(13.e5 dxe5 14.dxe5 g5* Krasenkow,Michal: '!'*; 13.Re1 g5 14.Bg3 Nh5 15.Nc4 c5 16.d5 f5 17.Nfd2 g4 18.f3 Qg5 19.fxg4 Nxg3 20.hxg3 Qxg4 21.Qxg4+ fxg4 22.Rf1 Re7 23.Rf4 Kg7 24.Kf2 Bd7 25.Rh1 Kg6 26.Rf1 a5 27.Ke3 Kg7 28.a4 Rd8 29.b3 c6 30.Kd3 cxd5 31.exd5 Be8 32.Rxg4+ Bg6+ 33.Ne4 h5 34.Rg5 Kh7 35.Rf4 Rb8 36.Ncxd6 Rxb3+ 37.Kc2 Rb8 38.g4 Bxe4+ 39.Nxe4 h4 40.d6 Re6 41.Rf7+ Kh6 42.Re7 Re8 43.Rh5+ Kg6 44.Rg5+ Kh6 45.Rg8 R8xe7 46.dxe7 Rxe4 47.e8Q Rxe8 48.Rxe8 Kg5 49.Rg8+ Kf4 50.g5 c4 51.Ra8 Bd4 52.Rxa5 Kg4 53.Rd5 Bg7 54.a5 Bf8 55.a6 h3 56.gxh3+ Kg3 57.a7 Kxh3 58.a8Q Kg4 59.Qxf8 Kg3 60.g6 Kg2 61.g7 Kg1 62.g8Q+ Kh1 63.Rh5#* 1-0 (63) Viet-AI (2688)-expositor (2359) Classical 2023*)* 13...g5 *(13...Bd7 14.e5 g5 15.Nxg5 hxg5 16.Bxg5 dxe5 17.Ne4 Nxe4 18.Bxd8 Raxd8 19.dxe5* Krasenkow,Michal: '0-1 (39) Smirnov,A (2478)-Nabaty,T (2622) Pardubice 2016' *Rxe5* Krasenkow,Michal: '⇄' *)* 14.Nxg5 hxg5 15.Bxg5 Re6 16.f4 Qf8 17.f5+- 1-0 (24) Sutovsky,E (2703)-Nabaty,T (2563) Caleta 2012;
B) 10...g5 Krasenkow,Michal: '?!' 11.Nxg5 hxg5 12.Bxg5 Bxd4 Black brings his bishop back into the game. 13.Nc3 b5 14.Nd5! The position is still very sharp. Arkaidij Naiditsch: 'The position is still very sharp.' Re8 *(14...bxa4* ? is losing after Arkaidij Naiditsch: '?' *15.Qf3+- Kg7 16.Qg3* With mate to follow. Krasenkow,Michal: '+-'*; 14...Kg7* And only Black can probably be better here.*)* 15.Qf3 Re6 16.Bb3 Be5 17.Nxf6+ Rxf6 18.Qh5 Qf8 19.f4 Bxb2 20.Rad1 Na5 21.Bd5 Rc6 22.Rf3 1-0 (22) Abramov,S (2349)-Van Damme,L (2218) ICCF email 2012]
[10.Re1 Krasenkow,Michal: '!?' Perunovic,Milos: '- 142/123' d6 *(10...b5 11.Bb3* Krasenkow,Michal: '±' *)* 11.Bxc6 dxc3 *(11...bxc6 12.Nxd4 Bd7 13.Nd2 Re8 14.Qf3 g5 15.Bg3 Bg4 16.Qd3 Qd7 17.h3 Bh5* Krasenkow,Michal: '0-1 (40) Urazayev,A (2460)-Nabaty,T (2645) Astana 2023' *18.Nf5* Krasenkow,Michal: ' ±'*)* 12.Nxc3 bxc6 13.Qc1 Re8 14.e5 dxe5 15.Ne4 Re6 16.Nxe5 Krasenkow,Michal: '↑' Krasenkow,Michal: '1-0 (41) Sethuraman,S (2634)-Erdos,V (2613) Saint Louis 2019']
10...d6 Avoiding the e5 push.
[10...dxc3 Krasenkow,Michal: '?' 11.Nxc3]
11.Bxc6 bxc6 12.cxd4 It seems like I reached what I wanted, e5 is still a threat, c6 pawn is hanging and the g5 move doesn't seem to work.. . Diagram Arkaidij Naiditsch: 'It seems like I reached what I wanted, e5 is still a threat, c6 pawn is

hanging and the g5 move doesn't seem to work.. . Diagram' would transpose to our game Naiditsch-Andreikin. Mikhalevski, V: 'Postny,E: 'would transpose to our game Naiditsch-Andreikin." 12...g5 !! Very strong play from Andreikin one more time. The only way to go in this position. Arkaidij Naiditsch: '!!' Arkaidij Naiditsch: 'Very strong play from Andreikin one more time. The only way to go in this position.' Black must go for this, the only defence against e4-e5.
Mikhalevski, V: 'Postny,E: 'Black must go for this, the only defence against e4-e5.
" Krasenkow,Michal: 'Alas, Black has no better way to get rid of the pin.'

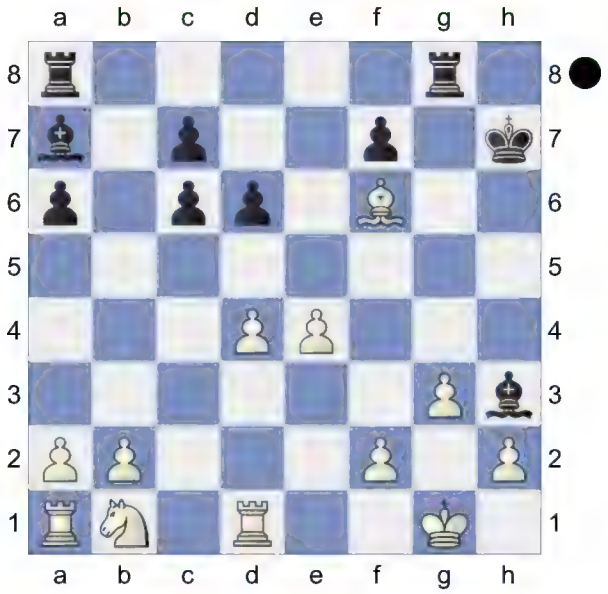
[12...Bg4 13.e5 dxe5 14.Nxe5 White is clearly better.]

13.Nxg5 Nxe4?! Mikhalevski, V: 'I'm pretty sure Black prepared this line at home, although I'm not quite sure why he deviated from 13...hxg5.' Mikhalevski, V: 'I'm pretty sure Black prepared this line at home, although I'm not quite sure why he deviated from 13...hxg5. Postny,E: '?!" Mikhalevski, V: 'I'm pretty sure Black prepared this line at home, although I'm not quite sure why he deviated from 13...hxg5.' Mikhalevski, V: 'I'm pretty sure Black prepared this line at home, although I'm not quite sure why he deviated from 13...hxg5. Postny,E: '?!" ?! This is already a mistake, Black should have continued with what he started: Arkaidij Naiditsch: 'This is already a mistake, Black should have continued with what he started:' Mikhalevski, V: 'I'm pretty sure Black prepared this line at home, although I'm not quite sure why he deviated from 13...hxg5.' Not the best follow up. Taking the knight must be the critical test for this line. Mikhalevski, V: 'Postny,E: 'Not the best follow up. Taking the knight must be the critical test for this line."

[Mikhalevski, V: 'In the aforementioned annotations I looked at' The following correspondence game is of high quality, as usual: Mikhalevski, V: 'Postny,E: 'The following correspondence game is of high quality, as usual:" 13...hxg5 Mikhalevski, V: '!' '!' '!' '!' '!' Edouard,Romain: 'Black definitely needed to pary e3-e4.' 14.Qxg5+ Kh7 15.Rd1 Mikhalevski, V: '!' '!' '!' '!' '!' Mikhalevski, V: '!' '!' At this moment I thought that I should be better as Black cannot avoid Qxf6 now and the pawn on d4 is not hanging anymore, but my opponent had to find the amazing Arkaidij Naiditsch: 'At this moment I thought that I should be better as Black cannot avoid Qxf6 now and the pawn on d4 is not hanging anymore, but my opponent had to find the amazing' Krasenkow,Michal: '!' Perunovic,Milos: '!' *(15.Qxf6?!* ?! is premature here: Krasenkow, Michal: ' ≤ 'Edouard,Romain: 'and Black has typical Ragozin compensation. ' *Qxf6* Edouard,Romain: 'is the main move according to theory.' *16.Bxf6 Kg6* Mikhalevski, V: 'with the subsequent 17... Bd4 is good for Black.' Mikhalevski, V: 'with the subsequent 17... Bd4 is good for Black.' Black

wins the d4 pawn and is fine. Mikhalevski, V: 'with the subsequent 17...Bd4 is good for Black.' *17.Bh4 Bxd4 18.Nc3 Rb8∓ 19.Rad1 c5* Perunovic,Milos: ' ⩲ ' *20.Rd2* Krasenkow,Michal: '1/2 (20) Volokitin, A (2687)-Wieczorek,O (2500) Terme Catez 2022' *Re8* Krasenkow,Michal: '⩲' *)*

A) 15...Rg8?! White has a powerful bishop on e5 and is going to act strong in the center. Black had to play with ...a6, ...b5, the only side of the board where he has a superiority. 16.Qxf6 Qxf6 17.Bxf6 Bh3? There the biggest problems start. 18.g3 Perunovic,Milos: 'Diagram



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A1) Krasenkow,Michal: 'Predecessor:' 18...Kg6 Krasenkow,Michal: ' ⩲' 19.e5 Rab8 20.b3 *(20.Nc3* Krasenkow,Michal: '?' *Rxb2 21.Rab1! Rgb8)* 20...Bg4 Krasenkow,Michal: '!'

A1a) 21.Rd2 Rb4 Krasenkow, Michal: '⇄' with a decisive advantage due to the b7-pawn (Rb1). 22.Na3 Rxd4 23.Rxd4 *(23.Nc4* Perunovic,Milos: ' ∞') 23...Bxd4 24.Rc1 dxe5 ½-½ (42) Stukalov,M (2088)-Denisov,T (2121) ICCF email 2014;

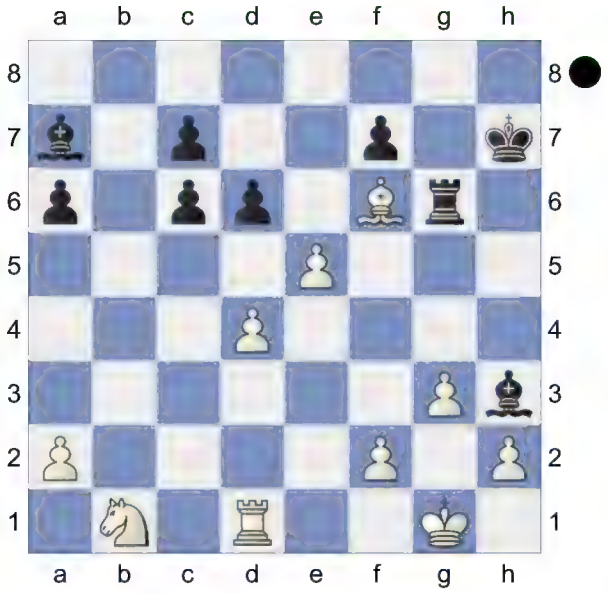
A1b) 21.Nc3 Krasenkow, Michal: '!' Perunovic,Milos: '!?' 21...Rb4 Krasenkow,Michal: '!' Perunovic,Milos: ' ∞ !' *(21...Bxd1 22.Rxd1* doesn't help: the b7-pawn will fall, and then probably few other pawns... *Rb4 23.Ne2* Krasenkow,Michal: ' ±') 22.Re1 Rxd4+- Krasenkow,Michal: '∞' is a crazy computer line.;

A2) 18...Rg6 Krasenkow,Michal: 'N?!' Perunovic,Milos: 'N' Krasenkow,Michal: 'Inaccurate! This rook will be out of play for some time.' 19.e5 Rb8 20.Nc3 Krasenkow,Michal: '!' Rxb2? 21.Rab1 Krasenkow,Michal: '!' A great move, although the engine was showing a forced (unhuman) win. Krasenkow, Michal: 'The pointe! Black remains with his passive g6 rook. ' Rxb1 *(21...Rc2 22.Ne4 Bg4 23.Rdc1 Re2 24.Ng5+ Rxg5 25.Bxg5 dxe5! 26.Rxc6* Krasenkow,Michal: ' ±' *Bb6* Perunovic,Milos: '⩲' *)*

A2a) 22.Rxb1 Krasenkow, Michal: '!' Perunovic,Milos: ' ⩲' Krasenkow,Michal: 'was quite possible. Black is in trouble as after' Bxd4 *(22...Bf5 23.Rb4 Bb6 24.Rc4 dxe5 25.dxe5 Rg4 26.Rxg4 Bxg4 27.Ne4* Perunovic,Milos: ' ±') 23.Ne4

Krasenkow,Michal: 'he suffers material losses.' dxe5 *(23...Bxe5 24.Ng5+ Rxg5 25.Bxg5 c5 26.Rb7 c4 27.Rxc7 d5 28.Rc5 Be6 29.Kf1* Perunovic,Milos: ' ±') 24.Ng5+ Kh6 25.Nxf7+ Kh7 26.Bxe5 c5 27.Bxd4 cxd4 28.Ne5 Rd6 29.g4 Perunovic,Milos: '±';

A2b) 22.Nxb1 Krasenkow, Michal: '?!' Perunovic,Milos: 'Diagram



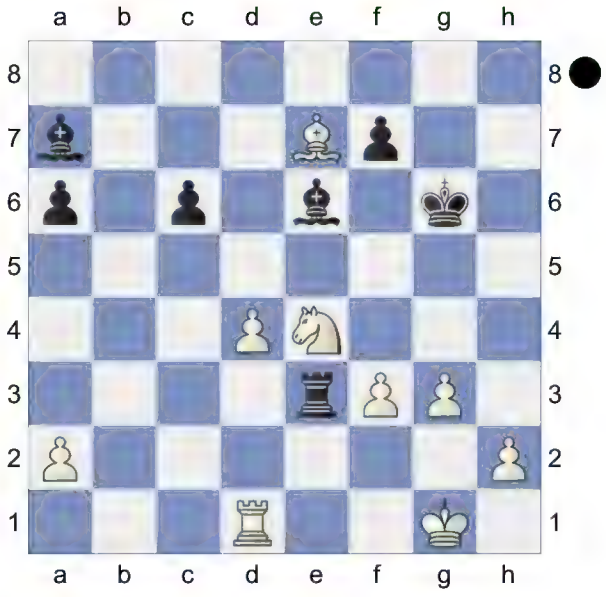
' 22...Rg4 *(22...Rg8* Perunovic,Milos: '!' *23.Nc3 Rb8* Perunovic,Milos: '=') 23.exd6 cxd6 24.Nc3 Black is a pawn up, but he is completely dominated. And the e4-pawn will soon fall. Rg6 25.Bh4 Re6 26.f3! Re3 Krasenkow,Michal: 'Finally activating the ill-fated rook and obtaining good drawing chances.' 27.Ne4

A2b1) 27...Kg6 Krasenkow, Michal: '!?' Perunovic,Milos: '⩲' 28.Kf2 Ra3 29.g4 Krasenkow,Michal: '△' is just crushing. *(29.Rd2 Be6 30.Nxd6 Rxa2 31.Rxa2 Bxd4+ 32.Ke2 Bxa2* Perunovic,Milos: '=') 29...f5!? 30.gxf5+ Bxf5 31.Nxd6 Rxa2+ 32.Ke3 Be6 Perunovic,Milos: '⩱';

A2b2) 27...Bf5

A2b21) 28.Kf2 Krasenkow,Michal: '!?' Ra3 29.Rd2 Ra4 *(29...Kg6 30.Be7 Be6 31.Bxd6 Rxa2 32.Ke3* Perunovic,Milos: ' ±') 30.Ke3 Perunovic,Milos: '±';

A2b22) 28.Nxd6 Be6 29.Ne4 Kg6 30.Be7! Perunovic,Milos: 'Diagram



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A2b221) Krasenkow, Michal: 'After' 30...Rxf3 31.Ng5 Look how the white pieces are all focused on the black king! *(31.Bc5 Bd5*

32.Bxa7 Bxe4 Perunovic,Milos: '='; *31.Rd2 Bd5 32.Nc5 Ra3* Perunovic,Milos: '=' *)* 31...Rc3 32.Nxe6! A great attacking game by the German prodige Vincent Keymer. fxe6 Krasenkow,Michal: 'Black should not lose.' 33.Bd6 Rc2 34.a4 Kf5 Perunovic,Milos: '=';

A2b222) 30...f5?! Krasenkow,Michal: '??' Perunovic,Milos: '??' This loses by force, but it is not like the alternative was that much better. 31.Kf2 1-0 (31) Keymer,V (2700)-Vogel,R (2463) Germany 2023 CBM 215 Extra [Edouard, Romain] Krasenkow, Michal: 'The rook is suddenly trapped in the middle of the board!';

B) 15...Rb8 Mikhalevski, V: '!' '!' '!' '!' '!' Mikhalevski, V: 'and I don't see a clear way for White to seize an advantage. It will be interesting to see practical tests of this line.' Mikhalevski, V: '!' '!' Mikhalevski, V: 'and I don't see a clear way for White to seize an advantage. It will be interesting to see practical tests of this line.' !! What a crazy move to find! Really inhuman but super strong. Black is attacking the b2 pawn and this is enough to keep the position very unclear. Arkaidij Naiditsch: '!!' Arkaidij Naiditsch: 'What a crazy move to find! Really inhuman but super strong. Black is attacking the b2 pawn and this is enough to keep the position very unclear.' Mikhalevski, V: 'and I don't see a clear way for White to seize an advantage. It will be interesting to see practical tests of this line.' Krasenkow,Michal: '!?' 16.Rd3 Edouard,Romain: '!?' *(16.Qxf6 Qxf6 17.Bxf6 Rxb2* and White will win the d5-bishop, with an extra-pawn and a total domination. *18.Nc3* was more resistant, thought after something like Krasenkow, Michal: '1/2 (43) Pijpers,A (2471)-Nabaty,T (2610) Ortisei 2016' *Rc2!?* Perunovic,Milos: ' ♕'Black's position is just very unpleasant, and now any ...g6 will be met with h5. *19.Rac1 Rxc1 20.Rxc1 Kg6 21.e5 Bxd4* and White has a pleasant position, but he won't be killed as in the game. *22.Ne2* followed by ...b5/ ...Be6 was still the best choice. *Bxe5!?* followed by f3 was an interesting gambit/move order. *23.Bxe5!?* to put another knight on f6 would be natural as well. *Re8* Krasenkow,Michal: '=!'*; 16.b3 Rb4 17.Qxf6 Qxf6 18.Bxf6 Kg6 19.a3 Rxb3 20.Bh4 Rb2* Perunovic, Milos: ' ♕'*)* 16...Rxb2 Krasenkow, Michal: ' ♔' 17.Nd2 Rg8 18.Qxf6 Qxf6 19.Bxf6 Rg6 After the exchange of queens Black's king is no longer in danger. Meanwhile Black's active pieces compensate the lack of a pawn. 20.Bh4 *(20.Bd8 f5* Perunovic,Milos: '!' *21.Re1 Rxa2 22.h4* Perunovic, Milos: ' ♔'*)* 20...Rc2♕ ½-½ (31)

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14.Nf3 It is now clear that White is doing better, but the position is still more complicated than it looks like. Black still has the bishop pair and the strong knight on e4 usually gives quite some play. Arkaidij Naiditsch: 'It is now clear that White is doing better, but the position is still more complicated than it looks like. Black still has the bishop pair and the strong knight on e4 usually gives quite some play.' 14...Qd7 15.Nc3 It was my turn now not to play the best move. Arkaidij Naiditsch: 'It was my turn now not to play the best move.'

[I don't see what's wrong with the immediate capture: Mikhalevski, V: 'Postny,E: 'I don't see what's wrong with the immediate capture:" 15.Qxh6 but, the move in the text is not worse. Mikhalevski, V: 'Postny,E: 'but, the move in the text is not worse." f5 *(15...Qe6* And after th e exchange of queens White might be minimally better, but not more than that. Arkaidij Naiditsch: 'And after th e exchange of queens White might be minimally better, but not more than that.' *)*]

[15.Re1 ! Arkaidij Naiditsch: '!' f5 16.Nbd2 ! Exactly! Nbd2 and not Nc3, at which I was looking but I didn't like it because of Qh7. Now Black doesn't have Qh7 anymore because of Qxc6, so White's advantage is quite big. Arkaidij Naiditsch: '!' Arkaidij Naiditsch: 'Exactly! Nbd2 and not Nc3, at which I was looking but I didn't like it because of Qh7. Now Black doesn't have Qh7 anymore because of Qxc6, so White's advantage is quite big.']

15...f5 Mikhalevski, V: '!' '!' '!' '!' '!' Mikhalevski, V: 'The queen is protecting the king from the seventh rank.' Mikhalevski, V: '!' '!' Mikhalevski, V: 'The queen is protecting the king from the seventh rank.'

[15...Nxc3 16.bxc3 Kh7 17.Re1 is not a piece of cake for Black. His king is just weak and bishops are far from being active.]

16.Qxh6 Mikhalevski, V: 'would transpose into the text.' Mikhalevski, V: 'would transpose into the text.' 16...Qg7N Mikhalevski, V: '!' '!' '!' '!' '!' Mikhalevski, V: 'Black has to trade queens bearing in mind the vulnerability of his king.' Mikhalevski, V: 'Black has to trade queens bearing in mind the vulnerability of his king. Postny,E: 'N" Mikhalevski, V: '!' '!' Mikhalevski, V: 'Black has to trade queens bearing in mind the vulnerability of his king.' Mikhalevski, V: 'Black has to trade queens bearing in mind the vulnerability of his king. Postny, E: 'N" White cannot avoid going into an endgame. Arkaidij Naiditsch: 'White cannot avoid going into an endgame.' Mikhalevski, V: 'Black has to trade queens bearing in mind the vulnerability of his king.' Black can't play with such an exposed king, he must trade queens. On the other hand, White's extra pawn will have more value in the endgame. Mikhalevski, V: 'Postny,E: 'Black can't play with such an exposed king, he must trade queens. On the other hand,

White's extra pawn will have more value in the endgame."

[16...Rb8 17.Rab1 Qg7 18.Qe3 *(18.Qxg7+ Kxg7* is an improved version of the position that occurred in the game - here White's rook is passive, at least for a while.*)* 18...Be6± 0-1 (26) Murer,E-Gyimesi,J LSS email 2007]

17.Qxg7+

[It's also possible to keep queens by 17.Qe3 but, White's choice is more practical.]

17...Kxg7 Mikhalevski, V: 'As a result of the opening play White has won a pawn, but Black has some compensation thanks to the bishop pair and semi-open b-file.' Mikhalevski, V: 'As a result of the opening play White has won a pawn, but Black has some compensation thanks to the bishop pair and semi-open b-file.' White is a pawn up, but Black is still fighting and I was actually not that sure how much better I was here. I was trying to find a way to get my bishop from h4 to e3, after which I would be doing "clearly better", but this is just impossible to do. After 18.Rfe1 Black has Re8. Arkaidij Naiditsch: 'White is a pawn up, but Black is still fighting and I was actually not that sure how much better I was here. I was trying to find a way to get my bishop from h4 to e3, after which I would be doing "clearly better", but this is just impossible to do. After 18.Rfe1 Black has Re8.' Mikhalevski, V: 'As a result of the opening play White has won a pawn, but Black has some compensation thanks to the bishop pair and semi-open b-file.' 18.Rac1 Mikhalevski, V: '!' '!' '!' '!' '!' Mikhalevski, V: 'The best square for the rook as Black has doubled pawns on the c-file.' Mikhalevski, V: '!' '!' Mikhalevski, V: 'The best square for the rook as Black has doubled pawns on the c-file.' The rook will be well placed on the c-line, as anyway it is one Black's main ideas to play c5 as soon as possible. Arkaidij Naiditsch: 'The rook will be well placed on the c-line, as anyway it is one Black's main ideas to play c5 as soon as possible.' Mikhalevski, V: 'The best square for the rook as Black has doubled pawns on the c-file.'

[In case of 18.Rfe1!? Black would play Perunovic,Milos: ' ± ' Rb8! 19.Nxe4 fxe4 20.Rxe4 Rxb2 21.Re7+ Rf7 22.Rae1 c5! with counterplay.]

18...Bb7 Mikhalevski, V: '!?' '!?' '!?' '!?' '!?' Mikhalevski, V: '!?' '!?' I don't like this move personally. I think the black bishop would be much better placed on d7. During the next moves, Andreikin is totally losing control over the game. Diagram Arkaidij Naiditsch: 'I don't like this move personally. I think the black bishop would be much better placed on d7. During the next moves, Andreikin is totally losing control over the game. Diagram'

[18...Rb8 Mikhalevski, V: 'deserved attention, provoking' 19.b3 Mikhalevski, V: 'and only then' Rb4? falls to *(19...Bb7)* 20.Nd5! cxd5 21.Rxc7+ Rf7 22.Rxc8+-]

19.Ne2 Mikhalevski, V: '!?' '!?' '!?' '!?' '!?' Mikhalevski, V: 'The knight is coming to f4.' Mikhalevski, V: '!?'

'!?' Mikhalevski, V: 'The knight is coming to f4.' I am trying to get my knight to f4, now we can see that the square e6 is getting weak. Arkaidij Naiditsch: 'I am trying to get my knight to f4, now we can see that the square e6 is getting weak.'

[Now 19.Rfe1!? seems to make less sense as Black can support the knight on e4 by means of Rae8 , although in fact it could have transposed into 19. Ne2 after 20.Ne2]

19...Bb6?! Mikhalevski, V: '?' '?' '?' '?' '?' Mikhalevski, V: 'A serious mistake, which yields White the upper hand.' Mikhalevski, V: 'A serious mistake, which yields White the upper hand. Postny,E: '?!" Mikhalevski, V: '?' '?' Mikhalevski, V: 'A serious mistake, which yields White the upper hand.' Mikhalevski, V: 'A serious mistake, which yields White the upper hand. Postny,E: '?!''Weird. White's knight is clearly heading to f4, why not prevent it?! Mikhalevski, V: 'Postny, E: 'Weird. White's knight is clearly heading to f4, why not prevent it?!"

[19...f4! Mikhalevski, V: 'was necessary, taking away the f4-square. ' Mikhalevski, V: 'was necessary, taking away the f4-square.' was the only logical way to continue, as to let the white knight to f4 is just deadly. Arkaidij Naiditsch: 'was the only logical way to continue, as to let the white knight to f4 is just deadly.' Mikhalevski, V: 'or' 20.Rfe1 *(20.Ng5 Rae8! 21.Rfe1! Rh8! 22.Nf3)* 20...Rae8± Mikhalevski, V: '!' '!' '!' '!' Mikhalevski, V: 'and it's not easy for White to prove his advantage.' Mikhalevski, V: '!' Mikhalevski, V: 'and it's not easy for White to prove his advantage.' Mikhalevski, V: 'and it's not easy for White to prove his advantage.']

20.Nf4 Mikhalevski, V: '±' '±' '±' '±' '±'

20...Rfe8 21.Rfd1± Mikhalevski, V: 'Postny,E: ' ±" Mikhalevski, V: 'Postny,E: ' ±" It is important to keep both black bishops "under control" and to play d5 next looks pretty tempting. Arkaidij Naiditsch: 'It is important to keep both black bishops "under control" and to play d5 next looks pretty tempting.'

21...a5 Mikhalevski, V: 'Black is looking for counterplay on the queenside.' Mikhalevski, V: 'Black is looking for counterplay on the queenside.'

22.d5 Mikhalevski, V: '!?' '!?' '!?' '!?' '!?' Mikhalevski, V: 'White is trying to secure the e6-square before playing Ng5.' Mikhalevski, V: '!?' '!?' Mikhalevski, V: 'White is trying to secure the e6-square before playing Ng5.' Mikhalevski, V: 'White is trying to secure the e6-square before playing Ng5.'

[The immediate 22.Ng5!? with the idea of 23.f3, forcing an exchange of the strong knight on e4, was a serious alternative. Mikhalevski, V: 'with the idea of 23.f3, forcing an exchange of the strong knight on e4, was a serious alternative.' Nxg5 23.Bxg5 Kf7 24.f3 a4 25.Bh4 Ra5 26.Bf2 Rb5 27.Rc2±]

22...c5? Mikhalevski, V: 'Postny,E: '?" Mikhalevski, V: 'Postny,E: '?'' Diagram This looks too ugly to be true. Probably Andreikin thought that every move is bad, but the move in the text is not the lesser evil. Now White gets access to the e6-square. Mikhalevski, V: 'Postny,

E: 'This looks too ugly to be true. Probably Andreikin thought that every move is bad, but the move in the text is not the lesser evil. Now White gets access to the e6-square. "

[Arkaidij Naiditsch: 'After' 22...cxd5 23.Nxd5 Bxd5 24.Rxd5 White is a pawn up, but Black would still have some chances to fight for a draw. Arkaidij Naiditsch: 'White is a pawn up, but Black would still have some chances to fight for a draw.' Kg6 could keep Black still in the game. Mikhalevski, V: 'Postny,E: 'could keep Black still in the game.'' 25.Nd4!± is also better for White. Mikhalevski, V: 'is also better for White.']

23.Ng5 Mikhalevski, V: '!' '!' '!' '!' '!' Mikhalevski, V: '!' '!' ! The last important move in the game. All I need to win the game is to get rid of the knight from e4 to complete happiness. :) Arkaidij Naiditsch: '!' Arkaidij Naiditsch: 'The last important move in the game. All I need to win the game is to get rid of the knight from e4 to complete happiness. :) ' 23...Ba6?! Mikhalevski, V: '?' '?' '?' '?' '?' Mikhalevski, V: 'Postny,E: '?!'' Mikhalevski, V: '?' '?' Mikhalevski, V: 'Postny,E: '?!"

[23...Nxg5 24.Bxg5 Kf7 Mikhalevski, V: ' ± ' ' ± ' ' ± ' ' ± ' ' ± ' Mikhalevski, V: 'would have been better, but White's advantage is beyond question. ' Mikhalevski, V: ' ± ' ' ± ' Mikhalevski, V: 'would have been better, but White's advantage is beyond question. ' Mikhalevski, V: 'would have been better, but White's advantage is beyond question.'would put up more resistance. At least White's knight won't be able to sit comfortably on e6 as it will be driven away by Black's bishop from c8. Mikhalevski, V: 'Postny,E: 'would put up more resistance. At least White's knight won't be able to sit comfortably on e6 as it will be driven away by Black's bishop from c8."]

24.Nfe6+ This is also a nice place for the knight. Arkaidij Naiditsch: 'This is also a nice place for the knight.'

[24.Nge6+!? Kf7 25.f3 c4+ 26.Kh1 Nf6 27.Rc3 with 28.b3 to follow might be even stronger.]

24...Kg6

[The king would have been better placed on g8 as it avoids a possible check on f4. Mikhalevski, V: 'The king would have been better placed on g8 as it avoids a possible check on f4.' 24...Kg8± 25.Nxe4 fxe4 in order to meet 26.Rc3 with Bd3 the move, which is impossible with the king on g6.]

25.Nxe4 fxe4 26.Rc3+- Mikhalevski, V: '!' '!' '!' '!' '!' Mikhalevski, V: 'Postny, E: '+-'' Mikhalevski, V: '!' '!' Mikhalevski, V: 'Postny,E: '+-" And the rook is coming to g3. The game is basically over. Arkaidij Naiditsch: 'And the rook is coming to g3. The game is basically over.'This rook transfer is very annoying for Black's monarch. Mikhalevski, V: 'Postny,E: 'This rook transfer is very annoying for Black's monarch."

26...Rg8 Mikhalevski, V: '?!' '?!' '?!' '?!' '?!'

[Now 26...Bd3 is met by means of 27.Nf4+ Kf5 28.Nxd3 exd3 29.Rcxd3± Nevertheless, it would be better than the game.]

27.Rg3+ Kh5 Mikhalevski, V: '?' '?' '?' '?'

'?' Mikhalevski, V: 'A decisive mistake in a bad position.' Mikhalevski, V: '?' '?' Mikhalevski, V: 'A decisive mistake in a bad position.' Diagram Mikhalevski, V: 'A decisive mistake in a bad position.'

[Mikhalevski, V: 'After' 27...Kh7 28.Rh3 Kg6 Mikhalevski, V: 'or' 29.Re3 Mikhalevski, V: '!?' '+-' '!?' '+-' '!?' '+-' '!?' '+-' '!?' '+-' Mikhalevski, V: 'White would have transposed into 27.Re3.' Mikhalevski, V: '!?' '+-' '!?' '+-' Mikhalevski, V: 'White would have transposed into 27.Re3.' Mikhalevski, V: 'White would have transposed into 27.Re3.' Bd3 *(29...Kf5 30.h3!* with the idea of 29.g4.*)* 30.Nf4++- Mikhalevski, V: 'Postny,E: '+-'' Kf5 31.Nxd3 exd3 32.Rexd3+-]

28.Bg5! Mikhalevski, V: '+-!' '+-!' '+-!' '+-!' '+-!' Mikhalevski, V: 'Due to the 29. Nf4 threat Black loses the c7-pawn. ' Mikhalevski, V: 'Due to the 29.Nf4 threat Black loses the c7-pawn. Postny,E: '!'' Mikhalevski, V: '+-!' '+-!' Mikhalevski, V: 'Due to the 29.Nf4 threat Black loses the c7-pawn.' Mikhalevski, V: 'Due to the 29.Nf4 threat Black loses the c7-pawn. Postny,E: '!'' White wants to play Nf4 next. I think Andreikin could have resigned now, but he decided to keep on playing- no idea why he likes to suffer :) Arkaidij Naiditsch: 'White wants to play Nf4 next. I think Andreikin could have resigned now, but he decided to keep on playing- no idea why he likes to suffer :)' Mikhalevski, V: 'Due to the 29.Nf4 threat Black loses the c7-pawn.' 28...Kg6 Mikhalevski, V: 'A sad necessity.' Mikhalevski, V: 'A sad necessity.' The only defence against Nf4.Sadly, Black has to run into the discovered check.

Mikhalevski, V: 'Postny,E: 'Sadly, Black has to run into the discovered check.

'' 29.Bd8+ Kf7 30.Rxg8 Kxg8 31.Bxc7 And White is 2 pawns up. 31...Bxc7 32.Nxc7 Ra7 33.Ne8 And the d6 pawn is also falling. Arkaidij Naiditsch: 'And the d6 pawn is also falling.'The knight is doing major damage in Black's camp. Mikhalevski, V: 'Postny,E: 'The knight is doing major damage in Black's camp.'' 33...Bd3 34.Nxd6 White is 3 pawns up, but Black keeps on playing. Arkaidij Naiditsch: 'White is 3 pawns up, but Black keeps on playing.' 34...Rd7 35.Nf5 Mikhalevski, V: 'White is three pawns up and his position is completely winning.' Mikhalevski, V: 'White is three pawns up and his position is completely winning.' Fork here, fork there, the knight is such a tricky piece! Mikhalevski, V: 'Postny,E: 'Fork here, fork there, the knight is such a tricky piece!'' 35...Rb7 36.Rd2 a4 37.a3 Mikhalevski, V: '!' '!' '!' '!' '!' 37...c4 38.h4 Mikhalevski, V: '!' '!' '!' '!' '!' 38...Kf8 39.Kh2 Rb3 The last attempt to confuse the opponent.

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'' 40.Nd4 Diagram

[40.d6!?+-]

40...c3 Mikhalevski, V: '!?' '!?' '!?' '!?' '!?' Mikhalevski, V: 'This tactical trick doesn't help Black.' Mikhalevski, V: '!?' '!?' Mikhalevski, V: 'This tactical trick doesn't help Black.' Any move

is of course winning here, but I wanted to create a beautiful position. Arkaidij Naiditsch: 'Any move is of course winning here, but I wanted to create a beautiful position.' Mikhalevski, V: 'This tactical trick doesn't help Black.' 41.Nxb3! No panic! This is the most convincing way. Mikhalevski, V: 'Postny,E: 'No panic! This is the most convincing way.'' 41...axb3 42.bxc3 Bc2 43.Rd4 b2 44.Rb4 b1Q 45.Rxb1 Bxb1 46.Kg3 Mikhalevski, V: 'With five pawns for a piece White wins without any difficulties.' Mikhalevski, V: 'With five pawns for a piece White wins without any difficulties.' White has 5 pawns for a bishop! Amazing. Arkaidij Naiditsch: 'White has 5 pawns for a bishop! Amazing.'Five pawns for the bishop is more than enough. Mikhalevski, V: 'Postny,E: 'Five pawns for the bishop is more than enough." 46...Ke7 47.Kf4 Kd6 48.c4 Bd3 49.h5 Mikhalevski, V: 'A well-played game by the German number one player! The opening line chosen by Black is very sharp, but playable. His play might be improved by means of 13...hxg5 or 19...f4, while White may consider deviating with Sutovsky's 10.cxd4.' Mikhalevski, V: 'A well-played game by the German number one player! The opening line chosen by Black is very sharp, but playable. His play might be improved by means of 13...hxg5 or 19...f4, while White may consider deviating with Sutovsky's 10.cxd4.' This was even too much for Andreikin. All in all a very interesting game from the opening point of view, but it seems that strangely enough the line is good for Black! Arkaidij Naiditsch: 'This was even too much for Andreikin. All in all a very interesting game from the opening point of view, but it seems that strangely enough the line is good for Black!' Mikhalevski, V: 'A well-played game by the German number one player! The opening line chosen by Black is very sharp, but playable. His play might be improved by means of 13...hxg5 or 19...f4, while White may consider deviating with Sutovsky's 10.cxd4.' 1-0 (49) Naiditsch,A (2710)-Andreikin,D (2727) Dortmund GER 2013 [Postny,Evgeny]

Arkaidij Naiditsch: 'It would be nice for Black to be able to play' **9...g5** ? but it doesn't work... Diagram Arkaidij Naiditsch: '?' 10.Nxg5 hxg5 11.Bxg5 d6 12.Bxc6 bxc6 13.dxe5 dxe5 14.Qxd8 Rxd8 15.Bxf6 And White is 2 pawns up.

[112] **11...Bg4** 12.Nxe5 Bh5 13.g4 Bg6 14.Nxg6 fxg6 15.e5 g5 16.Bg3 Ne4 17.b4 a5 18.a3 Qd5 19.Re1 Bb6 20.Qb2 Re7 21.Re2 Ree8 22.Ra2 Nxg3 23.hxg3 Qe6 24.Ra1 Qxg4 25.Re1 Qf5 26.Nd2 Rf8 27.Re2 axb4 28.axb4 Rae8 29.Qa2+ Kh7 30.Rf1 g4 31.Re4 h5 32.c4 Qe6 33.Qa3 Ra8 34.Qd3 Qg6 35.c5 Ba7 36.Ra1 Qf5 37.Qe2 Qe6 38.Qc4 Qe7 39.e6 Rf5 40.Qc2 Kg8 41.Re2 Rf6 42.Nf1 Kf8 43.Qe4 g5 44.Qe5 b6 45.Re4 bxc5 46.bxc5 h4 47.gxh4 Ke8 48.hxg5 Rf8 49.Rxg4 Qh7 50.g6 Qh3 51.Rg3 Qf5 52.Qxf5 Rxf5 53.g7 Ke7 54.Rxa7 Rg8 55.Ne3 Rh5 56.Rxc7+ Kf6 57.Rxc6

Ke7 58.Rc7+ Kf6 59.e7 Kf7 60.Rf3+ Ke6 61.Kf1 Rh1+ 62.Ke2 Rc1 63.Rf8 Rc2+ 64.Kf3 Rxf2+ 65.Kxf2 Rxf8+ 66.exf8B Kf6 67.g8R Ke6 68.Rg6# 1-0 (68) imnotsohuman (2980)-expositor (2789) Blitz 2025

12.e5 Bg4 13.exf6 Bxf3 14.gxf3 d3 15.Qf4 Qd6 16.Qg4 g6 17.Nd2 Re2 18.Ne4 Qd5 19.Bg3 Rd8 20.Rad1 a5 21.Qf4 Kh7 22.c4 Qd7 23.Qh4 Qf5 24.Bf4 Qh5 25.Qxh5 gxh5 26.Kh1 Rxb2 27.Bxc7 Rd7 28.Bd6 Kg6 29.Rxd3 Rxa2 30.Rg1+ Kf5 31.c5 h4 32.Rdd1 b6 33.Rg8 bxc5 34.Re8 Bb6 35.Re7 Rd8 36.Rxf7 Ra3 37.Re7 Rxf3 38.Rg1 Bc7 39.Bxc7 Rd7 40.f7 Rxe7 41.f8Q+ Kxe4 42.Qxe7+ Kd3 43.Rd1+ Kc4 44.Qe4+ Kc3 45.Qxf3+ Kc2 46.Rb1 c4 47.Qd1+ Kc3 48.Be5# 1-0 (48) imnotsohuman (3004)-admonitor (2734) Blitz 2024

113 **7...Qe7** 8.Bf4
[8.Bxc6 bxc6 9.0-0 c5 10.Bg5 cxd4 11.cxd4 Qb4 12.Bxf6 gxf6 13.Nf3 Bb7 14.Qd2 Qxd2 15.Nbxd2 Rb8 16.Rac1 Kd8 17.d5 Re8 18.Nh4 c6 19.d6 Bd4 20.b3 Be5 21.Nc4 Bf4 22.Rce1 c5 23.f3 a5 24.Nxa5 Bxd6 25.Nxb7+ Rxb7 26.Nf5 Bf8 27.Rc1 Kc7 28.Rfd1 Ra8 29.Rc2 Rba7 30.Rdd2 Kc6 31.Kf2 Rd8 32.Re2 d5 33.exd5+ Rxd5 34.Ne3 Rd6 35.Nc4 Re6 36.Red2 f5 37.f4 Bg7 38.Kf3 Bd4 39.b4 Re4 40.bxc5 Kxc5 41.Ne3+ Kb5 42.Nxf5 1-0 (42) Birani (2803)-iCe_eNerGyTeaM (2601) Rapid 2021]
8...Nxe5 9.Bxe5 0-0 10.0-0 d6 11.Bxf6 Qxf6 12.Nd2 b5 13.Bb3 Bb7 14.Bc2 Rae8 15.a4 b4 16.Bd3 Re7 17.Qc2 Rfe8 18.a5 h5 19.Ra4 bxc3 20.bxc3 g6 21.Raa1 h4 22.h3 Rd8 23.Rab1 Bc8 24.Rbe1 Kg7 25.Re3 c5 26.Rf3 Qg5 27.d5 Bb8 28.Re3 Qf4 29.Nc4 Bc7 30.g3 Qh6 31.g4 Qf4 32.Rb1 Kg8 33.Qe2 Qg5 34.Qf3 Red7 35.Ree1 Kg7 36.Qe3 Qxe3 37.Rxe3 Re7 38.Kg2 g5 39.Kg1 Ree8 40.Bc2 Re7 41.Ba4 f6 42.Bc6 Kg6 43.Kg2 Kg7 44.Bb7 Kh6 45.Bxc8 Rxc8 46.Rb7 Ra8 47.Re1 Kg7 48.Kf3 Kf8 49.Reb1 Ke8 50.Ke3 Kd8 51.R1b6 Bxb6 52.Rxb6 Rea7 53.Kd3 f5 54.gxf5 g4 55.Rxd6+ Kc7 56.Rc6+ Kd8 57.Rg6 gxh3 58.Rh6 Rb8 59.Rxh4 Rf7 60.Rxh3 Rb1 61.Ne5 Rf6 62.Kc4 Re1 63.f3 Ra1 64.Nc6+ Ke8 65.Kxc5 Kf8 66.Rh7 Rd1 67.c4 Kg8 68.Ra7 Kf8 69.e5 Rxf5 70.e6 Re1 71.Ra8+ Kg7 72.e7 Rxf3 73.e8Q Rxe8 74.Rxe8 Kf7 75.Re5 Kg7 76.d6 Rd3 77.Rd5 Rh3 78.d7 Rh8 79.Re5 Kf7 80.Re7+ Kf6 81.Re8 Rxe8 82.dxe8Q Kf5 83.Kb6 Kf4 84.Nd4 Kg3 85.c5 Kf4 86.c6 Kg3 87.c7 Kg4 88.c8Q+ Kf4 89.Qe2 Kg5 90.Qeg4+ Kh6 91.Qh8# 1-0 (91) eternal-spring (3094)-AKS-Mantissa (2790) Blitz 2025

114 **10.Kd1** Qh4 11.Qxg7 Rf8 12.Bh6 Bc5 13.Rf1 Nf2+ 14.Rxf2 Qxf2 15.Nd2 Qh4 16.Bb3 d5 17.exd6 Bg4+ 18.Nf3 0-0-0 19.Qg5 Bxf3+ 20.gxf3 Rxd6+ 0-1 (20) Corre_por_tu_vida (2667)-Agressive_Style (2834) Blitz 2022

115 **12.b4**
[12.Bh6 Bc5 13.Rf1 Ng3+ 14.hxg3 Qxa4 15.Nd2 d5 16.b4 Be7 17.Rf4 Be6 18.Qxh7 0-0-0 19.Bxf8 Bxf8 20.Qd3 Bh6 21.Rd4 Qd7 22.Rf1 Bg4+ 23.Ke1 Qe6 24.Nf3 Bf5 25.Qe2 Be4 26.Kf2 Rg8 27.Rh1 Qg6 28.Rh3 Bf5 29.Nh4 Qg5 30.Nxf5 Qxf5+ 31.Kg1 Bg7 32.Qf3

Qxe5 33.Kh2 c6 34.Rg4 Rf8 35.Qf4 f5 36.Qxe5 Bxe5 37.Rg5 Kc7 38.Rh7+ Kb6 39.Rhh5 Kb5 40.Rxf5 Bxc3 41.Rxf8 Bxb4 42.Rf7 b6 43.Rh6 a5 44.Rff6 Ka4 45.Rxc6 b5 46.Rb6 d4 47.Rb7 Ka3 48.Rd7 1-0 (48) sdb2003 (2789)-gmmitkov (2650) Blitz 2023]

12...f6

[12...Qh5+ 13.g4 Qg6 14.Qxg6 fxg6 15.Bh6 b5 16.Bxf8 d5 17.Bb3 Bxg4+ 18.Kd3 Bf5 19.Ke2 Bg4+ 20.Kd3 Bf5 21.Bh6 Ng3+ 22.Kd2 Nxh1 23.Na3 Be4 24.Ke2 d4 25.Rxh1 Bxh1 26.Kxf2 dxc3 27.Ke3 c6 28.Nb1 c2 29.Bxc2 a5 30.bxa5 Rxa5 31.Bb3 Bd5 32.Nd2 Ke7 33.Kd4 Bxb3 34.axb3 Ra1 35.b4 Rc1 36.Be3 Kd7 37.Kd3 h5 38.h4 Ke7 39.Ke4 Kd7 40.Bc5 Re1+ 41.Kf4 Rc1 42.Nf3 Rf1 43.Ke3 Rh1 44.Ke4 Rb1 45.Nd4 Ke8 46.e6 Rh1 47.Nf3 Rd1 48.Ke5 Rd5+ 49.Kf4 Rd1 50.Nd4 Re1 51.Kg5 Rg1+ 52.Kf6 Rg4 53.Kg7 Rg2 54.e7 g5 55.hxg5 Rxg5+ 56.Kf6 Rg8 57.Nf5 Kd7 58.Kf7 Ra8 59.Ng7 h4 60.Ne6 h3 61.Nf8+ Kc7 62.Ne6+ Kd7 63.Bg1 c5 64.Nxc5+ Kd6 65.Ne6 Ke5 66.Nd8 Kf4 67.e8Q Ra3 68.Bh2+ Kf3 69.Qc6+ Kf2 70.Qc2+ Kf1 71.Qb1+ Kg2 72.Qg1+ Kf3 73.Qg3+ Ke2 74.Qxa3 Kf2 75.Qxh3 Ke2 76.Be5 Kd2 77.Ne6 Kc2 78.Qc3+ Kd1 79.Qd3+ Kc1 80.Qe2 Kb1 81.Qb2# 1-0 (81) CalmMovesAI (3116)-admonitor (2728) Blitz 2024]

13.e6 Qh5+ 14.g4 Qd5 15.Bb3 Qb5+ 16.c4 Qe5 17.Bh6 Ng5+ 18.Kxf2 Qd4+ 19.Ke2 Qe4+

[19...Nxe6 20.Qxh7

A) 20...Qxa1 21.Bxf8 Kxf8 22.Rf1 d6 *(22...Qd4 23.Rf3 c5 24.bxc5 Qa1 25.Kf2 Qb2+ 26.Bc2 Qd4+ 27.Ke1 Qg1+ 28.Rf1 Qe3+ 29.Kd1 Qd4+ 30.Nd2 Qxg4+ 31.Kc1 Qg7 32.Qh4 Ng5 33.Qd4 Kf7 34.Ne4 Nxe4 35.Qxe4 d6 36.Qd5+ Ke8 37.Re1+ Kd8 38.Kb1 a5 39.Qxd6+ Bd7 40.Bf5 Rc8 41.Bxd7 Qxd7 42.Qxf6+ Kc7 43.Re7 Qxe7 44.Qxe7+ Kb8 45.h4 Ka8 46.h5 Rg8 47.h6 Rg1+ 48.Kb2 Rg2+ 49.Ka3 Rg3+ 50.Ka4 Rg2 51.Qe5 Rxa2+ 52.Kb5 Ka7 53.c6 bxc6+ 54.Kxc6 Rb2 55.Qxb2 Ka6 56.Qb7# Normal 1-0 (56) LeelaMultiPoss (2745)-expositor (2467) Classical 2024)* 23.Nd2 Qc3 24.Kd1 a5 25.b5 Nc5 26.Qh6+ Kf7 27.Qh7+ Kf8 28.Qh8+ Kf7 29.Qh5+ Ke7 30.Bc2 c6 31.b6 Qa1+ 32.Bb1 Be6 33.Qh7+ Ke8 34.Qg6+ Bf7 35.Re1+ Ne4 36.Rxe4+ Kf8 37.Qh6+ Kg8 38.Re7 f5 39.gxf5 Qg7 40.Qxg7+ Kxg7 41.Ne4 Kg8 42.Rxb7 d5 43.Ng5 Bh5+ 44.Kd2 Re8 45.f6 Re2+ 46.Kc3 Re3+ 47.Kd4 Re8 48.Rg7+ Kh8 49.b7 dxc4 50.Bg6 Bxg6 51.Rxg6 Rd8+ 52.Kxc4 Rd4+ 53.Kxd4 c5+ 54.Kxc5 a4 55.b8Q# 1-0 (55) KQRBNPkqrbnp (2933)-expositor (2635) Rapid 2023;

B) 20...Qxg4+ 21.Ke1 Qd4 22.Bc2 c6 23.Bxf8 Kxf8 24.Rf1 a5 25.Bg6 Ng5 26.Qh8+ Ke7 27.c5 Nf7 28.Qg7 Kd8 29.Qxf7 Qxb4+ 30.Nd2 Qxc5 31.Qxf6+ Kc7 32.Qf4+ d6 33.Ne4 Qb4+ 34.Qd2 Be6 35.a3 Qxd2+ 36.Kxd2 Rh8 37.Rf2 b5 38.Re1 Rh6 39.Nf6 Bc4 40.Re7+ Kb6 41.Nd7+ Ka6 42.Nb8+ Kb6 43.Nd7+ Kb7 44.Bf5 Ka6 45.Nc5+

Kb6 46.Nd7+ Ka6 47.Rh7 Rxh7 48.Bxh7 Kb7 49.h4 a4 50.Bd3 Bg8 51.Rg2 Bd5 52.Rg7 Bf3 53.Ne5+ Kb6 54.Nxf3 b4 55.h5 bxa3 56.Bb1 a2 57.Bxa2 a3 58.h6 c5 59.h7 c4 60.h8Q c3+ 61.Kxc3 Kc5 62.Qc8+ Kb6 63.Qb8+ Ka5 64.Ra7# 1-0 (64) BoonerBot (3056)-admonitor (2848) Rapid 2025]

20.Kd2 Qf4+ 21.Kd1 Qf3+ 22.Kc2 Qe4+ 23.Kb2 Nxe6 24.Re1 Qxe1 25.Qxh7 Qe2+

[25...a5 26.Nc3 Qf2+ 27.Bc2 axb4 28.Nd5 Qd4+ 29.Kb1 Qc5 30.Be3 Qd6 31.g5 b5 32.gxf6 Bb7 33.c5 Rf7 34.cxd6 Rxh7 35.Nxc7+ Nxc7 36.Bxh7 Ne6 37.Bg6+ Kd8 38.Kb2 Bd5 39.Bh6 Kc8 40.f7 Kb7 41.Re1 Rxa2+ 42.Kb1 Rf2 43.Rxe6 Rf1+ 44.Kb2 Rf2+ 45.Kc1 Rf1+ 46.Kd2 Bxe6 47.f8Q Rxf8 48.Bxf8 Bh3 49.Bf7 Kc6 50.Bb3 Kc5 51.Ke3 Kc6 52.Kd4 Kb6 53.Bh6 Kc6 54.Ke5 Kb6 55.Bd2 Bg4 56.Bxb4 Bh3 57.Bd5 Bg4 58.Kf6 Bh5 59.Be4 Bd1 60.h4 Bh5 61.Bf5 Be8 62.Ke7 Bh5 63.Bxd7 Bf3 64.Be6 Bc6 65.Bc8 Ka7 66.d7 Bxd7 67.Kxd7 Kb6 68.Kd6 Ka7 69.Kc7 Ka8 70.Bb7+ Ka7 71.Bc5# 1-0 (71) imnotsohuman (2981)-admonitor (2739) Blitz 2024]

26.Bc2 Nd4 27.Nd2 Nxc2 28.Kxc2 Rf7 29.Qg6 d6 30.Rf1 Ke7 31.Rf4 Be6 32.Re4 Qxh2 33.Bf4 Qh7 34.Qf5 Qxf5 35.gxf5 Rh8 36.Rxe6+ Kd8 37.Ne4 Re7 38.Nxf6 Rxe6 39.fxe6 Ke7 40.Nd5+ Kxe6 41.Nxc7+ Kd7 42.Nd5 Rh4

[42...b5 43.cxb5 axb5 44.Nc3 *(44.Be3 Rh2+ 45.Bd2 Rh3 46.Nc3 Kc6 47.Ne2 Rh4 48.Kb3 Kd5 49.Be3 Rh2 50.Nc3+ Kc6 51.a4 bxa4+ 52.Kxa4 Rh3 53.b5+* ½-½ (55) Hoon_Bot (2823)-expositor (2730) Blitz 2024*)* 44...Kc6 45.Kd3 Rh7 46.Ne2 Ra7 47.Nc3 Rh7 48.Kd4 Re7 49.Bc1 Rh7 50.Ne2 Rh2 51.Kd3 Kd5 52.Be3 Rh1 53.a3 Rf1 54.Bc1 Rf3+ 55.Be3 Rf1 56.Nc3+ Kc6 57.a4 bxa4 58.b5+ Kb7 59.Nxa4 Rf3 60.Nc3 Rh3 61.Nd5 Kc8 62.Kc3 Kb7 63.Kb4 Rh4+ 64.Ka5 Re4 65.Bh6 Re1 66.Nc3 Ra1+ 67.Kb4 Rh1 68.Bf8 Rh4+ 69.Ka5 Rc4 70.Na4 Rd4 71.Nb6 Rd1 72.Na4 Rd4 73.Nb6 Rd1 74.Nc4 Ra1+ 75.Kb4 Rb1+ 76.Ka5 Ra1+ 77.Kb4 Rb1+ 78.Ka4 Ra1+ 79.Na3 Rd1 80.Ka5 Kc7 81.Bh6 Ra1 82.Kb4 Rh1 83.Be3 Rh3 84.Bd2 Rh2 85.Bg5 Rb2+ 86.Ka5 Ra2 87.Kb4 Rg2 88.Bf6 Kb7 89.Nc4 Rg4 90.Kb3 Rg3+ 91.Ka4 Rg4 92.Kb3 Kc7 93.Ne3 Re4 94.Nd5+ Kb7 95.Bb2 Rh4 96.Bf6 Rg4 97.Kc3 Rg1 98.Kc4 Re1 99.Bc3 Rh1 100.Bf6 Rh6 101.Kb4 Rg6 102.Ka5 Rg2 103.Ne3 Rf2 104.Be7 Ra2+ 105.Kb4 Rb2+ 106.Ka5 Ra2+ 107.Kb4 Re2 108.Bg5 Rb2+ 109.Kc3 ½-½ (110) SGM_UltrABulleT (3113)-expositor (2882) Rapid 2025]

43.Kd3 b5 44.cxb5 axb5 45.Ke4 Rh8 46.Nc3 Kc6 47.Ne2 Re8+ 48.Kd3 Ra8 49.Nd4+ Kb6 50.Ke4 Rxa2 51.Bxd6 Rd2 52.Bc5+ Ka6 53.Be7 Rd1 54.Ne6 Kb7 55.Bd8 Rb1 56.Ba5 Rd1 57.Nd4 Ka6 58.Nb3 Kb7 59.Ke5 Rh1 60.Nd4 Ka6 61.Ne6 Rd1 62.Nc7+ Kb7 63.Nxb5 Ra1 64.Nd4 Ra4 65.Nb3 Kc6 66.Nd4+ Kb7 67.Ke4 Ka6 68.Nc6 Kb5 69.Kd5 Ra2 70.Nd4+ Ka4 71.Kc5 Ra3 72.Kc4 Re3 73.Bb6 Re4 74.Ba7 Rg4 75.Bc5 ½-½ (75) BoonerBot (3189)-

admonitor (2836) Rapid 2025

116 **6.Bc2** d6 [6...Bb6 7.d4 *(7.a4 Rb8 8.d4 d6 9.h3 Nge7 10.0-0 0-0 11.Na3 exd4 12.cxd4 Nb4 13.axb5 axb5 14.Bb1 c5 15.Bd2 Nbc6 16.d5 Na7 17.Nc2 f5 18.exf5 Nxf5 19.Bg5 Qc7 20.Re1 h6 21.Bf4 Ne7 22.Bg3 Bf5 23.Nh4 Rbe8 24.Qh5 Qd7 25.Ne3 Bxb1 26.Raxb1 c4 27.Ng4 Nf5 28.Rxe8 Nxg3 29.Nxh6+ gxh6 30.Rxf8+* 1-0 (30) Wang,H (2710)-Lan,Z (2343) Hangzhou CHN 2018*)* 7...Nf6 8.0-0 d6

A) 9.h3

A1) 9...0-0 10.a4 Rb8 11.axb5 *(11.d5 Ne7 12.axb5 axb5 13.Qe2 Ng6 14.Be3 Bxe3 15.fxe3 b4 16.Bd3 bxc3 17.bxc3 Nd7 18.Ba6 Nc5 19.Bxc8 Qxc8 20.Nbd2 h6 21.Ra7 f5 22.exf5 Rxf5 23.e4 Rf4 24.Nh2 Rb2 25.Qd1 Qb8 26.Qa1 Qb6 27.Ra8+ Kh7 28.Nc4 Nb3+ 29.Nxb6 Nxa1 30.Nd7 Rxf1+ 31.Nxf1 Nc2 32.Ng3 Ne3 33.Nf5 Rxg2+ 34.Kh1 Re2 35.h4 h5 36.Rc8 Nxf5 37.exf5 Nxh4 38.Rxc7 Nf3* 0-1 (38) Punchen (2653)-siroglantalibov (2784) Blitz 2024*)* 11...axb5 12.Bg5 h6 13.Bh4 g5 14.Bg3 Qe7 15.Nbd2 Bb7 16.Re1 Rfe8 17.Nf1 Qf8 18.Ne3 exd4 19.Nf5 dxc3 20.bxc3 Ne5 21.Nxe5 dxe5 22.h4 Bc8 23.hxg5 hxg5 24.Qf3 g4 25.Qe2 Bxf5 26.exf5 Qc5 27.Qd2 Nh7 28.f6 e4 29.Rxe4 Rxe4 30.Bxe4 Nxf6 31.Bc2 Kg7 32.Re1 Re8 33.Rxe8 Nxe8 34.Qf4 Nf6 35.Bh4 Qxc3 36.Qg5+ Kf8 37.Qxf6 Qxc2 38.Qh8# 1-0 (38) Retro23 (2679)-AmyMacdonald (2655) Blitz 2023;

A2) 9...h6 10.Be3 0-0 11.Re1 Re8 12.Nbd2 Bb7 13.d5 Ne7 14.Bxb6 cxb6 15.Bd3 Ng6 16.Bf1 Bc8 17.a4 bxa4 18.Rxa4 b5 19.Bxb5 Bd7 20.Bxd7 Nxd7 21.b4 Qc7 22.Qb3 Reb8 23.Qa3 a5 24.Rxa5 Rxa5 25.bxa5 Ra8 26.Ra1 Nc5 27.g3 Nf8 28.Qb4 Nfd7 29.Kg2 Ra6 30.Qc4 Qa7 31.Qb5 g6 32.Ra3 Kg7 33.Ne1 h5 34.Nd3 Nxd3 35.Qxd3 Rxa5 36.Rxa5 Qxa5 37.Nc4 Qc5 38.Ne3 Nf6 39.Nf1 h4 40.Nd2 hxg3 41.fxg3 Qa3 42.Qe3 Qb2 43.c4 Nxe4 44.Qxe4 Qxd2+ 45.Kg1 Qc3 46.Kg2 f5 47.Qh4 Qd2+ 48.Kg1 g5 49.Qh5 Qe3+ 50.Kg2 Qe4+ 51.Kg1 Qe3+ 52.Kg2 Qd2+ 53.Kg1 e4 54.Qe8 Qc1+ 55.Kg2 Qc2+ 56.Kg1 Qd1+ 57.Kg2 Qe2+ 58.Kg1 Qe3+ 59.Kg2 Qf3+ 60.Kg1 Qxg3+ 61.Kf1 Qxh3+ 62.Ke1 Qd3 63.Qe7+ Kg6 64.Qe8+ Kg7 65.Qe7+ Kh6 66.Qf6+ Kh5 67.Qxf5 Qe3+ 68.Kf1 Qd3+ 69.Kf2 Qc2+ 70.Kg3 Qc3+ 71.Kg2 Qd2+ 72.Kh3 Qe3+ 73.Kg2 Qd2+ 74.Kg3 Qd3+ 75.Kf2 Qc2+ 76.Ke1 Qc3+ 77.Kd1 Qxc4 78.Qh3+ Kg6 79.Qe6+ Kh5 80.Qh3+ Kg6 81.Qe6+ Kh5 82.Qf7+ 1-0 (82) Rory_Sutherland (2730)-DrawDenied_Twitch (2772) Blitz 2024;

B) 9.a4

B1) 9...Bb7

B1a) 10.h3 0-0 11.Be3 *(11.Bg5 h6 12.Bh4 g5 13.Nxg5 hxg5 14.Bxg5 Kg7 15.Qf3 exd4 16.Qg3 Rh8 17.f4 d3+ 18.Kh2 dxc2 19.e5 Nh5 20.Qg4 f5 21.Qxf5 Qf8 22.Qxc2 dxe5 23.Nd2 exf4 24.Ne4 Ne5 25.Rad1 Re8 26.Rd7+ Nxd7 27.c4 Bxe4 28.Qc3+ Re5 29.Rd1 Qf5 30.Rxd7+ Kg6 31.Bh4 f3 32.Rd2 Qf4+ 33.Kh1 Ng3+ 34.Bxg3 Qxg3 35.Rd7 fxg2#* 0-1 (35) MaLeKkoNihli (2630)-AmyMacdonald (2657) Blitz 2023 *)* 11...Re8 12.Nbd2 exd4 13.cxd4 Nb4 14.e5 dxe5 15.dxe5 Bxe3 16.fxe3 Nfd5 17.Re1 Nxc2 18.Qxc2 Nb4 19.Qf5 g6 20.Qb1 Qd3 21.Ra3 Qxb1 22.Rxb1 Rad8 23.Rc1 Rd7 24.axb5 axb5 25.Ra7 Rb8 26.Rc5 Bc6 27.Nd4 Rb6 28.N2f3 Bxf3 29.gxf3 Nd3 30.Rxb5 Rxb5 31.Nxb5 Nxe5 32.Kg2 Rd2+ 33.Kg3 Rxb2 34.Nxc7 Nc4 35.Nd5 Rd2 36.e4 Kg7 37.h4 h5 38.Re7 Nd6 39.Nf4 Rd4 40.Ne6+ Kf6 41.Nxd4 Kxe7 42.Kf4 ½-½ (42) Fratz71 (2636)-SrBasulto04 (2441) Blitz 2024;

B1b) 10.axb5 axb5 11.Rxa8 Qxa8 12.Na3 0-0 13.Nxb5 exd4 14.Nbxd4 Nxd4 15.Nxd4 Bxe4 16.Bxe4 Qxe4 17.Re1 Qg6 18.Be3 Re8 19.Qf3 Bxd4 20.cxd4 h6 21.h3 Ne4 22.Rc1 Re7 23.Ra1 d5 24.Ra8+ Kh7 25.Bf4 c6 26.Rb8 Ra7 27.Be5 Ra1+ 28.Kh2 Nd2 29.Qf4 Nf1+ 30.Kg1 Ne3+ 0-1 (30) Tulachessroom (2724)-Chesstoday (2879) Blitz 2021;

B2) 9...Rb8 10.axb5 axb5 11.Na3 b4 12.Nc4 bxc3 13.bxc3 0-0 *(13...exd4 14.cxd4 0-0 15.e5 dxe5 16.dxe5 Ng4 17.h3 Qxd1 18.Bxd1 Nh6 19.g4 Be6 20.Nxb6 Rxb6 21.Be3 Rb5 22.Ba4 Nxe5 23.Bxb5 Nxf3+ 24.Kg2 Bd5 25.Rfd1 Be4 26.Ra4 f5 27.Kg3 g5 28.Rxe4 fxe4 29.Rd7 Nf7 30.Bc4 c6 31.Bc5 N3e5 32.Bxf8 Nxd7 33.Be7 Nde5 34.Be6 Kg7 35.Bf5 Ng6 36.Bc5 Nfe5 37.Bd4 Kf7 38.Bxe4 Ke6 39.Be3 h6 40.f4 gxf4+ 41.Bxf4 Nxf4 42.Kxf4 c5 43.h4 c4 44.g5 hxg5+ 45.hxg5 Nd7 46.Ke3 Ke5 47.Bc2 Nb6 48.g6 Nd5+ 49.Kd2 Kf6 50.Bd1 Kxg6 51.Be2 c3+ 52.Kc2 Kf5 53.Bc4 Ke5 54.Bxd5 Kd4* 0-1 (54) tacticalC (2642)-Adammaltese (2581) Blitz 2021*)* 14.Nxb6 Rxb6 15.h3 h6 16.Re1 Re8 17.Be3 exd4 18.cxd4 Nb4 19.d5 Rb8 20.Bd4 c5 21.dxc6 Nxc6 22.Bc3 Be6 23.Ba4 Rc8 24.e5 Nd5 25.Bb2 dxe5 26.Nxe5 Nxe5 27.Bxe8 Nc4 28.Bxg7 Kxg7 29.Rxe6 fxe6 30.Qg4+ Kf8 31.Qxe6 Qf6 32.Qxc8 Qxa1+ 33.Kh2 Qe5+ 34.g3 Nd6 35.Qc5 Kxe8 36.Qc6+ Ke7 37.Qa6 Qd4 38.Qe2+ Qe4 39.Qh5 Qf5 40.Qe2+ Kf7 41.Qd2 Ne4 0-1 (41) vistagausta (2868)-Teranforeverwithus

(2738) Blitz 2022]
[6...Nf6 7.d4 exd4 8.cxd4 Bb4+ 9.Nc3 d5 10.e5 Ng8 11.0-0 Be6 12.Ng5 Bxc3 13.bxc3 Kd7 14.f4 h6 15.Nxe6 fxe6 16.f5 Kc8 17.fxe6 Nge7 18.Qg4 g5 19.Ba3 Kb7 20.Rf7 Rf8 21.Raf1 Rxf7 22.exf7 1-0 (22) Kinryln (2716)-statham_13 (2515) Blitz 2024]
[6...Qf6 7.0-0 d6 8.d4 exd4 9.Bg5 Qg6 10.e5 Bf5 11.Bxf5 Qxf5 12.cxd4 Nxd4 13.Nxd4 Qxg5 14.Re1 0-0-0 15.Nc6 Rd7 16.exd6 Rxd6 17.Qf3 Nf6 18.Re5 Qc1+ 0-1 (18) Ballsy_Binge (2687)-LEV2310 (2685) Blitz 2024]
7.d4 Bb6
[7...exd4 8.cxd4 Ba7 9.h3 Nge7 10.a4 *(10.Be3 0-0 11.0-0 d5 12.e5 Bf5 13.Nc3 Qd7 14.Bxf5 Nxf5 15.Qd3 Nb4 16.Qd2 c5 17.dxc5 Nxe3 18.fxe3 Bxc5 19.a3 Nc6 20.Qxd5 Bxe3+ 21.Kh1 Qxd5 22.Nxd5 Ba7 23.Rac1 Nd4 24.Rfd1 Nxf3 25.gxf3 Rfd8 26.Rc7 Kf8 27.f4 Bf2 28.f5 Ra7 29.Rxa7 Bxa7 30.e6 Bc5 31.Kg2 g6 32.exf7 Kxf7 33.fxg6+ hxg6 34.Kf3 Bf8 35.Ke4 Bg7 36.Rf1+ Kg8 37.b4 Re8+ 38.Kd3 Re5 39.Nc7 Re7 40.Nd5 Re5 41.Ne3 Re7 42.Rf3 Rd7+ 43.Ke4 Rd4# 0-1 (43) GrandCandidate2004 (2662)-gmmitkov (2612) Blitz 2022)* 10...Bb7 11.Nc3 b4 12.Ne2 Na5 13.0-0 0-0 14.Ng3 c5 15.d5 Nc4 16.Qe2 Nb6 17.Be3 a5 18.b3 Ng6 19.Rad1 c4 20.bxc4 Ba6 21.Bb3 Nd7 22.Nd4 Nc5 23.Nc6 Qc7 24.Nf5 f6 25.Nxa7 Rxa7 26.Qc2 Rc8 27.Rc1 Rb7 28.Rfd1 Nxb3 29.Qxb3 Bxc4 30.Rxc4 Qxc4 31.Qxc4 Rxc4 32.Nxd6 Rcc7 33.Nxb7 Rxb7 34.Rb1 Kf7 35.f3 Ne5 36.Kf1 g5 37.Ke2 Rc7 38.Rc1 Rxc1 39.Bxc1 Nc4 40.Kd3 Nb6 41.Be3 Nxa4 42.Kc2 Nc3 43.Bf2 h5 44.Kd3 Nd1 45.Bd4 b3 46.Kd2 b2 47.Kc2 a4 48.Bc5 g4 49.hxg4 hxg4 50.fxg4 Nc3 51.Kxb2 Nxe4 52.Bb4 Nf2 53.g5 fxg5 54.Kc3 Kf6 55.Kd4 Kf5 56.Be7 Ne4 57.Ba3 Nf6 58.Kc5 Nxd5 59.Kxd5 Kg4 60.Bc1 Kg3 61.Bxg5 a3 62.Bf6 Kxg2 63.Bd4 Kf3 64.Ba1 a2 65.Bc3 Kf2 66.Ba1 Kg2 67.Kd6 Kg3 68.Be5+ Kf2 69.Bd4+ Kf3 70.Bb2 Ke3 71.Bh8 Kf3 72.Bb2 Kg2 73.Ba1 Kg1 74.Kc5 Kf2 75.Kd6 Ke2 76.Kc5 Kd1 77.Kb4 Kc1 78.Bc3 Kb1 79.Bd4 Kc1 80.Bc3 Kb1 81.Bd4 a1Q 82.Bxa1 ½-½ (82) SaxtonEngine (2724)-OpeningsBot (2562) Blitz 2025]
8.a4
[8.h3 Nf6 9.dxe5 Nxe5 10.Nxe5 dxe5 11.Qe2 Bb7 12.0-0 0-0 13.Bg5 h6 14.Bh4 Qe7 15.Nd2 Rad8 16.Nf3 Rd6 17.a4 c6 18.Bg3 Nd7 19.Nh4 g6 20.axb5 cxb5 21.Rfd1 Rd8 22.Rxd6 Qxd6 23.Rd1 Qf6 24.Bb3 Nc5 25.Bd5 Bxd5 26.exd5 e4 27.b4 Nd3 28.Qxe4 Nxf2 29.Bxf2 Bxf2+ 30.Kh1 Qxh4 31.Qf3 Bb6 32.d6 Kg7 33.Qb7 Qf2 34.d7 Ba7 35.Qc7 Qb6 36.Qe5+ Qf6 37.Qc7 Bb6 38.Qb7 Be3 39.Qe4 Rxd7 40.Re1 Re7 41.Qd3 Bf4 42.Rf1 Qe5 43.c4 bxc4 44.Qxc4 Bg5 45.Qxa6 Bf6 46.Qc6 Re6 47.Qd7 Qe2 48.Rc1 Re7 49.Qd5 Be5 50.Qc5 Qd2 51.Rf1 Bf6 52.Qc6 Qe3 53.Qxf6+ Kh7 54.b5 Qxh3+ 55.gxh3 Re2 56.Qxf7+ 1-0 (56) Arteler (2623)-A_H_Kashefi (2563) Blitz 2022]
8...Bg4 9.d5 Nce7 10.h3 Bd7 11.0-0

Nf6 12.Re1 0-0 13.a5 Ba7 14.Be3 Bxe3 15.Rxe3 Ng6 16.Nbd2 h6 17.c4 Rb8 18.b3 Nf4 19.c5 g5 20.c6 Bc8 21.Nf1 g4 22.N3h2 gxh3 23.g3 Ng2 24.Rc3 Kh7 25.Ne3 Rg8 26.Nxg2 hxg2 27.Kxg2 Ng4 28.Nxg4 Bxg4 29.Qd2 Qg5 30.Qxg5 Rxg5 31.b4 Rbg8 32.Rh1 Bh5 33.Rh4 Bg6 34.Re3 f5 35.exf5 Bxf5 36.Bxf5+ Rxf5 37.Rf3 Rgf8 38.Rxf5 Rxf5 39.f3 Kg6 40.Kf2 h5 41.Ke3 Kg5 42.Ke4 Rf7 43.Rh1 Re7 44.Rg1 Re8 45.Rh1 Rf8 46.Rg1 Kg6 47.Rh1 Rf5 48.g4 Rf4+ 49.Ke3 hxg4 50.fxg4 Rxb4 51.Rh8 Rd4 52.Rc8 Rxd5 53.Rxc7 Rc5 54.Rc8 Kg7 55.c7 b4 56.Ke4 b3 57.Kf5 b2 58.Rb8 Rxc7 59.Rxb2 Rc5 60.Rb6 Rxa5 61.Rxd6 Kf7 62.g5 e4+ 63.Kxe4 Rxg5 64.Rxa6 Rg4+ 65.Kd5 Rg5+ 66.Kc6 Ke7 67.Kb7 Kd7 68.Rb6 Rc5 69.Ka6 Rc2 70.Rb5 Kc6 71.Ka5 Ra2+ 72.Kb4 Rb2+ 73.Kc3 Rxb5 0-1 (73) vistagausta (2874)-DrawDenied_Twitch (2850) Blitz 2024

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[8...Bb6 9.Re1 *(9.Bg5 h6 10.Bh4 d6 11.Nbd2 g5 12.Bg3 Bb7 13.a4 b4 14.a5 Nxa5 15.dxe5 dxe5 16.Nxe5 Nxb3 17.Qxb3 bxc3 18.bxc3 0-0 19.Ng6 Qd7 20.Nxf8 Qxd2 21.Ng6 Nxe4 22.Ne5 Bd5 23.c4 Be6 24.Rad1 Qc3 25.Qb1 f5 26.Nd7 Qxc4 27.Nxb6 cxb6 28.Qxb6 f4 29.Qb7 Re8 30.Rc1 Qd5 31.Qxa6 fxg3 32.hxg3 Rf8 33.Qe2 Qf5 34.Rce1 Bd5 35.Rd1 Nf6 36.Rfe1 Kg7 37.Rd2 Re8 38.Qd1 Rxe1+ 39.Qxe1 h5 40.Re2 Kg6 41.Re7 h4 42.gxh4 gxh4 43.Qe5 Qg4 44.f3 Bxf3 45.Qh2 Qd4+ 46.Kf1 Qd1+ 47.Re1 Qd3+ 48.Kf2 Ng4+* Time forfeit 0-1 (48) Cbum-indio (2611)-emiliofelixramirez (2441) Blitz 2024*)* 9...d6 10.Bg5 h6 11.Bh4 g5 12.Bg3 Bb7 13.Nbd2 exd4 14.e5 dxe5 15.Nxe5 0-0 16.Nxc6 Qd7 17.Ne5 Qf5 18.Ndf3 dxc3 19.bxc3 Rad8 20.Nd4 Bxd4 21.cxd4 c5 22.Qc2 Ne4 23.f3 Nxg3 24.hxg3 Qxc2 25.Bxc2 Rxd4 26.Red1 Rfd8 27.Kf2 f6 28.Ng4 Kg7 29.Ne3 Kf7 30.Nf5 Rd2+ 31.Ke3 Rxd1 32.Rxd1 Rxd1 33.Bxd1 Ke6 34.Nxh6 Bd5 35.a3 b4 36.axb4 cxb4 37.Kd4 a5 38.Ng4 f5 39.Ne3 Ba2 40.Kc5 b3 41.Nc4 b2 42.Nxb2 f4 43.gxf4 gxf4 44.Nd3 Kf5 45.Bc2 Kg5 46.Kd4 Be6 47.Ke5 a4 48.Bxa4 Bf7 49.Nxf4 Bh5 1-0 (49) Sicilian_training (2702)-Dilema_fixer (2627) Blitz 2023]
[8...exd4 9.e5 Nxe5 10.Nxe5 Qxe5 11.Re1 Qxe1+ 12.Qxe1+ Kf8 13.cxd4 Bxd4 14.Nc3 Bb7 15.Be3 Re8 16.Qd2 Bxe3 17.fxe3 g6 18.Nd5 Kg7 19.Nxf6 Kxf6 20.Qd4+ Kg5 21.Qf4+ Kh5 22.Bd1+ 1-0 (22) RUFO1 (2696)-VTENEA (2334) Rapid 2021]
9.Re1 0-0 10.a4 Bb7 11.Bg5 Rfe8 12.Na3 h6 13.Bxf6 Qxf6 14.axb5 axb5 15.Nxb5 Rxa1 16.Qxa1 exd4 17.cxd4 Ra8 18.Qd1 Bb4 19.Nxc7 Bxe1 20.Nxa8 Ba5 21.Bd5 Bxa8 22.b4 Bb6 23.b5 Nxd4 24.Bxa8 Nxf3+ 25.gxf3 Qg5+ 26.Kf1 Qxb5+ 27.Kg2 Qg5+ 28.Kh3 Qf4 29.Kg2 Qh4 30.Qd2 Bc7 31.Qxd7 Qxh2+ 32.Kf1 g5 33.Bd5 Qf4 34.Ke2 Kf8 35.Qg4 Qe5 36.Qc8+ Kg7 37.Qd7 Qf4 38.Qg4 Be5 39.Qxf4 Bxf4 40.Kf1 h5 41.Kg2 Kg6 42.Bc6 h4 43.Bd5 Kf6 44.Bc6 Ke5 45.Bb7 f6 46.Bc8 Bc1 47.Bf5 Bf4 48.Bg4 Kd4 49.Bf5 Ke5 50.Bg4 Kd4 51.Bf5 Ke5

½-½ (51) Avenger82 (2826)-Gioacchino_il (2705) Blitz 2022

6...Bb6 7.d4 Na5 8.Nxe5 Nxb3 9.Qxb3 Qe7 10.0-0 Bb7 11.Re1 d6 12.Nd3 0-0-0 13.a4 bxa4 14.Rxa4 Nf6 15.Na3 Rhe8 16.Nc4 Ba7 17.f3 d5 18.Na5 Ba8 19.e5 Nd7 20.Qa2 c5 21.Nb3 Nb8 22.Nbxc5 Bc6 23.Rxa6 Bxc5 24.Nxc5 Nxa6 25.Qxa6+ Bb7 26.Qb5 h6 27.Bf4 Qc7 28.e6 Qc6 29.Qa5 g5 30.Bg3 Rxe6 31.Rxe6 fxe6 32.Qa7 Rd6 33.Bxd6 Qxd6 34.Qxb7+ Kd8 35.Qf7 Qe7 36.Nxe6+ Kd7 37.Nc5+ Kd6 38.Qxe7+ Kxe7 39.Kf2 h5 40.h4 gxh4 41.b4 Kd6 42.f4 Kc6 43.Kf3 Kb5 44.f5 Kc4 45.f6 Kxc3 46.Ne6 h3 47.gxh3 Kc4 48.f7 h4 49.f8Q Kb5 50.Ke3 Kc4 51.Qc5+ Kb3 52.Kd3 Kb2 53.b5 Kb3 54.b6 Kb2 55.b7 Kb3 56.b8Q+ Ka2 57.Qa5# 1-0 (57) peonasesino71 (2739)-MeetraBot (2345) Rapid 2022

6...Nf6 7.d4 exd4 8.e5 Ng8

[8...Ne4 9.Bd5 f5 10.cxd4 Bb4+ 11.Nbd2 d6 12.Bxc6+ 1-0 (12) UCantTouchThis0-0 (2692)-iytslot (2402) Rapid 2022]

[8...Ng4 9.cxd4 Bb4+ 10.Nc3 d6 11.h3 dxe5 12.hxg4 exd4 13.0-0 dxc3 14.Bd5 Qd6 15.Qb3 Be6 16.Re1 cxb2 17.Bxb2 Bxe1 18.Rxe1 0-0-0 19.Bxe6+ fxe6 20.Bxg7 Rhg8 21.Bf6 Rd7 22.g5 Qd5 23.Qa3 Kb7 24.Qe3 Qxa2 25.Ne5 Nxe5 26.Qxe5 Qd5 27.Qe3 h6 28.Ra1 hxg5 29.Rxa6 0-1 (29) miki_train (2638)-Mamikon_Gharibyan (2802) Blitz 2024]

9.0-0 dxc3 10.Qd5 1-0 (10) Nadigraj (2726)-LoveFifi (2744) Blitz 2024

6...Nge7 7.d4 exd4 8.cxd4 Bb4+ 9.Nc3 d5 10.e5

[10.exd5 Nxd5 11.0-0 Bxc3 12.bxc3 0-0 13.Ng5 h6 14.Ne4 Bf5 15.Qf3 Bxe4 16.Qxe4 Nce7 17.Ba3 Re8 18.Rfe1 c6 19.Bc5 Ng6 20.Qf3 Qg5 21.g3 Qd2 22.Rxe8+ Rxe8 23.Rd1 Re1+ 24.Rxe1 Qxe1+ 25.Kg2 Qxc3 26.Bxd5 Qxc5 27.Qxf7+ Kh7 28.Qg8# 1-0 (28) Atomicmoves7 (2603)-KonMarios2010 (2501) Blitz 2024]

10...h6 11.h3 Be6 12.0-0 Na5 13.Bc2 c5 14.Ne2 Nac6 15.a3 Ba5 16.dxc5 Bc7 17.Bf4 Ng6 18.Re1 Nxf4 19.Nxf4 Qe7 20.b4 Rd8 21.Qd3 d4 22.Nxe6 Qxe6 23.Qe4 g6 24.Bb3 Qxb3 25.Qxc6+ Rd7 26.e6 fxe6 27.Rxe6+ Qxe6 28.Qxe6+ Re7 29.Qxg6+ Kd7 30.Nxd4 Be5 31.Qc6+ 1-0 (31) DLChess2018 (2666)-Stammargg (2553) Blitz 2023

6...Bb7 7.0-0 Bd6 8.d4 Nf6 9.dxe5 Bxe5 10.Nxe5 Nxe5 11.f4 Nc4 12.e5 Ne4 13.Qg4 0-0 14.Bxc4 bxc4 15.f5 Qe7 16.f6 Nxf6 17.exf6 Qc5+ 18.Kh1 g6 19.Nd2 Rae8 20.Nf3 Re2 21.Bf4 d6 22.Qh4 h5 23.Rae1 Rfe8 24.Rxe2 Rxe2 25.Re1 Bxf3 26.gxf3 Qd5 27.Rf1 Rxb2 28.Bc1 Rxa2 29.Qf4 Qd3 30.Re1 Re2 31.Rxe2 Qxe2 32.Kg1 Qe1+ 33.Kg2 Qe2+ 34.Kg3 Qe1+ 35.Kh3 Qf1+ 36.Kg3 Qe1+ 37.Kg2 Qe2+ 38.Kg1 a5 39.Qh6 Qe1+ 40.Kg2 Qe2+ 41.Kg3 h4+ 42.Kg4 Qe6+ 43.Kf4 Qf5+ 44.Ke3 Qxf6 45.Kf2 Qxc3 46.Bg5 Qd4+ 47.Ke2 Qd3+ 48.Ke1 Qb1+ 49.Kf2 Qc2+ 50.Ke3 c3 0-1 (50) Rumple_DarkOne (2660)-ZIRLA69 (2562) Blitz 2021

[118] **7.h3** Be6 8.0-0 Nf6 9.d3 0-0 10.Nbd2 d5 11.Re1 dxe4 12.dxe4 Bxb3 13.Qxb3 Qe7 14.a4 Na5 15.Qc2 Bb6 16.Nf1 Nc4 17.Bg5 h6 18.Bh4 g5 19.Bg3 Rad8 20.b3 Nd6 21.Bxe5 Rfe8

22.Bxf6 Qxf6 23.e5 Qf5 24.Qxf5 Nxf5 25.axb5 axb5 26.Rad1 Kf8 27.g4 Ng7 28.Ng3 Ke7 29.Kg2 Ke6 30.Ne4 Rxd1 31.Rxd1 Ra8 32.c4 bxc4 33.bxc4 Ra4 34.c5 Rxe4 35.cxb6 cxb6 36.Rd6+ Ke7 37.Rxh6 Ne6 38.Kg3 b5 39.Rh8 Nf8 40.Nxg5 Rxe5 41.f4 Re3+ 42.Kf2 Ra3 43.Rg8 Ng6 44.Rg7 b4 45.Rxf7+ Ke8 46.f5 Ne5 47.Rb7 b3 48.f6 b2 49.Ne6 Nc6 50.Rxb2 Kf7 51.Rb6 Ne5 52.Ng5+ Kg6 53.f7+ Kg7 54.Rf6 1-0 (54) Mirror33 (2622)-fikumiku89 (2581) Blitz 2023

[119] **9.Nc3** Bg4 10.Be3 Na5 11.Nd5 Nxb3 12.axb3 Qd7 13.Nxb6 cxb6 14.d5 Ne7 15.h3 Bxf3 16.Qxf3 0-0 17.g4 a5 18.Bxb6 a4 19.Bd4 h6 20.0-0 Ng6 21.Rfe1 Rfe8 22.bxa4 bxa4 23.Ra3 Rec8 24.Qe2 Rab8 25.Bc3 Nf4 26.Qf3 Ng6 27.Qd3 Nf4 28.Qg3 g5 29.Qf3 Rc4 30.Bd2 Rxb2 31.Bxf4 gxf4 32.Qxf4 Rb3 33.Rxb3 axb3 34.Qxh6 Qd8 35.e5 dxe5 36.d6 b2 37.Qd2 Re4 38.Rb1 Rd4 39.Qxb2 Qxd6 40.Qc2 Rd3 41.Rb3 e4 42.Kg2 Qd8 43.Qb1 Qd4 44.Rb5 Rf3 45.Qe1 Kh7 46.Qe2 Kg7 ½-½ (46) Komododragon (3590)-Stockfish Dev15 (3612) tcec-chess.com INT 2022

9.0-0 Nf6 10.Bg5 h6 11.Bh4 g5 12.Bg3 g4 13.Nh4 Nxd4 14.e5 Nh5 15.exd6 Nxg3 16.hxg3 Qxd6 17.Re1+ Kf8 18.Nc3 Nxb3 19.Qxd6+ cxd6 20.axb3 Be6 21.Nxb5 Kg7 22.Nxd6 Bxb3 23.Re4 Be6 24.Ndf5+ Kf6 25.Rf4 Kg5 26.Ne3 h5 27.Nd5 Bd8 28.Re1 a5 29.Re5+ Kh6 30.Nf6 Bxf6 31.Rxf6+ Kg7 32.Rf4 Rab8 33.Rg5+ Kf8 34.Ng6+ Ke8 35.Nxh8 1-0 (35) JelenaZ (2662)-wanyaland (2605) Blitz 2022

[120] **12.Re1** Rb8 13.a3 b4 14.Ne2 d5 15.e5 Bf5 16.Ng3 Bg6 17.Be3 bxa3 18.Rxa3 Na5 19.Nh4 Nxb3 20.Rxb3 Kh7 21.f4 Ng8 22.Ngf5 Qd7 23.g4 Qa4 24.Rc3 Qxd1 25.Rxd1 Bxf5 26.Nxf5 f6 27.Kg2 fxe5 28.fxe5 g6 29.Ng3 Ba5 30.Rc2 Rb3 31.Ra1 Bb4 32.Re2 a5 33.Rc1 Rc8 34.Rc6 Be7 35.Ra6 Bh4 36.Rxa5 Ne7 37.Rc5 Kg7 38.Nf1 c6 39.Rc3 Rcb8 40.Bc1 Rxc3 41.bxc3 Rb3 42.Rc2 Be1 43.Bb2 Nc8 44.Kf3 Na7 45.Ke2 Bh4 46.Nd2 Rb6 47.c4 dxc4 48.Bc1 c3 49.Rxc3 Nb5 50.Rc4 Be7 51.Nf3 g5 52.Kd3 Kf7 53.Ke4 Ra6 54.Ne1 Nc7 55.Nc2 Ke6 56.Ne3 Kd7 57.Nf5 Bf8 58.h4 Ra1 59.hxg5 hxg5 60.Bxg5 Rg1 61.Kf3 Rf1+ 62.Kg2 Rb1 63.Rc1 Rb3 64.Rh1 Ke6 65.Rh8 Ba3 66.Rc8 Kd7 67.Rd8+ Ke6 68.Ng7+ Kf7 69.Rd7+ Kg6 70.Bd2 Rb2 71.Rxc7 Rxd2+ 72.Kf3 Rd3+ 73.Ke4 Rg3 74.Kf4 Rg1 75.Nf5 Rf1+ 76.Ke4 Bf8 77.Rxc6+ Kg5 78.Rc8 Re1+ 79.Kf3 Bg7 80.Rg8 Rf1+ 81.Ke2 Rh1 82.e6 Kf4 83.e7 Rh2+ 84.Kd3 Rh3+ 85.Kc4 Kf3 86.e8Q Kf2 87.Rxg7 Rf3 88.Rh7 Rxf5 89.gxf5 1-0 Stockfish Dev15-Komododragon/TCEC 22 Premier 2022